



## **B20Z+**

# **Technical Chart**

Aussiemet B20Z+ Superbright is white rhodium solution for decorative using pen plating rectifier. The main feature highlighted as below

- Bright Pleasing Deposit Appearance
- Controlled Deposition Speed
- · Can be used at room temperature
- Abrasion resistant light and bright coatings
- · Meets Nickel Free Requirements

## **Technical Specification**

Rhodium Content:	2 g Rh/100 ml
Operating temperature:	room temperature (20 - 40 °C)
pH-value:	< 1, strongly acidic
Voltage:	8 - 10 volts (maximally 12 volts)
Deposition speed:	approx. 0.1 $\mu m$ can be reached if 1 cm <sup>2</sup> is
	treated for about 30 seconds while the
	movement is constant

## **Deposition Data**

Coating:	Rhodium
Fineness:	99.9 % Rh
Colour:	Brilliant White
Hardness:	800 -850 HV

### Equipment

· A tampon pencil including a supply of tampon tips.

This pencil is normally a plastic holder with a connection to the rectifier. The absorbent and exchangeable tampon tips are inserted into a suitable contact socket at the front end of the holder.

- Brush rhodium-plating bath Aussiemet Superbright B20Z+.
- Rectifier with adjustable voltage up to at least 10 volts.

#### **Additional Information**

#### **PRETREATMENT**

- Electroclean and ultrasonic clean parts to ensure they are free from grease.
- · Rinse with deionised water.
- Activate parts in 10% v/v Sulphuric Acid for about 10 20 secs.
- Rinse with deionised water.
- Dry.

### **OPERATING PARAMETERS**

The baths will normally be used in hand held equipment specifically designed for Decorative Brush Plating. This equipment is similar to a pen and the following sequence is commonly used.

- Pour out a small amount of Aussiemet's brush plating solution in a dish.
- II. The brush pen tip is dipped in the solution contained in the dish to wet the pad material.
- III. The part to be plated is made cathodic.
- IV. The pen tip is rubbed against the selected area to be plated whilst a DC Voltage is applied across the circuit.
- V. Typically plating times are a few seconds only.
- VI. Keep 'used solution' in a separate container.

[Do not contaminate the original Brush Plating Solution with the used solution.]

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

**Caution:** Superbright Aussiemet B20Z+ is a corrosive to the skin, eyes and mucous membranes. Caution should be exercised when using the product, avoiding contact with the eyes and skin. Use gloves and safety goggles.

#### Note:

Aussiemet always recommends:

- Before handling any ordered product please carefully read the relevant MSDS.
- 2. Please treat spent solutions in accordance with the in place regulations.



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