Technical Data Sheet



AB-POX® 460 ESD

2-C-EP-ESD-polymer coating

Description:

2-component epoxy resin with conductive polymeric structures, coloured VOC < 500 g/l, free of alkyl- / nonylphenol

Characteristics:

- in accordance with the official standards DIN EN 61340-4-1 and DIN EN 61340-4-5
- conductivity independent of the air humidity
- free of ionic liquids / salts

- high compressive strength
- high abrasion resistance
- · easy to clean
- inert and harmless once cured

Application:

AB-POX 460 ESD is the perfect system for use within the electrical conductive sector, it is a self-levelling floor coating / system for production plants, sales areas, warehouses, research and development laboratories and all of which must comply with the ESD - standards.

AB-POX 460 ESD during the curing process creates / develops a special and unique electrically conductive polymeric structure, which is both chemically and mechanically resistant. This flooring system can effectively prevent the build-up of electrostatic charges > 100 volt (walking test). Test report: Polymer Institute Prof. Dr. Stenner, SP Provning Forskning and ESD-Consulting Desinger. Test the flooring system earliest after 3 days curing time.

AB-POX 460 ESD is highly suitable for use in the upgrading (existing) of standard antistatic EP- and PUR - systems into ESD approved floors.

Please consult us!

Consumption:

1.2 - 1.5 kg/m².

Resistant to:

- water / salt water / sewage solvents (please consult us) common detergents diluted acids and alkalis disinfectants lubricants and fuels wet temperature max. 40°C
- saline solutions

Technical Data:

Mixing ratio A : B	100 : 25 by weight (4 : 1)
Density (23°C)	approx. 1.3 g/cm³
Volume solids	approx. 100 %
Viscosity (23°C)	approx. 1200 mPa·s ± 300
Compressive strength (DIN EN ISO 604)	approx. 60 N/mm ²
Shore D - hardness (DIN EN ISO 868)	approx. 80
Abrasion (1000 g / 1000 rev.) acc. to Taber	55 mg
Walking test EOS/ESD-STM 97.2	< 100 Volt (12 ± 3 % relative humidity of air)
DIN EN 61340-5-1	
System resistance	$< 1 \times 10^9 \Omega$
DIN EN 61340-5-1, EOS/ESD-STM 97.1 and 97.2	
Discharge value DIN IEC 1340-4-1	$< 1 \times 10^{9} \Omega$

Details for application:

Pot life (15°C / 23°C / 30°C)	approx. 25 minutes / 20 minutes / 15 minutes
Substrate temperature	minimum 15°C up to maximum 30°C
Material temperature	15°C - 25°C
Maximum relative humidity of air	at 15°C: 75 % (dew point +3°C) at > 23°C: 85 % (dew point +3°C)
Curing time / foot traffic (15°C / 23°C / 30°C)	36 hours / 24 hours / 16 hours
Curing time / mech. resistance (15°C / 23°C / 30°C)	96 hours / 72 hours / 36 hours
Curing time / chem. resistance (15°C / 23°C / 30°C)	7 days / 5 days / 3 days
All above values are approximate and may be used as a guideline for specifications	

Packaging: 25 kg - pails

Colour: ESD - window grey, ESD - light grey (other colours available on request)

- due to raw material variations and manufacturing techniques, a slight colour / batch difference may occur -

Storage: 3 months, unopened in original drums under dry conditions and a temperature of 15 - 25°C. At temperatures < 10°C crystallisation is possible. Longer storage can lead to sediment formation.

1. Surface preparation

Prior to the application the substrate must be prepared by mechanical means using qualified equipment e.g. Blastrac® shot blasting.

Minimum requirements:

- free of cement laitance, dust, oil, fat and other contaminants
- open textured, absorbent surface
- pull off strength min. 1.5 N/mm²
- concrete residual moisture max. 4 % Depending on the condition of the substrate the surface must be made non-porous by the application of a primer and / or key coat using AB-POX 002.

