# **VINYLESTER TOOLING GELCOAT PA**

GEL COAT

**SPRAY** 



**Technical data sheet** 

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### **DESCRIPTION**

A pre-accelerated gel coat based on Vinyl Ester unsaturated polyester resin.

Cured using MEKP peroxide.

### **APPEARANCE**

Product is available in orange, green and black colours. The product is formulated to assure complete hide in wet film thickness at  $500\mu m$ . However some bright shades may have a hide slightly lower opacity.

### **PROPERTIES / ADVANTAGES**

This product has chemical resistance properties
This product has heat resistance properties.
This product has good resistance to thermal shock caused by variation in temperature.

This product has improved impact resistance properties This product offers improved scratch resistance properties.

This product has excellent gloss retention properties.

## **APPLICATION**

This gel coat is ready to be applied using airless spray equipment. Mix the product slowly but thoroughly for 10 minutes prior to each shift start up. Apply the correct film thickness. A wet film thickness between 300 to  $600\mu m$  is required ideallyapplied in 3 even passes. Check that the correct level of MEKP is added. A level of 1,8% w/w is recommended. Do not use more than 3% w/w or lower than 1,2% w/w of MEKP catalyst.

Minimum application temperature: 18°C

This product is not designed for use with a roller or brush.

### **USE AREAS**

This product is recommended for mould manufacturing process and provide durable surfaces to withstand the repeated mouldings of GRP laminates.

## **STORAGE / SHELF LIFE**

Shelf-life: 4 Months.

When the product is sealed in its original packing, stored indoors away from direct sunlight and direct heat sources and ideally at ambient temperature between 15°C and 25°C.

### **TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

LIQUID		CURING	
Density	1,11 - 1,15	Catalyst : Low activity catalyst	
Viscosity	10000 - 14000	Gel time (200g - 25°C - 1,8% MEKP) :	12 - 18
[25°C - Spindle 4 - 4 rpm]		Peak time (200g - 25°C - 1,8% MEKP) :	18 - 35
Thixotropic index	6,0 - 7,5	Peak exotherm (200g - 25°C - 1,8% MEKP) :	180 - 220
[2/20 rpm]		Film cure (500µ - 20°C - 2% MEKP) :	30 - 50
Solid content	56 - 60		
[15mn at 150°C]		MECHANICAL PROPERTIES AFTER CURING	
Sag resistance	500	(On the base resins - Post Cure 16h at 40°C)	
(µm - wet)		. H.D.T (NFT ISO 75) :(2h at 120°C)	116 °C
Hide	700 - 900	. Strength :(Tensile : ISO 527) :	45 MPa
Colour	Depends colour	. Elongation at break(Tensile : ISO 527) :	3,0 %

For all additional information, refer to the Safety Data Sheet no FP17576 available on our website address www.polynt.com.

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