TT30 Exterior Acrylic Gloss Finish

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

Product Description

TT30 is a single pack, acrylic topcoat, suitable for aerospace applications. If required, TT30 can be removed using a suitable paint remover without detriment to the underlying primer.

- Quick drying
- Applicable directly to epoxy primed surfaces
- Designed for use on exterior surfaces of aircraft
- Suitable for use as touch up for damaged areas of aircraft paint systems
- Available in a wide range of colours

Components

Mix Ratio (by volume)

- Base: TT30 1 part
- Thinner: T142 (general use) 1 part (approx.)
  or
- Thinner: T615 (Def Stan specified thinner) 1 part (approx.)

Specifications

TT30 is qualified to:

- Def Stan 80-214

Product Compatibility

TT30 is compatible with the following primer specification:

- BS 2X33A+B

Note: PPG Aerospace recommends you check the most recent specification QPLs for updated information.

Surface Preparation and Pretreatment

Ensure surface to be coated is clean, dry and intact using a high performance solvent cleaner. DeSoto® CN20 or Desoclean™ 45 solvent cleaners are recommended. Observe recommended overcoating windows for primers.
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**Instructions for Use**

Thoroughly stir or shake the base to ensure all components are adequately dispersed. Add the required volume of appropriate recommended thinner type to the base and stir thoroughly. The amount of thinner may be varied to suit local conditions and equipment.

*Note: All products and components should be placed in ambient conditions of 15 - 30°C (59 - 86°F) for at least 24 hours prior to mixing and application.*

**Induction Time:**
Not Required

**Viscosity:** (thinned ready for use 23°C/73°F)

- AFNOR4: 15 - 24 seconds
- BSB3: 26 - 43 seconds
- BSB4: 15 - 25 seconds
- FORD4: 12 - 21 seconds
- ISO4: 18 - 43 seconds
- ZAHN2: 16 - 28 seconds

*Note: Viscosities quoted are typical ranges obtained when using specified mix ratio.*

**Pot Life:**
Not Applicable

**Application Guidelines**

**Recommended Application Conditions:**

- Temperature: 10 - 35°C (50 - 95°F)
- Relative Humidity: 20 - 85%

**Application:**

Apply 2 double track coats to achieve the recommended dry film thickness of 20 - 30 µm allowing a minimum of 15 minutes between coats.

**Theoretical Coverage:** (ready for use)

- 4 m²/Lt @ 25 µm dry film thickness
- 160 ft²/US gal @ 1.0 mil dry film thickness
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**Recommended Dry Film Thickness:**
20 - 30 µm
0.8 - 1.2 mil

**Dry Film Density:**
Black: 1.17 g/cm³  (9.77 lbs/US gal)
White: 1.50 g/cm³  (12.5 lbs/US gal)

**Dry Film Weight:**
29 - 38 g/m² @ 25 µm dry film thickness
0.006 - 0.008 lbs/ft² @ 1.0 mil dry film thickness

*Note: These application guidelines represent PPG’s best advice for usage in standard conditions. Some parameters will be influenced by environmental conditions, equipment settings, and other variables.*

**Equipment:**

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<td>Conventional Air Spray</td>
<td>1.5mm</td>
<td>40 to 60 psi (2.7 to 4.1 bar)</td>
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TT30 can also be brush applied (no thinner required)

**Equipment Cleaning:**
Clean spray equipment before use and as soon as possible after use. DeSoto® CN20 or Desoclean 45™ solvent cleaners are recommended.

**Physical Properties**

**Colour:**
Wide range of colours available

**Gloss:**
> = 45 units with a 60° gloss meter
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**Drying Times:**

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<td>Dry to Overcoat</td>
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<td>Full Cure</td>
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*Note: Drying times listed above are dependent upon film thickness applied, air flow conditions and application technique.*

**Flash Off Time:**

15 - 30 minutes prior to force dry.

**VOC: (ASTM)**

- Mixed (1:1 by volume mix): 775 - 785 g/Lt
- TT30 Base Component: 670 - 680 g/Lt
- T142 Thinner: 890 g/Lt
- T615 Thinner: 875 g/Lt

**Flash Point:**

- TT30 Base Component: -18°C (-0.4°F)
- T142 Thinner: 4°C (39°F)
- T615 Thinner: -4°C (25°F)

**Shelf Life:**

- TT30 Base Component: 24 months in original unopened container
- T142 Thinner: 24 months in original unopened container
- T615 Thinner: 24 months in original unopened container

*Note: Shelf life may vary due to OEM specification requirements. Refer to container label for specific shelf life information.*

*Note: The application and performance property values above are typical for the material, but not intended for use in specifications or for acceptance inspection criteria because of variations in testing methods, conditions and configurations.*

**Storage Recommendations**

Inspect the condition of the container to ensure compliance. The material should be stored at temperatures between 5°C to 35°C (41°F to 95°F) to ensure shelf life.

*Note: When procuring to a qualified material specification, follow those storage instructions.*
**Health Precautions**

This product is safe to use and apply when recommended precautions are followed. Before using this product, read and understand the Safety Data Sheet (SDS), which provides information on health, physical and environmental hazards, handling precautions and first aid recommendations. An SDS is available on request. Avoid overexposure. Obtain medical care in case of extreme overexposure.

**For industrial use only. Keep away from children.**

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