

Product Data Sheet

AkzoNobel Powder Coatings

Interpon 800 AC

Product Description

Interpon 800 AC powder coatings are part of the Interpon 800 range of high durability powder coatings designed for exterior exposure. They maintain the significantly improved gloss retention and resistance to colour change of the parent range but are designed to offer users significant improvements in their application characteristics. They can be sprayed on conventional equipment and are compatible with standard powders but give a more uniform coverage, and in particular give improved coverage in Faraday Cage areas. Powders are available in a wide range of colours and gloss levels, and are always custom matched to the user's requirements.

Powder Properties

Chemical type	Polyester TGIC
Particle Size	Suitable for electrostatic spray
Specific gravity	1.2-1.7 g/cm ³ depending on colour
Storage	Dry cool conditions below 25°C
Shelf life	12 months
Stoving schedule (object temperature)	15 minutes at 190°C 10 minutes at 200°C 8 minutes at 210°C

Test Conditions

The results shown below are based on mechanical and chemical tests which (unless otherwise indicated) have been carried out under laboratory conditions and are given for guidance only. Actual product performance will depend upon the circumstances under which the product is used.

Substrate	Aluminium
Pretreatment	Chromate conversion
Film Thickness	60 microns
Stoving Schedule (object temperature)	10 minutes at 200°C

Mechanical Tests

Adhesion (2mm Crosshatch)	ISO2409	Gt 0
Erichsen Cupping	ISO1520	Depends on shade
Hardness (4000gms)	ISO 1518	Pass - no penetration to substrate
Impact	BS6496	Depends on shade
Flexibility (Conical Mandrel)	ISO6860	Depends on shade

Chemical and Durability Tests

Salt Spray (1000 hours)	ISO7253	Pass - no corrosion creep >2mm from scribe
Cyclic Humidity (1000 hours)	BS3900-F2	Pass - no blistering or loss of gloss
Distilled Water Immersion (240 hours)	BS3900-F7	Pass - no blistering or loss of gloss
Sulphur Dioxide (240 hours)	ISO3231	Pass - no blistering, loss of gloss or discoloration
Exterior Durability	Up to 5 years Florida exposure	Excellent colour and gloss retention performance (depends on shade)
Colour Stability at elevated temperatures	Excellent	
Chemical Resistance	Generally good resistance to most acids, alkalis and oils at normal temperatures.	

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Pre-treatment

For maximum protection it is essential to pretreat components for exterior use prior to the application of Interpon 800 AC. Aluminium components should receive a full multi-stage chromate conversion coating to clean and condition the substrate. Detailed advice should be sought from the pretreatment supplier. Galvanised steel also requires multi-stage pretreatment using either zinc phosphate or chromate conversion.

Degassing of galvanised steel prior to powder application is considered mandatory - follow the procedural advice of the pretreatment supplier.

Interpon 800 AC products may also be used on other substrates (eg. mild steel fabrications) for internal applications; nevertheless zinc phosphate pretreatment is regarded as essential.

Application

Interpon 800 AC powders can be applied by manual or automatic electrostatic spray equipment. Unused powder can be reclaimed using suitable equipment and recycled through the coating system.

Safety Precautions

Please consult the Material Safety Datasheet (MSDS)

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