FAST-CLAD® BRUSH GRADE EPOXY
WITH OPTI-CHECK OAP TECHNOLOGY

PART A B62W240 WHITE
PART A B62L242 OAP BLUE
PART B B62V240 HARDENER

PRODUCT INFORMATION 9.51

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

FAST-CLAD BRUSH GRADE EPOXY is a high solids epoxy amine coating that is engineered specifically as a brushable repair coating for Fast-Clad ER Epoxy in sea water and fuel ballast tanks. The rapid return to service and high build of Fast-Clad Brush Grade Epoxy provides superior protection compared to conventional epoxies.

- Fast return to service
- Extended pot life
- Easy mixing

Recommended Uses

For use as a brushable repair coating for Fast-Clad ER Epoxy.

For use in various exposures, including:
- Ballast tank interiors
- Fuel tanks
- Sea water tanks
- Petrochemical tanks
- OAP Blue contains fluorescent pigment
- Approved by the U.S. Navy as a touch-up coating for Fast-Clad ER

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

Finish: Gloss
Color: White and OAP Blue
Volume Solids: 83%, ± 2%, mixed
Weight Solids: 90%, ± 2%, mixed
VOC (EPA method #24): <150 g/L 1.25 lb/gal mixed (24 hour induction)
Mix Ratio: 1:1 by volume

Recommended Spreading Rate per coat:

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NOTE: Brush or roll application may require multiple coats to achieve maximum film thickness and uniformity of appearance.

Drying Schedule @ 10.0 mils wet (250 microns):

- @ 77°F/25°C 50% RH
  - To touch: 3 hours
  - To handle: 6.5 hours
  - To recoat: 4 hours
  - Foot traffic: 6.5 hours
  - Cure to service: 24 hours

Drying time is temperature, humidity, and film thickness dependent.

Pot Life: 25 minutes (two qt mass)
Sweat-in-Time: Not required

Shelf Life: 24 months, unopened
Store indoors at 40°F (4.5°C) to 100°F (38°C)

Flash Point: 100°F (38°C), PMCC, mixed
Reducer: Not recommended
Clean Up: MEK, R6K10 or R7K104

Performance Characteristics

Substrate*: Steel
Surface Preparation*: SSPC-SP10/NACE 2
Surface Coating*: Fast-Clad ER Epoxy
System Tested*:
- 1 ct. Fast-Clad Brush Grade Epoxy @ 8.0-10.0 mils (200-250 microns) dft

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Immersion (ambient temperature) for the following:
- Ballast tank mix
- Fresh water
- Sea water
- Petrochemicals

Epoxy coatings may darken or yellow after application and curing.

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The systems listed above are representative of the product’s use, other systems may be appropriate.
Surface must be clean, dry, and in sound condition. Remove all oil, dust, grease, dirt, loose rust, and other foreign material to ensure adequate adhesion.

Iron & Steel (atmospheric service)
Remove all oil and grease from surface by Solvent Cleaning per SSPC-SP1. Minimum surface preparation is Commercial Blast Cleaning per SSPC-SP6/NACE3. For better performance, use Near White Metal Blast Cleaning per SSPC-SP10/NACE 2. Blast clean all surfaces using a sharp, angular abrasive for optimum surface profile (2-3 mils / 50-75 microns). Remove all weld spatter and round all sharp edges. Prime any bare steel within 8 hours or before flash rusting occurs. SSPC-SP11 or Bristle Blaster (2-3 mils / 50-75 micron profile) is acceptable for small repairs only.

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**Application Equipment**

The following is a guide. Changes in pressures and tip sizes may be needed for proper spray characteristics. Always purge spray equipment before use with listed reducer. Any reduction must be compliant with existing VOC regulations and compatible with the existing environmental and application conditions.

Reducer: .................Not recommended
Clean Up .................MEK, R6K10 or R7K104

**Airless Spray**

Unit..........................30:1 minimum
Pressure......................3000-3300 psi
Hose............................3/8" ID
Tip.............................017"-.021"
Filter..........................60 mesh
Reduction....................Not recommended

Brush .................For stripe coating and repair only
Reduction....................Nylon/Polyester or Natural Bristle

**Roller**

Cover ..........................3/8" woven with solvent resistant core
Reduction....................Not recommended

If specific application equipment is not listed above, equivalent equipment may be substituted.
Surface preparation must be completed as indicated.

Mixing Instructions: Mix contents of each component thoroughly using low speed power agitation. Make certain no pigment remains on the bottom or the sides of the can. Then combine one part by volume of Part A with one part by volume of Part B. Thoroughly agitate the mixture with power agitation.

Apply paint at the recommended film thickness and spreading rate as indicated below:

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Application of coating above maximum or below minimum recommended spreading rate may adversely affect coating performance.


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