



Transpoxy Finish 460

Product description.

A epoxy topcoat for interior and exterior use. Good resistance against weathering and the spillage of solvents, lubricants and chemicals. Transpoxy Finish cures to a tough and flexible coating and provides excellent adhesion to Transpoxy priming systems. When combined with Transpoxy Barrier, Transpoxy Finish has low spread of flame properties and is certified to comply with MED-Module B in the Directive 2009/26/EC and SOLAS 74, Reg. II-2/3, II-2/5, II-2/6, II-2/9 & X/3, IMO MSC/Circ. 1120, 2000 HSC Code 7 and IMO FTP Code.

Physical properties.

Product code 4.60

Colour Black, Grey, White, Transocean Colourshades, Other colours upon request

Texture Gloss
Volume Solids Approx. 60%
Specific gravity Approx. 1.4 g/ml
VOC Approx. 375 g/liter

Flashpoint Both base and hardener > 25°C

Usage data

Mixing ratio By volume, base to hardener: 75:25

Curing Times Substrate temperature

	10°C	23°C	30°C
Touch dry	12 Hours	4 Hours	2 Hours
Dry to handle	30 Hours	16 Hours	12 Hours
Full cure	7 Days	5 Days	3 Days
Potlife	16 Hours	8 Hours	4 Hours

Drying and curing times are determined under controlled temperatures and relative humidity below 85 %, and at average of the DFT range for the product and should be considered as guidelines only.

The actual drying time/times may be shorter or longer, depending on film thickness, temperature, ventilation, humidity, preceding paint system etc.

Recoating intervals - see application section

Substrate temperature

	10	0°C	23	3°C	3	0°C
Recoated with	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Single pack products	-	-	-	-	-	-
2-pack products	24 Hours	Indefinite	16 Hours	Indefinite	12 Hours	Indefinite

Recoating information is given for guidance only and subject to local climate and environmental conditions. Consult your local Transocean representative for specific recommendation.

As a general rule, the best intercoat adhesion is achieved when the subsequent coat is applied before the preceding coat has been fully cured. After prolonged exposure times it may be necessary to roughen the surface to ensure intercoat adhesion.

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Surface Preparation.

Coated substrates

All surfaces should be clean, dry and free from contamination. Surfaces should be treated in accordance with ISO 8504:2000. Ensure compatibility of the coated substrates with the selected paint system. If the remaining part of the existing coating system needs to be sweep-blasted, fine abrasive shall be used to avoid damage to the coating system.

When recoating aged coated substrates, damaged areas must be removed back to a firm edge. Light abrade or sweep-blast the surface in order to provide a physical key for adhesion.

When recoating zinc primed products, ensure the primer has been fully cured. Zinc salts products shall be removed by high pressure fresh water cleaning.

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Application.

Mixing

The product is supplied in 2 containers as a unit. Always mix a complete unit in the proportions supplied. Do not mix more material than can be used within the specified pot life.

- Stir the base (Part A) with a clean mechanical mixer.
- Then add the entire contents of Curing Agent (Part B) and mix thoroughly.

Avoid too vigorous mixing as it leads to in air inclusion, which may result in poor application results. If thinner is required, only add after mixing of the two components.

Irrespective of the substrate temperature, the advised minimum temperature of the mixed paint is 15 °C. At lower temperatures, more thinner may be required to obtain a proper application viscosity, which may result in lower sag resistance and slower curing.

Conditions

The temperature of the substrate should be at least 10°C and at least 3°C above the dew point of the air.

Temperature and relative humidity should be measured in the vicinity of the substrate.

In general, the maximum recommended surface temperature is 40°C. Higher steel temperatures are acceptable provided dryspray is avoided by proper spray application and extra thinning if required. In extreme cases it may be necessary to reduce film thickness in order to avoid sagging.

When applying the paint in confined spaces, provide adequate ventilation during application and drying. Observe local regulations. Please contact your local Transocean representative for a specific recommendation.

