



NSP SPECIALTY PRODUCTS

Technical Data Sheet

NSP 912 Polyastomer

Description: NSP 912 Polyastomer is a flexible, 100% solids, elastomeric epoxy that was specifically formulated to provide protection from water, chemicals and abrasion on surfaces that may be subjected movement or vibration. With proper surface preparation and application, this coating will bridge hairline cracks on concrete surfaces and withstand stress without cracking or disbonding.

Intended

Uses: Secondary containment membranes, joint sealants, mechanical equipment pads, stairs, decks, amusement park rides, reflecting pools

Product

Features: Easy one to one mix ratio
Low odor – 100% solids, no VOC
High tear resistance and tensile strength
Good chemical and moisture resistance
Application by brush, roller or spray

Physical

Data: Type: Modified Epoxy Resin/Proprietary Blend Amine Adduct Hardener
Color: Light Gray, White, Black, Tile Red – other colors available upon request
Components: Two
Gloss: High
Mixed Ratio: 1 Part A (Resin): 1 Part B (Hardener) by volume
Volume Solids: 100% - VOC 0 lbs/gal
Pot Life @ 77F/25C: 45 minutes
Maximum Recommended Service Temperature: Dry Air 200F/93C
Application Temperatures: 50-90F (10-32C)
Minimum Recoat Time @ 77F/25C: 6 hours
Maximum Recoat Time @ 77F/25C: 48 hours
Sag @ 77F/25C: 10 mils
Minimum Cure Time – Full Service @ 77F/25C: 48 hours
Theoretical Coverage: 1604 sq/ft/gal/mil – Allow for loss factor
Thinner: Not recommended
Elongation: 20-25% @ 77F/25C
Packaging: Pre-portioned 2 Gallon, 4 Gallon, 10-Gallon Kit

Limitations: This product may not cure properly in temperatures below 50 F (10 C)
All epoxies will show chalking/yellowing on exterior exposures. Application of epoxy coatings in cool temperatures and high humidity can result in the formation of amine blush. Blush may appear as a milky, white, tacky residue on the surface of the cured coating and must be removed before the application of another coat. Intercoat adhesion problems may occur if blush is not removed.



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Surface

Preparation: Steel – *Immersion Service:* SSPC-SP10 Near White Blast Cleaning with 3.0-mil profile
Non-Immersion Service: SSPC-SP6 Commercial Blast Cleaning with 2.0 mil profile
Concrete – Concrete must be properly cured for a minimum of 28 days before application of coating. Surface must be entirely free of oil, grease, dirt, detergent, surface water, laitance, curing compounds, coatings or other contaminants that may interfere with adhesion. The concrete must be abrasive blasted to provide an anchor pattern (similar to 60-80 grit sandpaper min.) for adhesion. Final prepared surface should be clean and rough. Consult SSPC-SP13 – Surface Preparation of Concrete.

Mixing

Instructions: This is a two-component system. Prior to mixing, components A Resin and B Hardener should be at room temperature (60-75 F/16-24C). Pour Part B Hardener into Part A Resin. Mix for 3 minutes using a Jiffy mixer head and a mechanical drill. To ensure complete mixing, scrape sides and bottom of container and continue mixing for an additional 1 or 2 minutes. Do not mix more material than can be applied within the pot life. DO NOT HAND MIX. Begin application immediately – no induction time.

Application: Air and surface temperature should be between 50-90F/10-32C. Do not begin application if air, substrate or material temperature is below 50 F/10C or expected to fall below 50F/10C within 12 hours of application. Do not begin application if dew point is within 5F/3C of the temperature. Variations in temperature can affect pot life and sag properties of this material. NSP-T1 Thinner will not clean hoses or equipment adequately. Clean up using Acetone or other Ketone Solvent. For concrete surfaces, a primer coat of either NSP 100, 101 and 110 is strongly recommended.

Method of

Application: Brush, Phenolic Core Roller or Airless Spray

Recommended

Equipment: *Airless Spray*
Pump - a minimum of 30:1 - preferred 45:1
Tip Range - .023 to .027
Hose - 3/8" I.D. if less than 50 ft. - greater than 50 ft. use 1/2" (3500 psi High Pressure Spray Hose)
Pressure (in) 90 cfm minimum @100 psi
Pressure at the tip - increase pressure slowly to 2000 psi and fine tune to achieve proper spray pattern. Check condition of fan at spray tip. During the first seconds of spraying, the material will often finger. Raise or lower pressure to adjust width. Periodically check pressure gauges while spraying. Knowing operating pressure will be useful in analyzing any changes to your spray pattern.
Whip – 3'- 5' and 1/4" ID Hose
Take care to prevent mixed material from setting up in hoses. For optimum results, keep hose as short as possible, out of direct sunlight or away from heat. Purge immediately after spraying with Acetone or Ketone solvent. Cured material must be mechanically removed.



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Storage & Shelf Life:

Shelf life is 12 months from the date of manufacture when stored in unopened containers and under recommended conditions. Material should be stored in a dry area under cover at temperatures between 45-95F/7-35C. It is recommended that the coating components be kept inside at a minimum of 60F/16C for 24 hours prior to start of application. Keep away from heat, flame and ignition sources.

Warning & Safety:

FOR INDUSTRIAL USE ONLY – KEEP AWAY FROM CHILDREN

Refer to Material Safety Data Sheet for NSP 912 Part A and B supplied with this product prior to application. MSDS may be obtained via web site at www.nsp-specialty.com, fax 910-235-3902 or by calling 800-248-8907. Use only with adequate ventilation and avoid breathing mist or vapors. Prevent contact with skin and eyes with protective clothing/impervious gloves and goggles. Do not take internally. Wash thoroughly after handling.

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