DeSoto® 528X310 Conductive Coating

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

Product Description

DeSoto® 528X310 Conductive Coating is a conventional solids, carbon filled, epoxy coating with controlled conductive properties. 528X310 is used to obtain high surface conductivity on non-conductive composite substrates.

- Compatible with Desothane® HS topcoats
- Excellent adhesion to composite surfaces
- Excellent fluid resistance
- Compatible with all non-electrostatic spray equipment
- Resistivity of 0.1 to 100,000 ohms per square
- Can be applied in a wide range of conditions
- Service temperature -54°C to 177°C (-65°F to 350°F)

Components

Mix ratio (by volume):
- 528X310 (base component) 1 part
- 910X464 (activator component) 1 part

Specifications

528X310 primer is qualified to:
- 299-947-142
- BAMS 565-12 Type III
- BMS 10-21 Type III
- CMFS033 Type III
- CMS-CT-233 Type II
- HMBS-29-007
- HMS 15-1141
- HS 16469 Type III
- MM1260
- SMS 111207 Type 8
- STM0875 Type I
- HMBS-29-007

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

Product Compatibility:

528X310 is compatible with the following topcoat specifications:
- BAMS 565-009 Type II
- BMS 10-60 Type I & Type II
- BMS 10-72 Type VIII
- BMS 10-125 Type III
- DPM 6456
- DPM 6546
- MEP 10-069
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Surface Preparation and Pretreatments

DeSoto® 528X310 Conductive Coating can be applied over clean, dry, intact composite surfaces.

Instructions for Use

Mixing Instructions:
Prior to mixing, thoroughly shake the base component. Add the activator to the base component and stir well, maintain constant agitation for 10 minutes to ensure proper mixing.

Note: It is important to condition the paint for 24 hours prior to mixing by placing all materials in the shop or hangar, with ambient temperatures between 13° and 35°C (55° to 95°F). The minimum temperature of the paint components should be 13°C (55°F) prior to mixing.

Induction Time:
Not Required

Viscosity: (23°C/73°F)

- #1 Signature Zahn cup: 30 to 40 seconds
- #2 Signature Zahn cup: 15 to 20 seconds
- #4 Ford cup: 10 to 15 seconds
- ISO 3mm cup: 31 to 50 seconds
- ISO 4mm cup: 15 to 22 seconds
- BSB3 cup: 24 to 30 seconds
- BSB4 cup: 14 to 17 seconds
- AFNOR #2.5 cup: 41 to 56 seconds
- AFNOR #4 cup: 13 to 16 seconds

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

Pot Life:
4 hours @ 21 - 25°C (70 - 77°F)
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Application Guidelines

Recommended Application conditions:

Temperature                                   15 - 30°C (59 - 86°F)
Relative Humidity                            20 - 90%

Application:

Ground the aircraft and the application equipment before priming. Stir the coating slowly during the application. The suggested film thickness is 15 to 25 microns (0.6 to 1.0 mils). This can be accomplished with one medium coat with a 50% overlap.

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

Theoretical Coverage:

6.6 square meters/liter at 25 microns dry film (267 square feet/gallon at 1 mil dry film)

Recommended dry film thickness; 15 to 25 microns (0.6 to 1.0 mils)

Dry Film Density:

1.36 grams/cubic centimeter (11.33 pounds/gallon)

Dry Film Weight:

39 grams/square meter at 25 microns dry film (0.00804 pounds/square feet at 1 mil dry film)

Equipment:

528X310 primer is compatible with all forms of current conventional and HVLP spray equipment.

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<th>Equipment Type</th>
<th>Tip Size</th>
<th>Pot Pressure</th>
<th>Atomization Pressure at the Cap</th>
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<td>High Volume Low Pressure Spray Gun (HVLP)</td>
<td>1.0 mm to 1.4 mm</td>
<td>10 to 20 psi (0.69 to 1.4 bar)</td>
<td>10 psi maximum (0.69 bar)</td>
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<td>Conventional Air Spray Gun</td>
<td>1.2 mm to 1.8 mm</td>
<td>10 to 20 psi (0.69 to 1.4 bar)</td>
<td>45 to 60 psi (3.1 to 4.1 bar)</td>
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Equipment Cleaning:
Clean spray equipment as soon as possible after use. Flush spray equipment with DeSoto® CN20, DeSoto® CN44, or Desoclean™ 45 high performance solvent cleaner.

Physical Properties (product)

Color: Black

Gloss: Not Applicable

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<th>Dry Times</th>
<th>13 - 21°C (55 - 70°F)</th>
<th>22 - 28°C (71 - 84°F)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Dust Free</td>
<td>25 minutes</td>
<td>15 minutes</td>
<td>10 minutes</td>
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<td>Tack Free</td>
<td>2 ½ hours</td>
<td>2 hours</td>
<td>1 ½ hours</td>
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<td>Dry Through</td>
<td>5 hours</td>
<td>4 hours</td>
<td>3 hours</td>
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<td>Dry Overcoat</td>
<td>4 - 24 hours</td>
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<td>Full Cure</td>
<td>7 days</td>
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Accelerated cure for dry hard:
Allow 15 minutes flash off at 24°C ± 3°C (75°F ± 10°F) followed by 30 - 45 minutes at 60°C (140°F)

VOC:
Mixed, ready for use VOC (EPA method 24) 700 grams/liter
Base Component 611 grams/liter
Activator Component 791 grams/liter

Flash point closed cup:
Base Component -6°C (22°F)
Activator Component -6°C (22°F)
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Shelf Life:
12 months from date of manufacture to most OEM material specifications. Consult the specification to verify shelf life requirements.
24 months from date of manufacture for PRC-DeSoto Standard.

*Note:* The coating shelf life is provided for original, unopened containers.

*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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