Methods

Guiding data Airless spray	Pressure at nozzle	120 - 180 bar 0.38 - 0.53 mm 40 - 80 degrees 0 - 3%		
	Nozzle size			
	Spray angle			
	Volume of thinner			

Guiding data AirsprayPressure3 - 5 barNozzle size1.2 - 2.0 mm

Volume of thinner 0 - 5%

Brush / Roller Suitable. Volume of thinner: 0 - 5%.

Thinner Transocean Epoxy Thinner 6.03

If thinning is necessary, this should be added after mixing of the two components. The recommended level of thinner is dependent on thickness and conditions. In certain

circumstances, it may be required to exceed the stated level of thinner.

However, as a general rule do avoid excessive thinning as it will result in lower sag resistance and slower cure. In addition it may cause solvent entrapment, possibly risking

blistering, pinholing and/or other coating defects.

Cleaner Transocean Epoxy Thinner 6.03

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Film thickness.

The paint must be applied as a continuous layer and as close to the specified wet film thickness as possible. Use a wet film thickness gauge to verify that the correct wet film thickness is applied.

Over application, excessive thinning, wrong application techniques etc. may lead to runs and sagging of the paint. When the paint is still wet, such effects can be rectified by brushing out the defected areas.

When the defect is noticed after curing of the paint, repair the affected areas by disc sanding to an even smooth surface and apply an additional coat of paint.

Stripe Coating.

Stripe coating may be required to achieve the specified film thickness on specific areas such as edges, corners, weld seams etc. Use a round brush and ensure proper wetting of all areas. Avoid excessive application as it will lead to brush marks and may also result in air entrapment, which is detrimental to the paint's performance.

Additional usage instructions

Note to metallic colourshades.

The appearance of metallic colourshades in general will be dependent on application method, conditions, thickness, substrate type etc. For this reason, metallic shades cannot be made exactly according to colour code standards such as RAL, BS. For more information, contact your local Transocean representative please.

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Additional Product information

Storage and shelf life

The product must be stored in accordance with national regulations. The cans are to be kept in a dry, cool, well ventilated space and away from source of heat and ignition. Cans must be kept tightly closed and kept in original containers until required for use.

Partly used containers should be re-sealed securely and stored according to the recommended manner. (See section 7 of relevant MSDS).

Health and safety

Observe the precautionary notices on the label of the container. A material safety data sheet is available upon request and national or local safety regulations should be followed. This product is intended for use by professional applicators.

As a general rule, avoid skin- and eye contact by wearing overalls, gloves, goggles, mask, etc. Spraying should be carried out under well-ventilated conditions. This product contains flammable materials and should be kept away from sparks and open flames. Smoking in the area should not be permitted. Avoid the inhalation of vapours and particulates by the provisions of good natural ventilation sufficient to keep air-borne concentrations below the Occupational Exposure Standards during the application and drying of paint films.

In operations where natural ventilation is insufficient to achieve this - e.g. painting work in enclosed areas - exposure should be controlled by the use of local exhaust ventilation. When this is not reasonably practicable, suitable respiratory protective equipment must be worn. For spray application or when OES's are likely to be exceeded, use the respiratory equipment as recommended in for instance BS4275:1974. This specification gives advice on selection, use and maintenance of various types of breathing apparatus. Protect other persons in the area.

Disclaimer

The information in this data sheet is provided to the best of our knowledge. However, we have no control over either quality or condition of the substrate and other factors affecting the use and application of this product. Therefore, we cannot accept any liability whatsoever or howsoever arising from the performance of the product or for any loss or damage arising from the use of this product. Users should first carry out their own trials to ascertain the suitability of the product for their intended purpose.

This Data Sheet supersedes all previous Data Sheets supplied to you relating to this product. It contains important information which must be communicated to the user. The user must satisfy himself of the suitability of the product for the intended application and surface, as surface and application conditions are beyond our control. The user must also satisfy himself of the suitability of the product in circumstances other that those set out in this data sheet. The user should also maintain appropriate control procedures. Should further information be required, please contact our Technical Department.

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