On concrete surfaces where there is rising damp, residual moisture or damp concrete of maximum 6 %, AB-POX 010 must be used.

AB-ZEROPOX 860 LS is a conductive intermediate coat it must be applied evenly. Prior to the application **AB-ZEROPOX** 860 LS, the connection to earth must be installed spliced copper cable using and controlled in accordance with its function and adhesion.

See also "general preparation and application instructions" sheet.

2. Application

Prior to mixing, the temperature of the components must be between 15 - 25°C. Stir the components thoroughly and mix in the correct ratio using a suitable low speed electric mixer (300 - 400 rpm) for at least minutes or until a completely homogeneous mixture has achieved. Put the mixed material into a clean container and mix again for at least 1 minute more. Distribute the mixture immediately onto the surface. To apply use a notched trowel (rubber or metal). Spread AB-POX 460 ESD as an even coat to ensure a uniform thickness. The freshly applied coating must be immediately finished off with a spiked roller (one direction only). If a thin / roller applied coating is required, use a notched rake to spread the material evenly and finish it off with a suitable roller. Prior to, during and after the application the temperature of the substrate must be at least +3°C above the current dew point temperature.

3. System description

The following figures are for ambient and surface temperatures of 15 - 23°C.

Primer:

AB-POX 002, clear

Consumption: approx. $0.3 - 0.5 \text{ kg/m}^2$, lightly sprinkle with clean, dry quartz sand \emptyset 0.4 - 0.8 mm (approx. 0.5 kg/m²).

Levelling coat:

AB-POX 002 + quartz sand

Consumption: approx. 0.8 - 1.2 kg/m² resin plus quartz sand, **no** quartz sand to be sprinkled on the surface.

N/B: To achieve a premium surface and maximum conductivity, the levelling coat must be applied to the highest standards!

Connection to earth:

Must be installed and controlled by a qualified electrician (within a radius of approx. 10 m).

Conductive coating:

AB-ZEROPOX 860 LS. black

Consumption: 0.1 - max. 0.13 kg/m².

Self-levelling coating:

AB-POX 460 ESD, window grey Consumption: 1.2 - 1.5 kg/m².

N/B:

UV radiation cause discolouration.

4. Renovation / re-coating

The coating must be tested in accordance with the expected wear and tear, and then prepared by grinding and wet cleaning.

After the surface preparation apply a coat of AB-ZEROPOX 860 LS and AB-POX 460 ESD.

5. Cleaning

To clean the surface (manual or by machine) use only neutral or slightly alkaline (pH < 10) cleaning agents without preservation additives that will create a film. We highly recommend that you contact a specialist cleaning contractor.

6. Chemical resistance

Acetic acid 5 % resistant Ammonia 5 % resistant Citric acid < 10 % resistant Diesel fuel resistant Distilled water resistant Formaldehyde 37 % resistant Hydrochloric acid 5 % resistant Methylene chloride not resistant Nitric acid 5 % resistant Petrol / Super resistant Phosphoric acid 5 % resistant Saline solution resistant Sodium lye 50 % resistant Sulphuric acid 5 % short-term **Xylene** resistant

Tested for 3 days at 20°C; whether discolouration did occur was not considered. If the condition of the coating has been compromised by chemical spill, a negative effect on its conductivity is possible.

7. Packaging

25 kg - sets

20 kg component A 5 kg component B

8. Health and safety GISCODE: RE30

Avoid inhalation of the vapours and contact with skin. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye / face protection. Adequate ventilation of the working area is recommended. After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water and soap. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. When using do not eat, drink, smoke and keep away from sources of ignition. For additional references to safety-hazard warnings, regulations regarding the transport and waste management please refer to the relevant Safety Data Sheet.

9. EU Directive ("Decopaint-RL"):

Acc. to the EU Directive 2004/42/EG the maximum allowed content of VOC (Product category All / j / type SB) is 500 g/l (Limit 2010) for the ready to use product. This product is in accordance with the EU Directive 2010.

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