

Technical Data Sheet 1/26/2012

DFense Blok™ Surface Wetting Agent

Description:

Thixotropic epoxy gel system that improves ease of application and cured adhesion properties (shear, peel, impact) of Devcon® DFense Blokï abrasion resistant product.

Intended Use:

Apply to substrate surface prior to using DFense Bloki for better adhesion.

Product features:

Requires no waiting to apply topcoat Excellent chemical resistance Non-sagging

Limitations:

Recommended minimum application thickness of 0.01"

Typical Physical Properties: Technical data should be considered representative or typical only and should not be used for specification purposes.

Cured 7 days @ 75°F

Adhesive Tensile Shear 2,616 psi Color Orange Compresive Strength 5,032 psi **Cured Hardness** 71 Shore D Flexural Strength 6,700 psi Solids by Volume 100 % Specific Volume 24.7 in(3)/lb **Temperature Resistance** 300 °F

Uncured

Coverage 1860 sq in / lb @ 12 mil Full Cure 16 hours

Functional Cure 4-5 hours @ 72°F

Mix Ratio by Volume 2:1
Mix Ratio by Weight 100:44

Mixed Density 9.2 lbs/gallon, 1.1 g/cc
Mixed Viscosity Thixotropic Gel
Pot Life, 1 lb 12-15 minues @ 72°F

Topcoat Application Time 0-45 minutes

TESTS CONDUCTED

Cured Hardness Shore D ASTM D 2240 Compressive Strength ASTM D 695 Flexural Strength ASTM D 790 Adhesive Tensile Shear ASTM D 1002

Surface Preparation:

- 1. Thoroughly clean the surface with Devcon® Cleaner Blend 300 to remove all oil, grease and dirt.
- 2. Grit blast surface area with 8-40 mesh grit, or grind with a coarse wheel or abrasive disc pad, to create increased surface area for better adhesion (Caution: An abrasive disc pad can only be used provided white metal is revealed). Desired profile is 3-5mil, including defined edges (do not "feather-edge+epoxy).

Note: For metals exposed to sea water or other salt solution, grit-blast and high-pressure-water-blast the area, then leave overnight to allow any salts in the metal to \(\) \(\) \(\) \(\) waveat+to the surface. Repeat blasting to \(\) \(\) \(\) \(\) waveat out+all soluble salts. Perform chloride contamination test to determine soluble salt content (should be no more than 40ppm).

- Clean surface again with Devcon® Cleaner Blend 300 to remove all traces of oil, grease, dust or other foreign substances from the grit blasting.
- 4. Repair surface as soon as possible to eliminate any changes or surface contaminants.

WORKING CONDITIONS: Ideal application temperature is 55°F to 90°F. In cold working conditions, directly heat repair area to100-110°F prior to applying epoxy and maintain at this temperature during product cure to dry off any moisture, contamination or solvents, as well as to achieve maximum performance properties.

Mixing Instructions:

- ---- It is strongly recommended that full units be mixed, as ratios are pre-measured. ----
- 1. Add hardener to resin.
- 2. Mix thoroughly with screwdriver or similar tool (continuously scrape material away from sides and bottom of container)

until a uniform, streak-free consistency is obtained.

INTERMEDIATE SIZES (1,2,3 lb. units): Place resin and hardener on a flat, disposable surface such as cardboard, plywood or plastic sheet. Use a trowel or wide-blade tool to mix the material as in Step 2 above.

LARGE SIZES: (25 lb., 30 lb., 50 lb. buckets): Use a T-shaped mixing paddle or a propeller-type Jiffy Mixer Model ES on an electric drill. Thoroughly fold putty by vigorously moving paddle/propeller up and down until a homogenous mix of resin and hardener is attained.

Application Instructions:

- Add hardener to resin and mix thoroughly until colors blend and become uniform, approximately 3 minutes.
- Apply the mixture to surface with spatula, trowel, etc.
- Apply at a thickness of 0.01" to 0.02".
- Apply topcoat of Dfense Bloki within 0 45 minutes of mixing/applying Dfense Bloki Surface Wetting Agent. Should this window be exceeded and the Dfense Bloki Surface Wetting Agent becomes firm, a recoat with fresh Dfense Bloki Surface Wetting Agent is recommended.

Storage:

Store at room temperature, 70 °F.

Compliances:

None

Chemical Resistance: Chemical resistance is calculated with a 7 day, room temp. cure (30 days immersion) @ 75°F)

Gasoline (Unleaded)	Fair
Hydrochloric 10%	Very good
Mineral Spirits	Excellent
Sodium Hydroxide 50%	Excellent
Sulfuric 10%	Verv good

Precautions:

Please refer to the appropriate material safety data sheet (MSDS) prior to using this product.

For technical assistance, please call 1-800-933-8266

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Warranty:

Devcon will replace any material found to be defective. Because the storage, handling and application of this material is beyond our control, we can accept no liability for the results obtained.

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