



# TECHNICAL PRODUCT DATASHEET

# Epidac AC

**Epidac AC Primer** is a hard, chemical resistant primer for steel. Ideal for use in severe environments, including industrial and chemical plant where quick drying is required. Developed with excellent anti-corrosive properties, **Epidac AC** is also easy to apply.

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

# Coating type:

2-pack polyamide cured epoxy/zinc phosphate.

#### Features and benefits:

- Excellent anti-corrosive properties
- Quick drying 2-pack epoxy
- High build and sag tolerance
- Ease of application
- VOC compliant to EPA PG6/23

## Reference Number:

79-LINE

## Appearance:

Low sheen

# Colours available:

Grey Red Oxide White Buff

# **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

## Theoretical coverage:

8m² per litre at 50 microns dry film thickness

## Sag tolerance:

300 microns wet film thickness

#### Film thickness:

|          | Wet film<br>thickness | Dry film<br>thickness |  |
|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Typical: | 125 microns           | 50 microns            |  |
| Range:   | 75-300 microns        | 30-120 microns        |  |

## V.O.C.:

470grm/ltr EPA Method 24 356grm/kg calculated from formulation to satisfy EU Solvent Emissions Directive May vary with colour.

## Recommended topcoats:

Dacthane 85 (85-LINE) Dacfree 581 (81-LINE) Dacsil 200 (200-LINE)

## % Volume solids:

40% calculated from laboratory formulation *May vary with colour.* 

## Drying time:

| Temp. | Touch dry   | Firm dry | Overcoat   |  |
|-------|-------------|----------|------------|--|
| 5°C   | 2hrs 30mins | 10hrs    | When firm- |  |
| 10°C  | 2hrs        | 8hrs     | dry, but   |  |
| 15°C  | 1hr 30mins  | 6hrs     | within     |  |
| 20°C  | 1hr         | 4hrs     | 72hrs      |  |

Drying time will vary with temperature, air movement, etc. After 72 hours, lightly abrade surface and 'solvent-wipe' before over coating.



# **SURFACE PREPARATION**

## Paint preparation before use:

Stir the base component thoroughly, then add the activator to the base in the ratio mentioned below. Mix the activator and base until they become homogenous.

## Mixing ratio by volume:

2-parts base to 1-part activator

#### Surface preparation:

All surfaces to be coated should be clean, dry, and free from contamination. Prior to paint application all surfaces should be assessed and treated in accordance with ISO 8504:2000.

Abrasive blast to ISO8501-1:2007 SA2.5 standard.

# **APPLICATION**

#### **Application conditions:**

This material should preferably be applied at temperatures more than 10°C. Relative humidity should not exceed 90% and in these conditions good ventilation is essential. Substrate temperature should be at least 3°C above the dew point and always above 0°C

At application temperatures below 10°C, drying and curing times will be significantly extended, and spraying characteristics may be impaired.

## Airless spray:

Tip size: 13-15thou (0.33-0.38mm)
Tip pressure: Minimum 2000psi (137bar)

# Conventional spray:

Tip size: 55 thou (1.4mm)
Tip pressure: 40-60psi (2.76-4.14bar)

## Brush/roller applications:

This product is not suitable to be brushed or rolled.

## Thinning:

Dacrylate Thinner R9 may be required when spraying the product to achieve optimum spray characteristics.

#### Clean-up:

Clean all equipment after use with Dacrylate Thinner R9. Do not allow product to remain in hoses, guns, or spray equipment. All surplus products should be disposed of in accordance with appropriate regional regulations/legislation.

## STORAGE AND PACKAGING

## Storage:

Under cover within temperature range of 5°C to 32°C. Keep containers dry and tightly sealed to avoid moisture contamination.

#### Shelf life:

2 years or longer in unopened containers when stored under cover within a temperature range of 5°C to 32°C.

## Pot life (at 20°C):

8 hours

## Packaging:

5 litre containers

# **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Please refer to the following data sheets: 79-LINE 20275 Epidac AC Base

79-A133 20247 Epidac AC Activator

All work involving the application and use of this product should be performed in compliance with all relevant national, health, safety & environmental standards, and regulations



## **ADDITIONAL NOTES**

The application and spray information given above is intended as a guide only. As conditions vary from job-to-job, it is the applicators responsibility to ensure all equipment in use has been set up to give the best results.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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