

# **TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**

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Chemical Resistant Epoxy Steel Coating

Rapid curing chemical resistant high solids epoxy primer and topcoat. Provides excellent adhesion and corrosion protection to mild steel. Can be used as a primer, intermediate or finish coat on steel and has excellent recoat window for overcoating with epoxy or polyurethane topcoats.



# **BENEFITS:**



High chemical resistance



Extremely tough and crack resistant



Excellent adhesion to steel. Excellent corrosion barrier



Low temperature cure

TECHNICAL DETAILS				
Application	Roller, Brush or Spray			
Finish	Gloss			
Profile	Smooth			
Solids	70%			
Application Temp	5-30°C			
Theoretical Spread Rate	6 m $^2$ / L for 100um 8 m $^2$ / L for 80um			
Recommended Dry Film Thickness	80 - 100 um			
Surface dry @ 25°C	45 minutes			
Overcoat (overcoating table)	Min 6 hrs Max 7 days			
Mix Ratio	4:1			
Colour	Please refer to colour chart			
Thinners	Solidkote 505 Epoxy Thinner			
Shelf Life	12 months			

















\*Product colours may differ from the ones shown above. For a full colour chart or for samples contact your nearest Technical Finishes branch. UV exposure causes yellowing, most prominent in light colours.

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#### **APPLICATIONS**

- Protection of steel tanks, equipment bases, floors and drains
- Tank farms & chemical storage tanks
- Priming of steel prior to applying ceramic tiles
- Paper Industry
- Sugar Industry
- Mining Industry
- Petroleum Industry

# SUBSTRATE REQUIREMENTS

Surfaces to be coated must be clean and free of dust, oily residues and loose friable material. All steel surfaces to be abrasive blast cleaned to Sa2½, blasting profile 30-75um (ISO 8501-1:2007) or power tool cleaned to min. ISO-St2. Shop primed steel to be pretreated to SPSS-Pt3. Surface defects revealed by blasting, should be ground and filled with Solidkote 121 Epoxy Putty.

#### **MIXING**

Materials are supplied as 2 components. Epoxy Part A and Hardener Part B. Mix ratio is 4:1 by volume. Add components together and mechanically mix for 2 minutes. Use within 60 minutes.

# **APPLICATION**

AIRLESS SPRAY

- Thin the product to between 0 3% or as needed.
- Thinner: Solidkote 505 Epoxy Thinner
- Nozzle Orifice: 0.38-0.53mm
- Nozzle Pressure: 12-16MPa (120-160bar, 1740-2321 psi)

#### BRUSH / ROLLER

- Thin the product between 0 3% as needed.
- Use short mohair roller for best finish and build.
- Thinner: Solidkote 505 Epoxy Thinner

## **CLEANING SOLVENT**

Solidkote 505 Epoxy Thinner

# **OVERCOATING TABLE**

Surface should be dry and free of any contamination. Solidguard 88 at 80um.

Substrate Temperature	5°C	15°C	25°C	35°C
Min Interval (with itself)	12 hrs	10 hrs	6 hrs	4hrs
Solidkote UVC	16 hrs	12 hrs	8 hrs	6 hrs
Max Interval	7 Days			

#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

The system contains strong solvents - there must be no open flames or smoking in the vicinity. All appropriate PPE must be worn. Please consult Health and Safety Data sheets for each product.

## WARRANTY

Technical Finishes products are manufactured under high quality standards and are warranted against defective materials and are sold subject to standard Terms and Conditions of Sale, copies of which can be obtained upon request. Technical Finishes deals with approved applicators and carry a back to back warranty with these clients. Technical Finishes cannot be held responsible for the workmanship in surface preparation and application of our products, it is understood that the approved contractor will guarantee such workmanship and application. It is vital that the application is done in accordance to our specification.