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PROCESS FOR APPLYING PHOSPHATE COATINGS TO METALS

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP0327153A2] To produce phosphate coatings on metal components having surfaces of at least partially iron or steel, these are treated at a temperature in the range from 60 to 100 DEG C for a period of 3 to 30 seconds with a phosphating solution which contains 10 to 80 g/l of zinc, 12 to 80 g/l of phosphate (calculated as P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>) and 40 to 150 g/l of nitrate, and also additionally 0.1 to 5 g/l of fluoride, 0.01 to 10 g/l of nickel, 0.001 to 0.1 g/l of copper and, if appropriate, tartaric acid, citric acid and/or manganese, in which solution the free acid/total acid ratio has been adjusted to (0.1 to 0.3):1 and which contains at least 80 points of total acid. <??>The components can be cleaned before the phosphating, if appropriate freed of rust, scale and phosphate layers, activated and, after the phosphating, passivated with a rinsing solution, each of these process steps being carried out for a period of 3 to 30 seconds.

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