**DATA SHEET 2422** 

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# **TEKNOPOX AQUA 5902 A**

**Epoxy Paint** 

**PAINT TYPE** TEKNOPOX AQUA 5902 A is a two-pack, water-borne epoxy paint.

**USAGE** TEKNOPOX AQUA 5902 A is used for interior walls whenever the paint is required to be moisture

and chemical resistant and also dense, hygienic and easy to wash. TEKNOPOX AQUA 5902 A is intended especially for use in nuclear power plants on surfaces made of concrete, brick and cement

plaster.

It is recommended to use TEKNOPOX AQUA PRIMER 5901 A Epoxy Paint as a primer on walls and

ceilings.

**SPECIAL PROPERTIES** TEKNOPOX AQUA 5902 A provides a gloss, hard and abrasion resistant film. It withstands water,

petrol, oil, grease, even strong lye solutions, splashes of solvents and temporary effect of weak acids. The volatile component in TEKNOPOX AQUA 5902 A is water. Thus the use of TEKNOPOX AQUA

5902 A does not involve health hazards or fire risks associated with solvent-borne paints.

TEKNOPOX AQUA 5902 A fulfils the requirements stated in report STUK-YTO-TR 210 issued by **APPROVALS** 

STUK - Radiation and Nuclear Safety Authority, Finland.

The product has CE approval for protection of concrete structures. Additional information: see page 3:

"CE MARKING".

TECHNICAL DATA

Mixing ratio Base (Comp. A): 3 parts by volume

Hardener (Comp B): TEKNOPOX AQUA HARDENER 5902 A 1 part by volume

Pot life, +23 °C

Solids 52 ±2% by volume

Total mass of solids abt. 850 g/l

Volatile organic compound (VOC) abt. 40 g/l

Practical spreading rate The values depend on the surface roughness.

The dry film thickness of two coats of paint on a smooth surface is 120 - 200  $\mu m$ .

1. application 4 - 6 m<sup>2</sup>/l 2. application 6 - 9 m<sup>2</sup>/l

Drying time, +23°C / 50% RH (dry film 60 µm)

- dust free (ISO 9117-3:2010) after 8 h - touch dry (ISO 9117-5:2012) after 12 h

after 7 d. Low temperature and/or high relative humidity prolong the curing time, which should be taken - fully cured

into account when the area is put into service. E.g. at +10°C the curing times are doubled.

# Overcoatable

	by itself	
surface temperature	min.	max.*
+10°C	after 2 d	after 1 month
+23°C	after 1 d	after 1 month

<sup>\*</sup> Maximum overcoating interval without roughening.

Increase in film thickness and rise in the relative humidity of the air in the drying space usually slow down the drying process.

**Thinner** Water

Clean up Water and emulsifying washing liquid

Gloss

**Finish** Colours White

Other colours with some restrictions.

Radiation resistance and decontamination

The coating system withstands well radioactive radiation and is easy to decontaminate (statement No.

VTT-R-00255-20 by VTT - Technical Research Centre of Finland).

SAFETY MARKINGS See Safety Data Sheet.

# **DIRECTION FOR USE** Surface preparation

Remove from the surfaces any contaminants that might be detrimental to surface preparation and painting. Remove also water-soluble salts by using appropriate methods. The surfaces are prepared according to the different materials

NEW CONCRETE SURFACE: The concrete must be at least 4 weeks old old, well-hardened and solid. The water content of the top layer must not exceed 4% by weight.

Dense laitance is removed from steel-trowelled concrete by mechanical surface grinding or sweep-blasting. Brittle and powdery top layers are treated so that the solid concrete containing mineral aggregates is exposed. Thereafter all cement dust is removed by vacuum cleaner or brush.

On the surface of the concrete must not be anything which prevents the adhesion.

OLD CONCRETE SURFACE: Uncoated, greasy surfaces are cleaned by emulsifying washing liquid and rinsed well. If necessary, the surfaces are sweep-blasted.

BRICK SURFACES: Remove with care lime and dust by brushing and vacuum cleaning.

PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SURFACES: Check that the old, overcoatable paint has got good adhesion to the surface. Remove loose or flaking paint. It is recommended that old painted surfaces are to be roughened by sanding. Finally wash and rinse the surface.

### Stopping, smoothing

Filling cavities can be done with solvent-free TEKNOPOX FILL A Stopper. When needed the stopping up between coats and overall stopping up is done with water-borne TEKNOPOX AQUA FILL 5900 A Epoxy Stopper.

#### **Application conditions**

The surface to be painted must be dry. During the application and drying period the temperature of the ambient air, the surface and the paint shall be above +10°C and the relative air humidity below 90%. Additionally the temperature of the surface to be painted and the paint must be at least 3°C above the dew point of the

ambient air.

Mixing of the components The base must be stirred until it is homogeneous before specifying the amount of the components. The base and hardener are mixed in right proportion. Stir thoroughly down to the bottom of the vessel for 2 minutes. It is recommended to use a slow-rotating drilling machine equipped with a stirrer for mixing. Inadequate stirring or incorrect mixing ratio results in imperfect curing and impaired film properties.

#### **Application**

PAINTING OF WALLS AND CEILINGS: Priming with TEKNOPOX AQUA PRIMER 5901 A Epoxy Paint is recommended for new concrete surfaces. The top coat is applied with TEKNOPOX AQUA 5902 A.

Apply the top coat the following day using undiluted TEKNOPOX AQUA 5902 A sufficiently. When using a roller the work is done very carefully so that the layer is even. DO NOT USE A ROLLER IF THE PAINT IS PARTLY DRIED. Painting the surface after drying for over 20 - 30 minutes can cause the colour to change.

Apply the paint by brush, short-piled roller or airless spray. Use airless spray nozzle 0.015 - 0.018".

The painting equipment must be cleaned immediately after use with water.

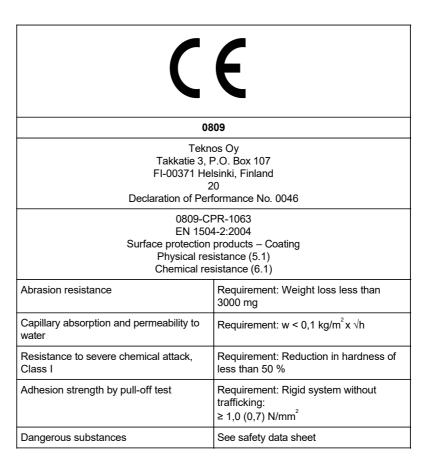
## **ADDITIONAL** INFORMATION

The storage stability is shown on the label. Store in a cool place and in tightly closed containers.

MUST NOT FREEZE.

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# **CE MARKING**



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