

SU SERIES HIGH SOLIDS ACRYLIC POLYURETHANE

A high gloss, high performance, polyurethane finish coat with excellent gloss retention.

GENERAL FEATURES

- A.I.M. COMPLIANT LOW VOC 2.8 to 3.5 #/G
- CAN BE ACCELERATED FOR USE WITH PLURAL COMPONENT SPRAY EQUIPMENT
- HIGH IMPACT RESISTANCE
- FORMULATIONS FOR ROLLABLE APPLICATION ARE AVAILABLE
- FORMULATIONS FOR DIRECT TO METAL PRIMER/FINISH ARE AVAILABLE
- EXCELLENT LONG TERM GLOSS RETENTION
- EXCELLENT CHEMICAL RESISTANCE*
- CURES AT TEMPERATURES AS LOW AS 40°F.

DESCRIPTION

American SU Series Polyurethanes are formulated from high performance acrylic resins. The SU Series products are known for their excellent gloss retention properties and excellent resistance to a variety of solvents, acids and bases. American SU Series finishes cure in environments as low as 40°F.

USES

SU Series Polyurethanes are used for both product finishing and heavy-duty maintenance. SU Series products are high performance products to be used where gloss retention, and/or low temperature cure are needed. SU Series Polyurethanes give excellent abrasion resistance.

*Note for specific chemical resistance information contact your American Coatings representative

PHYSICAL DATA

Finish	High Gloss
Color	
Applied Over	Properly primed steel,
	galvanized or aluminum
Components	Two
Cure	Catalytic 4:1
	Catalyzed with HSU-Cat
Volume Solids	

American Coatings HSU CAT HS Urethane 2.8 VOC CATALYST PARTA-B

Recommended Dry Film	
Thickness	3.0 –5.0 mils
Number of Coats	One
Application Method	Conventional or Airless
Thinning Required	None
Dry Time @ 77°F and 50% RH:	
Touch	2 – 4 hours
Through	4 – 6 hours
Topcoat	6 – 8 hours
*Theoretical Coverage at:	
Recommended Thickness	322 - 193 sq.ft/gal.
Temperature Limit	
Immersed	N/R
Atmospheric	180°F
Miscellaneous Properties	
Shelf Life	1 year
Pot Life - Mixed @ 77°F	•
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PERFORMANCE DATA

TEST	RESULTS
PENCIL HARDNESS	
ASTM D-3363	НВ
TAPE ADHESION	5A, 5B
ASTM D-3359	(EM Epoxy, SU Series)
GLOSS	
ASTM D-523	95 gloss units @ 60°
	EM Epoxy Primer w/ SU
SALT FOG	topcoat, passes 500 hours
RESISTANCE	with no blistering or rusting.
ASTM B-117	No undercutting from the
	scribe.
WEIGHT PER GALLON	Varies by specific color
ASTM D-1200	SU 5000 11.0 ± 0.2 #/gal
WEIGHT SOLIDS %	Varies by specific color
ASTM D-2369	SU5000 78% ± 2
VOLUME SOLIDS	Varies by specific color
ASTM D-2697	SU5000 64% ± 2
IMPACT RESISTANCE	100 inch-lb direct
ASTM G-14	100 inch-lb reverse
SOLVENT RESISTANCE	
ASTM D-5402	300+ after 7 days cure
SOLVENT WIPE, vs TIME	
ASTM D-5402	
24 hours	Gloss loss
48 hours	Minimal effect
72 hours	No effect



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SURFACE PREPARATION

Surfaces should be free of dust, dirt, oils, moisture and other contaminants. SU Series can be applied over properly prepared Steel, Galvanized, Aluminum, Inorganic Zinc and concrete.

*Coverages are theoretical and do not make provision for spray losses.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Do not apply below freezing temperatures or humidities above 85 percent.

APPLICATION METHOD

Conventional or Airless spray preferred. If it is necessary to apply by roller, consult your American Representative.

MIXING

American SU Series products are two component products with a mixing ratio of 4 to 1. Mix part B urethane into part A using mechanical agitation.

CLEAN-UP AND THINNING

Clean all equipment immediately with TH 760 thinner. If thinning is necessary thin with TH 317, TH 319 or TH 311 exempt thinner.

SPRAY EQUIPMENT FOR AIRLESS SPRAY

Pump Ratio 3	30:1
Air Supply (in) 100	psi
Hose Diameter (ID) 1	/4"
Hose Length 1	
Tip Size013	019
Atomization Pressure 2,	

FOR CONVENTIONAL SPRAY

Spray Pot Dual Regulation	
Air Guages for Pot Pressure and Atomization Air	
Air Supply (in)	100 psi
Material Hose (ID)	1/2"
Material Hose Length	50'
Air Hose (ID)	5/16 "
Fluid Pressure (psi)	50 – 75
Fluid Tip Orifice Size (in)	046070

SHIPPING DATA

Proper Shipping Name	Paint Liquid
Hazard Class	Part A Flammable Liquid
	Part B Combustible Liquid
Flash Pt. °F SETA	83°F Part A
	100°F Part B
UN No	1263

PACKAGING

Shipping WT	SU Coating	HSU Catalyst
	Ones 10.75#	Qt. 2#
	Fives 44.5#	1 Gal. 8.5#

SAFETY INFORMATION FOR PROFESSIONAL USE ONLY! WARNING! FLAMMABLE!

Keep away from sparks or flame. Contains polyisocyanate catalyst, acetate, and ketone solvents.

WITH LUNG INDIVIDUALS OR BREATHING PROBLEMS OR PRIOR REACTION TO ISOCYANATES MUST NOT BE EXPOSED TO VAPOR OR SPRAY MIST.

Do not breathe vapor or spray mist. Wear an appropriate, properly fitted respirator approved by NIOSH/MSHA while exposed. An airline respirator (TC 19C NIOSH/MSHA) may be appropriate where airborne monitoring demonstrates vapor levels below ten times the applicable exposure limits. Follow directions for respirator use. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Keep away from heat, sparks, and flame. Use only with adequate ventilation.

FIRST AID: If affected by inhalation of vapor or spray mist, remove to fresh air. If breathing difficulty persists or occurs later, consult a physician and have label information available. In case of eye contact, flush immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and call a physician; for skin, wash thoroughly with soap and water. Keep container closed when not in use. In case of spillage, absorb with inert material and dispose of in accordance with applicable regulations.

NOTICE: Reports have associated repeated and prolonged occupational overexposure to solvents with permanent brain and nervous system damage. Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating and inhaling contents may be harmful or fatal. The contents of this package must be blended with other components before the product can be used. Any mixture of components will have hazards of both components. Before opening the packages, read all warning labels.

Follow all precautions.

STOCK COLORS

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SU5000 White	SU5443 Medium Yellow
SU5115 National Blue	SU5444 Safety Yellow
SU5220 Signal Red	SU5482 Cat Yellow
SU5222 Safety Red	SU5525 Silver Gray
SU5234 Orange	SU5600 Black
SU5253 Ensign Red	SU5190 Blue Urethane
SU5526 Gray Urethane	

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