Protect LTC-EP

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Accelerator Additive for Epoxy Coating Systems

DESCRIPTION:

Protect LTC-EP is a liquid post additive that will accelerate the cure rate of Protect epoxy coating systems. It can also be used as a catalyst to initiate the cure in situations where substrate temperatures are expected to be at the coating systems minimum temperature requirement.

USES:

Use in a primer, build coat, broadcast, grout filler and top coat simply by adding 3-4 fl. Oz per mixed gallon.

ADVANTAGES:

- Accelerates cure rate by as much as 33% at given temperature.
- Solvent Free
- Complies with VOC regulations for industrial maintenance coatings in the OTC and CA*. (*excluding SCAQMD when thinned to max)

STORAGE: Materials should be stored in un-opened containers between 65°F (18°C) and 90°F (32°C) and at or below 50% RH.

SHELF LIFE: 1 year from date of manufacture (un-opened).

PACKAGING KITS/ PART NUMBERS:

Available in full 5 gallon Pails.

LIMITATIONS:

Contamination and surface defects: If contaminates including oil, silicone, mold release agents and/or other materials are present, resin systems may fisheye or crawl away from the surface. All surface contaminates should be removed with a suitable detergent prior to application. Solvent cleaning of silicone based contaminates is NOT RECOMMENDED.

LTC-EP additive will accelerate natural yellowing in all epoxy systems. Consideration should be taken when used in the top or finish coat. LTC-EP additive is not recommended in epoxy basecoats or primers that will directly receive urethane topcoats. Extra preparation of the accelerated basecoat is required to insure bond of urethane top coat.

LTC-EP is not recommended for use in the basecoat or final coat in areas where a high degree of point load impact is expected as this additive decreases impact resistance.

Please contact Technical Service for additional recommendations.

MATERIAL PROPERTIES*:

Properties	Test Method	Results
Flash Point	ASTM D3278	≥300 °F
Volume Solids	ASTM D2369	100 %
Viscosity	ASTM D2196	400-700 cPs

MIXING: Premix all components of epoxy coating system as specified on system data sheet.

After adding Part B amine curing agent, add 3-4 fl. Oz. per mixed gallon of LTC-EP additive. Mix an additional 1 minute. *Note: Pot*

life of mixed material is decreased with use of this additive by approximately 30%.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT: For application questions, please contact your salesman or PIP technical service at 440-243-4560.

DISPOSAL: Dispose in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.

READ MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS) FOR SAFETY AND PRECAUTIONS. USE PRODUCT AS DIRECTED FOR INDUSTRIAL USE ONLY. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

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