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Unique Mold Surface Treatment NSF-certified for Food Packaging

Wheeling, IL, August, 2025 – For years customers had been approaching Michael Muth, Chief Strategist at Slide Products, about the need for a rust preventive treatment that could be certified by NSF and used for food packaging applications. In 2019 a vendor contacted Slide about a new ingredient they had developed that would indeed advance a formulation designed to achieve the necessary certification. This integration marked the inception of the [White Rhino Rust Preventive](#).

The raw material that was implemented already had NSF certification which helped to “grease” the process when it was submitted to NSF. Muth notes, “Slide is the only major manufacturer of surface treatments that carries the necessary NSF category H1 certification for this niche market. It’s become a favorite choice for some of the larger companies that make food-grade containers such as for yogurt and similar items.”

The product sets up quickly to protect against moisture, light acids and neutralizes fingerprints with no chlorinated solvents. Self-cleaning at startup, it protects up to two years under normal storage conditions.

When asked where the name/brand for White Rhino originated, Michael states, “The ‘white’ part was chosen as it relates to the NSF white book listing of food industry compounds, and the “rhino” is notorious for its thick skin which they use for protection.” He continues, “Slide is proud to have created this leverage product to fulfill a need in a specific market.”

The rust preventive is available in aerosol and bulk liquid options, and free samples are offered on the Slide Products website.

About Slide Products

Founded in 1953, Slide Products has been a leader in the development and production of high-quality formulations for the plastics molding industry. In 1974, the company moved to Wheeling, Illinois and has been manufacturing innovative products in-house since. In 1993, the company name was officially changed to Slide Products and continues to uphold a strong devotion to its clients and offerings. Through the beginning of the 21st century, Slide remains dedicated to sustaining its superior standards and providing top-notch customer support. See Slide Products’ [historical milestones](#).

Slide Products makes mold releases, mold cleaners, rust preventives, purging compounds, ejector pin grease, ancillary products and accessories. These solutions are well-reputed throughout the industry, both in the USA and abroad. Slide’s team is committed to interactively working with customers on solving individual concerns and needs through its [Top Tier Service program](#), keeping their processes smooth and trouble-free.

[Environmental actions](#) stay at the forefront as core priorities. Our environmental strategies include facilitating the elimination of chlorinated solvents and the appropriate disposal of aerosol cans. Slide works diligently to eradicate volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and other harmful pollutants.

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