

INFRALIT PE 8340

Polyester Powder

PAINT TYPE	INFRALIT PE 8340 is a TGIC-free polyester powder based on high quality polyester resin. At elevated temperatures the powder melts, cures and forms the final paint film.
USAGE	INFRALIT PE 8340 is suitable for steel and aluminium construction objects which require a weather-resistant coating.
SPECIAL PROPERTIES	INFRALIT PE 8340 forms a mechanically and chemically resistant paint film which has good corrosion resistance and very good colour stability and gloss retention also in outdoor conditions. INFRALIT PE 8340-00 is a general variant suitable for both corona and tribo spraying. Variant PE 8340-02 is suitable for corona only. Variant PE 8340-07 is a pearlescent shade.

TECHNICAL DATA

Colours	By agreement.
Gloss 60°	50 - 65. The measured gloss of pearlescent shades may differ from the mentioned value.
Spreading rate	6 - 10 m ² /kg depending on the film thickness
Film thickness	The recommended film thickness is 60 - 100 µm.
Curing time	20 min/170°C (metal temperature) 10 min/180°C (metal temperature). 6 min/200°C (metal temperature). The temperature of the powder coating has to reach the temperature inside the paint shop before the package is opened. The application properties may be deteriorated, if the temperature of the powder is lower than this.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

The powder itself is non-flammable, but with air it can form an explosive mixture that in presence of adequate ignition energy ignites. The lower explosive limit for polyester powder is about 80 g/m³ (Bundesanstalt für Materialprüfung). Ventilation of the spray booth should be adjusted so that the concentration of powder in the air is less than 50% of the lower explosive limit value. On calculation of the powder concentration in the spray booth, the powder deposited on the workpiece is not taken into account.

In order to avoid the discharge of powder from the booth into adjacent working spaces, the speed of air flow in the apertures of the booth must not fall below 0.5 m/s.

Spray painters should wear dust masks and protective gloves. Any spatter of powder on the skin should be washed off with water and soap.

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DIRECTION FOR USE**Surface preparation**

COLD-ROLLED STEEL: Degreasing and zinc phosphating.

ALUMINIUM: Degreasing and chromating.

FILM PROPERTIES

Substrate chromated aluminium (100 x 300 x 0.6 mm). Stoving 10 min/180°C: Testing after 1 h stoving:

Physical properties

Flexibility (Erichsen, ISO 1520)

over 6 mm

Impact resistance (ASTM D 2794; 15.9 mm diameter)

- direct

over 4,0 Nm

- reverse

over 4,0 Nm

Flexibility (ISO 1519)

less than 5 mm

Adhesion (cross-cut test, SFS EN ISO 2409)

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