

s16 Litterbin

care and maintenance guidelines

The s16 litterbin is constructed from s355 galvanized steel, a material which is highly corrosion resistant. Despite the material's corrosion resistant properties some care is required to maintain a bright appearance. The extent to which cleaning is required will depend on a number of factors including environmental conditions, construction activity, level of use.

Maintaining the painted galvanized steel

The s16 is finished in polyester powder, a plastic coating which is baked onto the components prior to assembly. This is a highly durable finish which will last for many years. To maintain the original appearance of the metalwork it should be cleaned regularly using warm soapy water. Avoid the use of abrasive cleaners as they may damage the surface finish. Should the paint become chipped or scratched it can be touched up using acrylic based paint. If the damage has penetrated the galvanized coating the area should be cleaned with a wire brush and a zinc rich primer should be applied prior to the top coat. For further advice contact Omos on + 353 45 899802.

Maintaining the galvanized steel (unpainted version)

Clean regularly with warm soapy water and a scouring pad. Should the galvanized coating be penetrated apply 'cold galvanizing' paint to damaged area. For more information on remedial work contact Omos.

Liner

The s16 litterbin is equipped with a heavy duty plastic or galvanized steel liner. To prolong the life of the liner Omos recommends using plastic bin liners. This will also prevent seepage of liquids onto the surrounding pavement.

Locks, hinges and other moving parts

All moving parts should be kept clean and lubricated to ensure a long life. A spray lubricant such as 'WD40' is widely available and well suited.

