

SELECTION & SPECIFICATION DATA

Generic Type	A two component, 100% solids epoxy syntactic insulative coating.
Description	An insulative coating designed to provide thermal protection for structural steel, vessels, piping and ductwork with continuous operating temperatures between -40°F (-40°C) and 302°F (150°C). This product can be utilized as a base coat with Carboline fireproofing materials to provide combined insulation and fire protection.
Features	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thermal protection up to 302°F (150°C) • Provides total submersion and splash and spill cryogenic protection • Resistant to moisture and chemical exposure • Excellent spray properties • Can be applied by plural component airless spray, trowel or casting • High film build
Color	<p>Grey</p> <p>Product may discolor slightly at upper service temperature range with no effect on performance.</p>
Finish	Textured
Primer	<p>Must be applied over a compatible primer. If the steel has already been coated with an existing primer, refer to Carboline Technical Service for advice before application. Contact Carboline Technical Service for a complete list of approved primers.</p> <p>The thickness range for primers used under Carbotherm® 731 must be 3-5 mils (75-125 microns) DFT per SSPC-PA2.</p>
Film Build	160-250 mils (4-6 mm)
Solids Content	By Volume 100%
Theoretical Coverage Rates	
VOC Values	As Supplied : 0.02 lbs/gal (3 g/l)
Topcoats	The choice of topcoat will depend on project requirements. For options contact Carboline Technical Service.

SUBSTRATES & SURFACE PREPARATION

General	Remove all oil or grease from the surface to be coated using Thinner #2 or Carboline Surface Cleaner #3.
Steel	SSPC-SP6/NACE 3, Sa2 (ISO 8501-1:2007). 1.5-2.0 mil (37-50 micron) angular profile is required. Prime with a Carboline approved primer as recommended.
Galvanized Steel	Steel preparation before priming should meet SSPC-SP7. 1.5-2.0 mil (37-50 micron) angular profile required. Prime with Carboline approved primer. Contact Carboline Technical Service for recommendations.

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PERFORMANCE DATA

All test data was generated under laboratory conditions. Field testing results may vary.

Test Method	System	Results
ASTM C177 Thermal Conductivity @ 248°F	Carbotherm 731	0.0843 BTU/hr-ft-°F (0.187 W/m-°K)
ASTM C177 Thermal Conductivity @ 90°F	Carbotherm 731	0.888 BTU/hr-ft-°F (0.178 W/m-°K)
ASTM D2240 Hardness	Carbotherm 731	Shore D - 69
ASTM D4541 Bond Strength	Carbotherm 731	1,795 psi (12.4 MPa)(cohesive break)
ASTM D638 Tensile Strength	Carbotherm 731	2,172 psi (14.9 MPa)(3.5% elongation)
ASTM D695 Compressive Strength	Carbotherm 731	4,427 psi (30.5 MPa)
ASTM D790 Flexural Strength	Carbotherm 731	2,496 psi (17.2 MPa)
ASTM D790 Modulus of Elasticity	Carbotherm 731	197,361 psi (1,360 MPa)
ASTM E1269-11 Specific Heat	Carbotherm 731	1,431 J/(kg·K) @ 23°C (73°F)
ASTM E84 Surface Burning	Carbotherm 731/Pyroclad X1	Flame Spread:20 Smoke Developed:140
R Value	Carbotherm 731 @ 1.0" (25.4 mm)	0.714 hr-ft ² -°F/BTU

MIXING & THINNING

Mixer | Use 1/2" electric or air driven drill with a slotted paddle mixer (300 rpm under load).

Mixing | Material must be preheated to a minimum of 70°F (21°C). Both components must be premixed separately before introduction into the plural equipment. For trowel application, both components must be premixed separately before combining together. Always mix full kits. Once mixed, material must be applied within stated pot life.

Thinning | Do not thin.

Ratio | 1:1

Pot Life | Trowel: 30 minutes
Spray: Use plural component equipment for spray applications

APPLICATION EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES

Listed below are general equipment guidelines for the application of this product. Job site conditions may require modifications to these guidelines to achieve the desired results.

General | Use only plural component equipment specifically designed for epoxy based PFP.

Pump | WIWA® Duomix 333 or equivalent

Spray Gun | WIWA® 500 PFP or equivalent

Gun Swivel | 5,000 psi (1/2"-3/8")

Spray Tips | 0.035" - 0.045" (Use heavy duty RAC non diffuser tips and housing)

Fan Size | 6"-10" (depending on section being sprayed).

