Starting Formulation

SF 1026
Zinc-Rich Primer
EPONOL™ Resin 53-BH-35

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

Formula
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<th>Material</th>
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<td>Thixatrol™ ST</td>
<td>Elementis Specialties, Inc.</td>
<td>10.5</td>
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<td>Propylene glycol methyl ether acetate</td>
<td>Eastman Chemical Products, Inc.</td>
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<td>EPONOL Resin Solution</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

Mixing Instructions

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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.

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.

Caution: While the adhesion of epoxy two-package topcoats over EPONOL Resin zinc-rich primers is excellent, the cured film may crack upon cycling. Prior to application of topcoats, the surface condition of the zinc-rich primer should be carefully evaluated. The primer should be dry to the touch before recoating.

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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>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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