

## 423 HIGH SOLID EPOXY

### PRODUCT DATA:

- ◆ *Excellent Anti-Corrosive Property*
- ◆ *Excellent resistance to moisture*
- ◆ *Excellent resistance to petroleum solvents and aliphatic solvents*
- ◆ *Excellent resistant to abrasion and weather*

### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Designed to provide tough barrier coating for steel where blast cleaning is practical or economical. This product can be applied over aged single pack coating or existing two pack coating and capable of withstanding dry heat up to 120°C.

Tolerant to a rusty surface that is only mechanically or hand and power tool cleaned surface.

Can be overcoated with conventional and two pack coatings.

A maintenance coating for non-blasted steel : process equipment, pipes and storage tanks etc.

### APPLICATION:

#### PRACTICAL APPLICATION RATES

Micron Per Coat	Airless Spray	Conventional Spray	Brush	Roller
Dry	150	150	50	65
Wet	195	195	65	84

#### AVERAGE DRYING TIME

Ambient Temperature	Touch Dry	Hard Dry	Overcoating Interval		Potlife
			Minimum	Maximum	
15°C	12 hours	48 hours	48 hours	Indenfinite	16 hours
25°C	6 hours	24 hours	24 hours	Indenfinite	8 hours
35°C	3 hours	12 hours	12 hours	Indenfinite	4 hours

**Application Method** Brush/Roller, Conventional Spray and Airless Spray.

**Mixing Ratio (by volume)** 1 Parts Resin to 1 Parts Cure.

**Thinner** Thinner No. 2.

**Airless Spray**

Nozzle Size	: 0.48-0.58mm (19-23 thou)
Fan Angle	: 80°
Operating Pressure	: 110-160 kg/cm <sup>2</sup> (1600-2300 psi)

**Conventional Spray**

Nozzle Size	: 1.27mm (50 thou)
Atomising Pressure	: 3.5 kg/cm <sup>2</sup> (50 psi)
Fluid Pressure	: 0.7-1.0 kg/cm <sup>2</sup> (10-15 psi)

**Brush** This product is suitable for brush application for small areas and for touch up purpose.

**Roller** This product is suitable for roller application.



Application Method



65° Spraying Tip



Pratice Proper Cleaning



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### **APPLICATION CONDITIONS AND OVERCOATING**

This product should preferably be applied at temperature in excess of 10°C, In conditions of high relative humidity i.e. 80-85%, good ventilation conditions are essential. Substrate temperature should be at least 3°C above the dew point.

At application temperature below 10°C, drying and curing time will be significantly impaired.

**Application at temperature below 5°C is not recommended.**

The maximum air and substrate temperature for application is 40°C providing conditions allow satisfactory application and film formation. If the air and substrate temperature exceed 40°C and epoxy coatings are applied under this condition result paint film defects such as dry spray, bubbling and pinholing etc. can occur within the coating.

If it is desired to overcoat outside the times stated on the data sheet, please seek advice from **Alspec** representative.

### **PHYSICAL DATA:**

<b>Volume Solid</b>	77%
<b>Theoretical Coverage</b>	5.15 m <sup>2</sup> /litre @ 150 microns DFT
<b>Type</b>	2 components
<b>Packing Ratio</b>	2.5 litres Resin : 2.5 litres Cure
<b>Colour Availability</b>	Aluminium and limited colour range
<b>Flash Point</b>	41°C (mixed)
<b>Recommended Thickness</b>	150 microns DFT
<b>Recommended Thinner</b>	Thinner No. 2

### **SURFACE PREPARATION:**

**Steel :** Remove all wax, oil and grease by solvent cleaning in accordance with the guideline given by SSPC-SP1.

Soluble salt, dirt and dust must be removed prior to coating, Dry brushing should be sufficient. A fresh water wash must be followed to remove all soluble salts.

Mechanically clean the surface using hand and power tools to a minimum standard of St.2 (ISO8501-1:1988) or SSPC-SP2 to avoid polishing the surface.