Static Mixer | Standard Static 12 turn (3/4" I.D.)

Material Hose | 100' heated hose bundle (3/4" I.D. minimum) with 3/4" mixer manifold

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Whip Hose | 20' (1/2" I.D. minimum)

Compressor | Be certain that the air supply is a minimum of 185 cfm @ 100 psi (6.9 kPa). Air volume and pressure required will depend on equipment used.

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APPLICATION PROCEDURES

General | Preheat material to a minimum of 70°F (21°C) prior to introduction into plural component equipment. Perform at least two ratio checks per day and after any equipment maintenance. Apply first coat at 160-250 mils (4-6 mm). Allow material to gel before backrolling with solvent resistant rollers (if necessary). Use Thinner #19 to mist down rollers to prevent them from sticking to the material. Allow material to cure for approximately 2 hours between coats (depending upon temperature). Continue building material at 160-250 mils (4-6 mm) per coat to specified thickness. Back roll material after each coat to improve finish and level surface. Contact Carboline Technical Service for more detailed information.

Application Rates | At an ambient temperature of 70°F (21°C), the following application rates are applicable:
160-250 mils (4-6 mm) per coat (wet)
2 hour recoat time between coats

Wet Film Thickness | Frequent thickness measurements with a wet film gauge are recommended during the application process to ensure uniform thickness.

Dry Film Thickness | For recommended methods of thickness determination and tolerances refer to: AWCI Technical Manual 12-B (Standard Practice for the Testing and Inspection of Field Applied Thin Film Intumescent Fire Resistive Materials).

APPLICATION CONDITIONS

Condition	Material	Surface	Ambient	Humidity
Minimum	21°C (70°F)	10°C (50°F)	10°C (50°F)	0%
Maximum	38°C (100°F)	49°C (120°F)	43°C (110°F)	85%

Air and substrate temperature must be at least 50°F (5°C). Steel surface temperature should be a minimum of 5°F (3°C) above the dew point. The maximum humidity is 85%. Area must be protected from rain or running water during application until material is sufficiently cured.

CURING SCHEDULE

Surface Temp.	Handle	Recoat	Topcoat	Touch
25°C (77°F)	24 Hours	NR	24 Hours	2 Hours
25°C (77°F)	NR	2 Hours	NR	NR

Curing times are dependent upon temperature, air movement and humidity. For optimum curing at 75°F (24°C), it is recommended to apply coats at 160-250 mils (4-6 mm) wet per coat. Material can be heated to achieve a quicker recoating and curing schedule.

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CLEANUP & SAFETY

Cleanup	Flush static mixer, whip hose, gun and tips with hot water or Thinner #19 (depending on pump set up) immediately after each use. Static mixer, gun, tip assembly and tools should be hand cleaned with Thinner #19.
Safety	Follow all safety precautions and personal protective measures stated on the Material Safety Data Sheet.
Overspray	All adjacent and finished surfaces shall be protected from damage and overspray.
Ventilation	In enclosed areas, ventilation shall not be less than 4 complete air exchanges per hour until the material is cured.

MAINTENANCE

General	If coating becomes damaged, rebuild required thickness by spray or trowel. Damaged areas must be abraded back to a firm edge by sanding or scraping. The topcoat should be abraded back by 1" (25.4 mm) from the damaged area. The surface must be clean and dry before re-applying. The coating shall then be built back to the original thickness. Allow to cure and then overcoat with the specified topcoat or system.
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TESTING / CERTIFICATION / LISTING

General	Tested in accordance to "Specification for Cryogenic Protection and Passive Fire Protection of Structural Members", dated March 2006 from South Hook LNG Terminal Company Ltd. All testing has been witnessed by Underwriter's Laboratories.
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PACKAGING, HANDLING & STORAGE

Packaging	Full Kits: 10 gallons (37.8 liters)
Shelf Life	9 months Shelf life when kept at recommended storage conditions and in original unopened containers.
Storage	Store indoors in a dry environment between 32°F - 100°F (0°C - 38°C).
Shipping Weight (Approximate)	6 lbs. (2.7 kg) per gallon (3.7 liters)
Flash Point (Setaflash)	Part A: >200°F (>93°C) Part B: >200°F (>93°C)

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