# PRODUCT INFORMATION

## **COROFLAKE 34**

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

**COROFLAKE 34** is a two-component, vapour diffusion resistant polymer coating filled with C-glass flakes based on a chemically and thermally highly resistant Bisphenol-A vinyl ester resin. The C-glass flakes orientated parallel to the substrate form an excellent diffusion barrier and thus provide a long service life.

#### **COATING BUILD-UP**

The coating consists of the two-component primer **COROFLAKE N PRIMER** and at least two, usually three coats of the two-component topcoat **COROFLAKE 34**, each with a dry film thickness of approx.  $400 - 600 \, \mu m$ , alternating in the colours beige and pink. The total dry film thickness to be applied depends on the existing chemical and thermal stress and can be up to  $2.5 \, mm$ .

#### FIELDS OF APPLICATION

**COROFLAKE 34** is suitable for protection against acids, diluted alkalis and especially hypochlorite solutions. Thanks to its excellent chemical resistance, **COROFLAKE 34** can be used universally in almost all branches of industry.

### **FEATURES**

- High diffusion resistance
- Good chemical resistance to inorganic and organic acids and especially to hypochlorite and sodium hydroxide
- Very good adhesion to steel
- Application by airless-spraying, rolling or brushing

#### **CHEMICAL RESISTANCE**

Requests for chemical resistance can be sent to awt@tiptop-elbe.de.

# **SUBSTRATE**

Substrates are components made of non-ferrous metals, cast materials, unalloyed or austenitic steel. The components must be designed and manufactured in accordance with EN 14879-1. The substrate must remain dry during application.

#### SURFACE PRE-TREATMENT

EN14879-1 and the TIP TOP specification "Corrosion protection of metallic components" must be observed. Unalloyed steel must be blasted to "Near White Metal" in accordance with EN ISO 12944-4. A surface preparation degree of SA  $2\frac{1}{2}$  according EN ISO 8501-1 and a roughness degree "Medium (G)" according EN ISO 8503-2 must be achieved. A minimum roughness depth of Rz  $\geq$  70  $\mu$ m is required. After blasting, the formation of new rust should be prevented by suitable measures (e.g. priming).

## **CLIMATIC CONDITIONS**

During application, direct or indirect sunlight must be avoided and the climatic conditions specified in the application instruction must be observed. To avoid condensation, a dew point difference of at least 3K must be maintained. During application, the materials must never be colder than the ambient temperature at the workplace.

### **MIXING RATIO**

The primer and coating materials are delivered to the construction site in mixing units so that there is no need to weigh or measure the individual components. After mixing a unit, it must be applied within the specified pot life.

Primer	Weight parts	Volume parts
COROFLAKE N PRIMER	100	100
HARDENER No. 1 CLEAR	2	2

Coating / topcoat	Weight parts	Volume parts
COROFLAKE 34	100	100
HARDENER No. 1 CLEAR / RED	2	2.3

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## **APPLICATION METHOD | CONSUMPTION**

Always observe the current application instruction before using the products. During coating work, direct or indirect sunlight must be avoided absolutely. If **COROFLAKE 34** is applied by rolling or brushing, at least the double number of top coats are required to achieve the specified total dry film thickness. Ground surfaces must be generally cleaned with **SOLVENT F12**.

Product	Application	Thickness	Consumption
COROFLAKE N PRIMER	Roll / brush / airless spray	covering	ca. 150 g/m <sup>2</sup>
COROFLAKE 34	Airless spray / roll / brush	400 - 600 μm	ca. 800 - 1000 g/m²

The consumption indicated is an average value. The actual consumption depends on the object geometry and the application method. It can therefore vary.

### **POT LIFE | RECOAT TIME**

Product	Working time			Recoat time (20°C)	
	15°C	20°C	30°C	Min.	Max.
COROFLAKE N PRIMER	60 min	40 min	20 min	8 h	14 d
COROFLAKE 34	90 min	60 min	30 min	4 h	3 d

### **CLEANING**

All equipment should be cleaned with **SOLVENT T-200** immediately after use. The equipment should be cleaned in a well-ventilated area. It is recommended to flush the spraying equipment several times during the working day. The frequency of cleaning depends on the spray volume, temperature and elapsed time, including possible delays.

### **SPARK TEST**

The spark test is carried out in accordance with EN 14879-2 using a high-voltage tester. The previously measured average dry film thickness is the basis for the test voltage. The test is carried out at the earliest 24 hours after finishing the top coat at a curing temperature of +20°C.

Product	Test voltage	
COROFLAKE 34	0,5 kV / 100 µm DFT	

## **DELIVERY FORM | MINIMUM SHELF LIFE**

Product	Packaging	Article No.	Storage temperature	Min. shelf life
COROFLAKE 34	5 kg	590 1317	5 - 20°C	6 Mon
COROFLAKE 34	20 kg	590 1300	5 - 20°C	6 Mon
COROFLAKE N PRIMER	5 kg	590 0480	≤ +10°C   ≤ +20°C	9 Mon   6 Mon
COROFLAKE N PRIMER	20 kg	590 0040	≤ +10°C   ≤ +20°C	9 Mon   6 Mon
HARDENER No. 1 CLEAR	0.1 kg	590 0181	5 - 20°C	12 Mon
HARDENER No. 1 CLEAR	0.4 kg	590 0019	5 - 20°C	12 Mon
HARDENER No. 1 RED	0.1 kg	590 0356	5 - 20°C	12 Mon
HARDENER No. 1 RED	0.4 kg	590 0112	5 - 20°C	12 Mon
SOLVENT F12	4 kg	590 0095	5 - 20°C	12 Mon
SOLVENT T-200	4 kg	590 0610	5 - 25°C	60 Mon
SOLVENT T-200	8 kg	590 0611	5 - 25°C	60 Mon

#### SAFETY MEASURES

The safety data sheets for the individual components and the legal regulations for handling hazardous substances must be observed. The prescribed personal protective equipment must be worn. Information on disposal can be

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### **PHYSICAL DATA**

Properties	Standard	Unit	Value
Abrasion	ASTM D4060	mg	90
Adhesive strength steel	EN ISO 4624 (ASTM D4541)	N/mm²	≥ 7
Barcol hardness	EN 59 (ASTM D2583)	Barcol	≥ 30
Density (mixture)	EN ISO 2811 (ASTM D1475)	g/cm³	1.17 ± 0.03
Linear coefficient of thermal expansion	ISO 11359-2 (ASTM C531)	K <sup>-1</sup>	27 - 30 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>
Max. Temperature dry (flue gases)	-	°C	+120
Max. Temperature for liquids	-	°C	+75
Modulus of elasticity (bending test)	EN ISO 178 (ASTM D790)	N/mm²	3000 ± 500
Polymer base	-	-	Vinyl ester
Viscosity	EN ISO 2555 (ASTM D2196)	mPa·s	2750 ± 250

The specified temperatures depend on the existing load and can therefore vary.

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