

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Inertol[®] Poxitar[®]

2 component, heavy duty, coal tar based epoxy coating for steel and concrete

DESCRIPTION

2-component reaction hardening coating of low solvent content based on a coal tar epoxy combination with mineral fillers.

USES

Protective coat for concrete and steel, as internal and external coating for buried and submerged structures e.g. sewage systems, chemical industries, harbour facilities etc. Also suitable where application on to damp concrete is inevitable. (The marked line should be removed)

Not suitable for surfaces in contact with drinking water.

FEATURES

After complete curing Inertol[®] Poxitar[®] is :

- Tough hard, heavy duty
- Abrasion and impact resistant
- Excellent resistance to water and chemicals
- Resistant to microbes

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Coal Tar based Epoxy Modified
Packaging	Part A: 0.8 kg x 2 containers Part B: 4.2 kg x 2 containers Part A+B: 5.0 kg x 2 ready to use units
Appearance and colour	Part A: light yellow liquid Part B: black liquid Part A+B: black liquid
Shelf life	12 months from date of production
Storage conditions	The product must be stored in original, unopened and undamaged sealed packaging in dry conditions at temperatures between +5 °C and +35 °C.
Density	~ 1.50 kg/l All density values at +27°C.
Solid content by mass	~ 77 %

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Chemical resistance	Test medium	Temp.	24 h	3 d	7 d	90 d
	Sea Water (5% NaCl in aqueous solution)	30°C	A	A	A	A
	Water	30°C	A	A	A	A
	Nitric acid 10%	30°C	A	A	A	D
	Hydrochloric acid 10%	30°C	A	A	A	D
	Sulphuric acid 10%	30°C	A	A	A	D
	Diesel	30°C	A	A	A	A

*acc. IS 4631-1968

A = resistant, D = resistant but with discolouration and/or loss of gloss, C = not resistant

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Mixing ratio Part A : Part B = 16 : 84 (by weight)

Consumption	Concrete:		
	Coating System	Product	Consumption
	Primer	1 x Inertol® Poxitar® + 5 % Sika® Thinner DS	~ 0.15 – 0.20 kg/m ²
	Seal coat	1 - 2 x Inertol® Poxitar®	~ 0.20 - 0.30 kg/m ² per coat

Consumption	Steel:	
	Coating System	Product
	Primer	1 x Fraizinc® R (recommended for heavy mechanical exposure area)
	Seal coat	1 - 2 x Inertol® Poxitar®

These figures are theoretical and do not allow for any additional material due to surface porosity, surface profile, variations in level and wastage etc.

Ambient air temperature +10°C min. / +30 °C max.

Relative air humidity 75% r.h. max.

Dew point	Beware of condensation! The substrate must be at least 3°C above the Dew Point to reduce the risk of condensation, which may lead to adhesion failure of final finish. Be aware that the substrate temperature may be lower than the ambient temperature		
Substrate temperature	+10°C min. / +30 °C max.		
Substrate moisture content	< 4% moisture content. Test method: Sika®-Tramex meter, CM - measurement or Oven-dry-method. No rising moisture according to ASTM (Polyethylene-sheet).		
Pot Life	5 kg mass		
	Temperature	Time	
	+30°C	~2 hours	
Curing time	Substrate temperature	Substrate temperature	
	+30°C	7 days	
	Note: Times are approximate and will be affected by changing ambient conditions		
Waiting time to overcoating	Substrate temperature	Minimum	Maximum
	+10°C	16 hours	7 days
	+20°C	8 hours	7 days
	+30°C	4 hours	7 days

SYSTEM INFORMATION

Systems

Concrete:

Primer:	1 x Inertol® Poxitar®+ 5 % Sika® Thinner DS
Seal coat:	1 - 2 x Inertol® Poxitar®

Steel:

Primer:	1 x Fraizinc® R (recommended for heavy mechanical exposure area)
Seal coat:	1 - 2 x Inertol® Poxitar®

* For the application onto gypsum plaster boards, please refer to 'Notes on Application / Limitations'.

BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA

All technical data stated in this Product Data Sheet are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

Inertol® Poxitar® is not recommended to apply in confined area without proper ventilation & safety equipment.

If any customer wants to apply this coating under this type of environment, then customer has to get the clearance from own health & safety department. Applicator has to wear proper safety uniform & must use oxygen cylinder with proper breathing attachment before entering into that area. Avoid staying for longer time during application, must take rest at interval.

Whole application has to be done under proper supervision.

ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY

For information and advice on the safe handling, storage and disposal of chemical products, users shall refer to the most recent Safety Data Sheet (SDS) containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

For steel sand blasting or wire brushing is essential. Should be free from oil, dirt and grease. For concrete remove cement skin, loose particles etc. Cavities, pin holes should be levelled

MIXING

Inertol® Poxitar® is supplied in two parts. Stir Part B thoroughly to remix any settle part, add Component A and mix thoroughly with an electric stirrer with up and down movements for 3 minutes.

APPLICATION

Priming:

Using Friazinc® R for priming has the advantage that no under rusting occurs in case of damage to the top coat.

Application Method / Tools:

Brush application: With distemper brushes, round brushes or radiator brushes.

Roller application: With short pile lamb skin roller

CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT

Wash tools with Sika® Colma Cleaner immediately after use. Hardened material can only be removed mechanically.

LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Please note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data for this product may vary from country to country. Please consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact product data.

LEGAL NOTES

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