

NATIONAL GUARD COAL TAR EPOXY S.F. DECORATIVE COATINGS

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	A two pack polyamide cured high solid coal tar epoxy coating for the protection of pipes, storage tanks, containers, structural steel and fibre reinforced cement against sewage water, sea water and various chemicals. It is fast curing coating especially when applied to preheated substrates. It has good abrasion resistance and excellent adhesion to various substrates.
RECOMMENDED USES	Underwater areas, in cargo tanks, sewage disposal plants, tidal and splash zones etc. Long life protection of steel and concrete
	in severely corrosive marine and industrial environment applications.

TECHNICAL DATA

COLOUR, DRY FILM	Black & Brown
FINISH, DRY FILM	Smooth / Semi-gloss
VOLUME SOLIDS	96 ± 2%
(ASTM D2697)	
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	1.46 ± 0.05 (of mix)
THEORETICAL SPREADING	$3.2 - 2.4 \mathrm{M}^2/\mathrm{LTR}$
RANGE	
RECOMMENDED DFT RANGE	300 – 400 Microns/Coat
(DRY FILM THICKNESS)	
RECOMMENDED WFT RANGE	312 – 418 Microns/Coat
(WET FILM THICKNESS)	
FLASH POINT	25°C
FLEXIBILITY	Good
CHEMICAL RESISTANCE	Good (slight discolouration may be possible)
WATER RESISTANCE	Excellent
ABRASION RESISTANCE	Good
CORROSION RESISTANCE	Very good

DRYING TIME

Drying time @ 30°C (Temperature, humidity, air movement, film thickness and number of coats	
all affect the drying time.)	
TOUCH DRY	6 hours
*DRY TO RECOAT / OVERCOAT	12 hours (minimum) – 48 hours (maximum)
HARD DRY	7 days

^{*}With the same generic type paint.







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ADVANTAGES

NATIONAL GUARD COAL TAR	The fully cured film is resistant to fuel, oil, crude oil, sea
EPOXY S.F.	water. It has excellent adhesion and good abrasion resistance,
	very good corrosion resistance.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTION

SURFACE PREPARATION	All surfaces should be clean, dry and free from contamination.
	For bare steel abrasive blast cleaning to Sa3 is recommended.
	Power tool cleaning, for small area preparation, may be
	acceptable to St2, depending on exposure conditions. Clean,
	dry and undamaged shop primed surfaces are necessary
	requirements to paint over shop primed metal. For coated
	surfaces, clean, dry and undamaged compatible primer coat is
	necessary for further painting.

APPLICATION DATA

APPLICATION METHOD	Airless Spray	Brush
CLEANING/THINNING	National Epoxy Thinner (thinner	r should only be added after
	mixing components)	
THINNER (VOLUME)	5 – 10%	10%
AIRLESS SPRAY	3000 psi	
REQUIREMENTS		
NOZZLE SIZE	0.025" – 0.028"	
MIXING RATIO (BY VOLUME)	Base : Hardener	
	3 : 1 (Mix thoroughly, keep	for 15 – 20 minutes before use)
POT LIFE @ 30°c (100 ml)	4 hours (reduced at higher temper	
	Note: Material may gel at elevat	ed temperature.

SYSTEM

	No. of Coats x DFT (Microns)
RECOMMENDED SYSTEM To be applied on prepared surface.	National Guard Coal Tar Epoxy S.F. : 1 x 300
Application temperature and surface	(To be applied on suitably primed surface)
temperature between 8°C-35°C,	
moisture less than 4%, mix the material	
in the required ratio at the time of	
application.	

ADDITIONAL DATA

SHELF LIFE @ 30°C	18 months, in original sealed container, with proper storage
	conditions.







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HEALTH & SAFETY

SAFETY	As a general rule, avoid skin and eye contact by wearing
PRECAUTIONS	overalls, gloves, goggles, and airmask etc. Spillage on skin
	should immediately be removed by thorough washing with
	water and soap or suitable cleaner. Eye should be flushed with
	fresh water. Avoid inhalation of vapours and paint mist by
	wearing suitable airmask. In the event of ingestion and eye
	contact, seek medical attention immediately. Painting must be
	carried out in well-ventilated area.
	This as industrial product contains flammable materials and
	should be kept away from the sparks and open flames, smoking
	in the area should not be permitted. Local safety regulations
	should be followed.

STORAGE & HANDLING

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STORAGE	Store the paint in proper storage conditions as per the local
	regulations. Keep the paint container in sealed condition under
	shed, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Do
	not stock paint material near to any ignition sources. Do not put
	back the half or unused material back in original container,
	containing the supplied paint, to avoid contamination. Handle
	with care. Stir well before use.

NOTE: We warranty only the quality of our product and this data sheet is based on results obtained from experience and tests. We reserve the right to change data without prior notice. For surface preparation, safety details refer specifier and safety data.

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