Starting Formulation

**SF 1026**

**Zinc-Rich Primer**

**EPONOL™ Resin 53-BH-35**

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**Features**
- One-package fast drying shop primer
- No hard settling on storage
- Excellent corrosion resistance
- Recommended as a primer in the maintenance, automotive and marine fields

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**Formula**

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<th>Gallons</th>
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<td><strong>Solvents &amp; Additives</strong></td>
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<td>Thixatrol™ ST</td>
<td>Elements Specialties, Inc.</td>
<td>10.5</td>
<td>1.20</td>
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<td>Propylene glycol methyl ether acetate</td>
<td>Eastman Chemical Products, Inc.</td>
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<td><strong>EPONOL Resin Solution</strong></td>
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<td>EPONOL Resin 53-BH-35</td>
<td>Hexion</td>
<td>314.1</td>
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Disperse above with high speed dispersing equipment. Disperse to a temperature of 130 °F to 140 °F and grind Hegman 5-6. Then add the following with good mixing.

**Pigments**
- Zinc dust type 335
  - Meadowbrook Corp.
  - 1,533.0
  - 25.80
- Syloid™ ZN-1
  - W. R. Grace & Co., Davison Chemical Division
  - 21.0
  - 1.19
- Xylene
  - Shell Chemical Co.
  - 114.7
  - 16.00

Total
- 2,118.1
- 100.00

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**Mixing Instructions**

**Part A**

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Disperse the Thixatrol ST in the EPONOL Resin 53-BH-35 along with the solvents using high speed dispersing equipment. It should be noted that maximum thixotropy is developed at about 130 °F to 140 °F. The zinc dust and Syloid ZN-1 are then added with good agitation until they are thoroughly dispersed. Package immediately to minimize water pickup by this primer system.

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**Typical Handling**
The primer may be thinned to application viscosity with a blend of propylene glycol methyl ether acetate/xylene, 60/40 by weight. The coating should be dry to handle in about 25 minutes.

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CAUTION: While the adhesion of epoxy two-package topcoats over EPONOL Resin zinc-rich primers is excellent, alkyds and epoxy ester topcoats should be avoided because poor adhesion has been observed in those types of topcoats over zinc-rich primers.

FDA Status EPONOL Resin 53-BH-35 does not meet the requirements of the Food and Drug Administration and, therefore, cannot be recommended for food contact applications.

Typical Formulation Table 1 / Formulation Properties

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<td>Nonvolatile content by weight</td>
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<td>Weight per gallon</td>
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<td>Pigment : Binder Weight Ratio</td>
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<td>Volatile Organic Compound (VOC)</td>
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