

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Container and colour coding system



Description

Streamline lubrication practices with colour-coded control in complex industrial environments.

Cross-contamination of lubricants and human error in fluid handling remain persistent threats to equipment reliability. Implementing a colour-coded oil transfer and filling system offers a practical, low-cost solution to mitigate these risks. By providing clear visual differentiation between lubricant types, transfer equipment and application points, this system reduces the likelihood of mixing incompatible fluids, while supporting fluid cleanliness compliance and best-practice lubrication control.

Beyond preventing errors, a structured colour-coding approach improves operational efficiency by standardising workflows and simplifying maintenance routines. It supports faster training of new personnel, promotes adherence to lubrication procedures, and enhances the visibility of system health across the plant. As part of a broader reliability strategy, colour-coded lubrication systems contribute directly to reduced downtime, longer asset life and lower total maintenance costs.

Protecting critical equipment starts with controlling the way lubricants are identified, transferred and applied. To eliminate the risk of cross-contamination and maintain lubricant quality we recommend a three-tiered safeguarding system that addresses the most common failure points in fluid handling.

Three safeguards for best practice relubrication management



1. Colour-coding chart for oil identification and tagging

A plant-wide colour-coding system is the first line of defense against oil mixing. Each lubricant is assigned a unique colour, which is consistently applied across storage containers, transfer equipment, fill points and machinery tags. This visual standard ensures instant recognition and eliminates guesswork, helping maintenance teams deliver the right lubricant to the right asset every time.

Number	Product code	Description
1	LBGTC-01	Lubrigard colour coding tagging system



2. Dedicated, sealed oil containers with colour-coded dispensing

To preserve oil cleanliness and prevent fluid mixing during handling, we supply a range of dedicated containers in 5, 7 and 10 liter sizes. Each is fitted with a pump lid or an extended 8-inch spout for controlled dispensing, reducing exposure to airborne contaminants and moisture. The spouts are colour-coded to match the assigned lubricant, while the pump lids are equipped with plastic ID rings to reinforce the tagging system. This ensures that oil is transferred through a sealed, closed system, clean, dry and correct from storage to application.

Lube container

Number	Product code	Description
1	LC4	4 liter lube container
2	LC7	7 liter lube container
3	LC10	10 liter lube container



Rigid spout

Number	Colour	Product code	Description
1	Black	9500785	8" rigid spout with 1/2" tip
2	White	9500435	8" rigid spout with 1/2" tip
3	Blue	9500428	8" rigid spout with 1/2" tip
4	Red	9500429	8" rigid spout with 1/2" tip
5	Yellow	9500396	8" rigid spout with 1/2" tip
6	Green	9500430	8" rigid spout with 1/2" tip
7	Orange	9500794	8" rigid spout with 1/2" tip



Container lids

Number	Product code	Description
1	9500319	Lube container lid (spout sold separately)
2	9500458	Pump lid with BB breather

Pump colour-coded collar

Number	Colour	Product code	Description
1	Black	9501218	Pump collar
2	White	9501219	Pump collar
3	Blue	9501220	Pump collar
4	Red	9501221	Pump collar
5	Yellow	9500473	Pump collar
6	Green	9501223	Pump collar
7	Orange	950122*	Pump collar

3. Colour-coded quick Connects with identification bands

The final safeguard in the system is the use of quick-connect fittings enhanced with colour-coded rubber ID bands. These connectors are designed to interface directly with our standard drain port and breather port adaptors, creating a secure, leak-free connection between oil containers, transfer equipment and the asset. This ensures a fully closed-loop transfer process, keeping lubricants clean and dry from start to finish. The addition of matching colour bands provides an extra layer of identification, making it easy to verify that the correct lubricant is being connected to the correct machine. Even in high-traffic maintenance environments, this safeguard helps eliminate cross-contamination risks and reinforces the integrity of your lubrication practices across the plant.

