

EUROKOTE® 480 FC - Data Sheet

DESCRIPTION

EUROKOTE* 480 FC is a two component solvent free epoxy binder, cold applied by brush at high thicknesses. This coating provides good adherence on ferrous metals in a single coat and has excellent compatibility with epoxy coatings. Its very high reactivity means it hardens even at low temperature.

APPLICATION AREAS

EUROKOTE[®] 480 FC is specially designed for on-site applications (repairs, accessories, weld joints, valves and fittings, etc.) for the protection of pipes and accessories in contact with fresh water, sea water, industrial water and waste water.

Maximum service temperature immersed in water: 50°C.

CHARACTERISTICS

Number of components : 2

Colour of dry film : Red brown Appearance of dry film : Gloss

Density at 23°C : Around 1.3 g/ml

Calculated dry solids (by volume) : 100%

NOMINAL DRY FILM THICKNESS

Brush: 1 mm* - Number of coats: 1

THEORETICAL COVERAGE

Brush: 0.8 m²/kg, i.e. 1 m²/l for 1 mm DFT

DRYING TIME (for 1 mm dry film)

	<u>At 10°C</u>	<u>At 20°C</u>	<u>At 40°C</u>	At 50°C
Dust free	2 h 45	1 h 30	1 h	0 h 45
Hard dry	10 h	3 h 30	1 h 45	1 h 15
Fully dry *	7 d	5 d	3 d	2 d

^{*} Depending on the application parameters, the environment and the composition of the systems.

CLEANING SOLVENT

Diluant 011.02

STANDARD PACKAGING

3 kg doses (R+D) in containers.

Please consult us for other types of packaging.

STORAGE

Use by date: For standard packaging, 18 months under shelter at a temperature between + 5°C and + 35°C in the original unopened packaging.



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SURFACE PREPARATION

The substrate should be clean, dry and free of oil or grease.

Scrape, grind or wire brush to a ST3 surface finish as per the ISO 8501-1 Standard or preferably strip by projection of abrasives to a Sa 2.5 surface finish as per the ISO 8501-1 Standard with a roughness (Rz) of between 40 and 100 μ m, then carefully remove dust.

When covering adjacent epoxy coatings, roughen then carefully remove dust.

PRODUCT PREPARATION

EUROKOTE[®] 480 FC is a two component product supplied in separate predosed non divisible packaging. Add part D (hardener) to part R (resin) and mix until completely homogeneous.

MIXING RATIO	BY VOLUME	BY WEIGHT
Epoxy resin (part R)	76%	81%
Hardener (part D)	24%	19%

MATURATION TIME: None

POT LIFE (for 4 kg): At 20°C: 15 min.

STANDARD APPLICATION CONDITIONS

EQUIPMENT AND SETTINGS

Application equipment Flat brush
Pump ratio —
Nozzle —
Air pressure —
Dilution (by weight) Flat brush

Do not dilute

AIR TEMPERATURE/RELATIVE	SUBSTRATE TEMPERATURE	PRODUCT TEMPERATURE
HUMIDITY		

(3°C above the dew point)

Min. T: + 5°C/Min. RH: 5% Min. T: + 10°C Min. T: + 10°C Max. T: + 50°C/Max. RH: 85% Max. T: + 50°C Max. T: + 20°C

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Flash point:: Part R: > 55°C - Part D: > 55°C

Always consult the legal labelling on the packaging and the material safety data sheet before use.

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PROPERTIES OF THE COATING

PHYSICAL

Tests	Standard	Substrate	Thickness	Result
Electrical non porosity at 20°C (5V/μm)	NFA 49-709	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 <i>μ</i> m	No porosity
Sattec adhesion at 20°C	ISO 4624	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 μm	≥ 15 MPa
Shore D hardness at 20°C	ISO 868	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 μm	≈ 70

MECHANICAL

Tests	Standard	Substrate	Thickness	Result
Flexibility at 20°C	NFA 49-709	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 <i>μ</i> m	≥ 1.5%
Tensile strength at 20°C	ISO 1184	Free film	1000 <i>μ</i> m	≈ 20 N/mm ²
Modulus of elasticity at 20°C	ISO 1184	Free film	1000 μm	≈ 350 N/mm ²

CHEMICAL

Tests	Standard	Substrate	Thickness	Result
Immersion in salt water (5% NaCl) for 100	ISO 2812	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 <i>μ</i> m	No alteration
days at 50°C				
Immersion in deionised water for 100 days	ISO 2812	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 <i>μ</i> m	No alteration
at 50°C				
Specific electrical insulation resistance	NFA 49-709	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 <i>μ</i> m	
- after 70 days at 23°C				$> 10^{8} \Omega.m^{2}$
- after 100 days at 23°C				$> 10^8 \Omega.m^2$
- ratio Rs 100 days / Rs 70 days				> 0.7
Cross hatch adhesion at 23°C	NFA 49-709	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 μm	
- before immersion				Class 1
- after immersion for 28 days in water				Class 1
at 20°C				
Cathodic disbondment	NFA 49-709	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 <i>μ</i> m	
after 28 days at 23°C				≤ 8 mm
Salt spray resistance	NFA 49-709	Steel Sa 2.5	1000 μm	No alteration after
				1000 h

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