

# AMBER GUARD COAL TAR EPOXY

<b>PRODUCT DESCRIPTION</b> A two pack polyamide cured general purpose high build coal tar epoxy, having relatively long pot life at elevated temperatures. It is suitable for coating on steel and concrete structures and has very good corrosion resistance. It is also resistant to chemically polluted water. It has good abrasion resistance and good adhesion.
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KECOMINIENDED USES	It is suitable for many critical applications like underwater areas,
	cargo tanks, bilges, sewage disposal plants, tidal, splash zones,
	for long life protection of steel and concrete structures.

# TECHNICAL DATA

COLOUR, DRY FILM	Black & Brown
FINISH, DRY FILM	Smooth / Semi-gloss
<b>VOLUME SOLIDS (ASTM D2697)</b>	$72 \pm 2\%$
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	$1.30 \pm 0.05$ (of mix)
THEORETICAL SPREADING	7.2 – 3.6 M2 /LTR
<b>RECOMMENDED DFT (DRY FILM)</b>	100 – 200 Microns/Coat
<b>RECOMMENDED WFT (WET FILM)</b>	140 – 278 Microns/Coat
FLASH POINT	> 25°C
FLEXIBILITY	Good
CHEMICAL RESISTANCE	Good (slight discolouration may be possible)
WATER RESISTANCE	Excellent
ABRASION RESISTANCE	Good
CORROSION RESISTANCE	Good





#### **DRYING TIME**

Drying time @ 30°C (Temperature, humidity, air movement, film thickness and number of coatsall affect the drying time).

TOUCH DRY	7 hours
DRY TO RECOAT / OVERCOAT	12 hours (minimum) – 48 hours (maximum)
FULLY CURED	7 days

# **ADVANTAGES**

AMBER GUARD COAL TAR EPOXY	The fully cured film is highly resistant to crude oil, sea water, fuel oil. It has excellent adhesion and good abrasion resistance properties, very good corrosion resistance.
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# **APPLICATION INSTRUCTION**

SURFACE PREPARATION	All surfaces should be clean, dry and free from contamination. For bare steel abrasive blast cleaning to Sa3 is recommended. Power tool cleaning for small area preparation, maybe acceptable to St. 2, depending on exposure conditions. Clean, dry and undamaged
	shop primed surfaces are necessary requirements to apply over shop primed metal. For coated surfaces, clean, dry and undamaged compatible primer coat is necessary for further painting.

# **APPLICATION DATA**

APPLICATION METHOD	Airless Spray	Brush (touch-up)
CLEANING/THINNING	Amber Epoxy Thinner (thir components)	nner should only be added after mixing
THINNER (VOLUME)	5-10%	10%
AIRLESS SPRAY REQUIREMENTS	2200 psi	
NOZZLE SIZE	0.020" – 0.025"	
MIXING RATIO (BY VOLUME)	Base : Hardener	
	4:1 (Mix thoroughly, keep	p for $10 - 15$ minutes before use)
POT LIFE @ 30°C (100 ml)	6 hours (reduced at higher t	emperature)
	Note: Material may gel at e	elevated temperature.





# **SYSTEM**

#### **RECOMMENDED SYSTEM**

To be applied on prepared surface. Application temperature and surface temperature between 8°C-35°C, moisture less than 4%, mix the material in the required ratio at the time of application.

No. of Coats x DFT (Microns)	
Amber Guard Coal Tar Epoxy2 x 150	
(To be applied on suitably primed surface)	

# **ADDITIONAL DATA**

SHELF LIFE @ 30°C18 months, in original sealed container, with proper stor conditions.	age
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# HEALTH & SAFETY

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS	As a genetral rule, avoid skin and eye contact by wearing overalls, glove, goggles, and mask etc. Spillage on skin should immediately be removed by thorough washing with water and soap or suitable cleaner. Eye should be flushed with fresh water. Avoid inhalation of vapours and paint mist by wearing suitable mask. In the event of ingestion and eye contact, seek medical attention immediately. Painting must be carried out in well ventilated area. This product contains flammable materials and should be kept away from the sparks and open flames, smoking in the area should not be permitted. Local safety regulations should be followed.
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# **STORAGE & HANDLING**

	Store the paint in proper storage conditions as per the local
	regulations. Keep the paint container in sealed condition under
	shed, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Do not
STODACE	stock paint material near to any ignition sources. Do not put back
STORAGE	the half or unused material back in original container, containing
	the supplied paint, to avoid contamination. Handle with care. Stir
	well before use.

