Starting Formulation

SF 2004
Clear Baking Coating
EPON™ Resin 1007F / Beetle 227-8

Features
- Good initial color and color retention
- Superior to Formulation No. 2002 in flexibility, exterior durability and package stability

Formula Material Supplier Pounds Gallons
Part A
Ethyl 3-ethoxy propionate Eastman Chemical Products, Inc. 173.1 22.13
Xylene Shell Chemical Co. 173.1 24.15
Slowly add the following with constant mixing,
EPON Resin 1007F Hexion 230.8 23.28
Mix until clear solution, then add
Beetle 227-8 Cytec Industries Inc. 198.1 23.85
Ethyl 3-ethoxy propionate 24.7 3.15
Xylene 24.7 3.44
Total Part A 824.5 23.85

Mixing Instructions

Prepare the EPON Resin 1007F solution (40% nonvolatile in ethyl 3-ethoxy propionate/xylene, 1/1 by weight) called for in the formula. This is most easily accomplished by charging the solvents in a suitable container and slowly adding the EPON Resin 1007F under constant agitation. When the EPON Resin 1007F is completely dissolved, mix the Beetle 227-8 and remaining solvents.

Typical Handling
For spray application, reduce the formulation to a No. 4 Ford Cup viscosity of 20 seconds with diacetone alcohol/xylene, 1/1 by weight.

This coating should be baked for 20 minutes at 385 °F.

Typical Formulation Properties

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<tr>
<td>EPON Resin 1007F/Beetle 227-8 ratio (solids)</td>
<td>By weight 70/30</td>
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<td>Nonvolatile content by weight</td>
<td>% 40.0</td>
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Weight per gallon | lb/gal | 8.24
Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) | lb/gal | 4.94 | g/L | 593

Storage
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