## Epoxy Finishing Filler Fillers



#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Epoxy Finishing Filler is a two-pack, shrink-free, finishing filler based on epoxy resins. It is both easy to apply and sand. Can be used above and below the waterline.

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Colour IAA650 - Part A - White. Part B - Yellow. Mixed - Cream (approx. RAL 1015).

Finish Matt
Specific Gravity 1.62
Volume Solids 100%

Mix Ratio Part A: Part B - 100: 57.5 by volume, 100: 50 by weight

Converter/Curing Agent IAA651

Typical Shelf Life 6 Months

VOC (As Supplied) 47 g/lt

Unit Size 2.5kg (Part B) / 5kg (Part A)

### DRYING/OVERCOATING INFORMATION

Sandable Pot Life

ON												
Drying												
	10°C (50°F)	15°C (59°F)	23°C (73°F)	35°C (95°F)								
	48 hrs	24 hrs	16 hrs	12 hrs								
	75 mins	60 mins	55 mins	25 mins								

**Note:** Pot life reduces as temperature and mix volume increases. Pot life refers to the Working Pot Life. It is recommended not to prepare a larger volume than required for immediate use.

#### Overcoating Substrate Temperature

	10°C (50°F)		15°C (59°F)		23°C (73°F)		35°C (95°F)	
Overcoated By	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Epoxy Finishing Filler	48 hrs	ext	24 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext
Epoxy GP Coating	48 hrs	ext	24 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext
Epoxy Surfacing Primer	48 hrs	ext	24 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext
High Build	48 hrs	ext	24 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext
Interprime 820	48 hrs	ext	24 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext
Interprime 880	5 days	*	3 days	*	2 days	*	1 days	*
Interprotect	48 hrs	ext	24 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext	16 hrs	ext

**Note:** All overcoating times are approximate. Overcoating Times are the Minimum Recoat Time with Sanding. When being overcoated, the surface must be dry, clean, grease- and dust-free.

### APPLICATION AND USE

Method

Hints

**Preparation** All substrates must be primed, clean and dry.

PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SURFACES

**In Good Condition** Wash down with Super Cleaner, rinse with fresh water and allow to dry. Sand with 80-180 grade (grit) paper.

In Poor Condition Remove all previous coatings and prime the substrate. If necessary fill with Interfill 830.

Apply the filler by float, to ensure proper wetting and compression, it is necessary to pass a trowel over the wet filler coat from the bottom upwards and in the opposite direction, removing excess filler. Apply one or several coats of Epox

coat from the bottom upwards and in the opposite direction, removing excess filler. Apply one or several coats of Epoxy Finishing Filler, depending on substrate deviation and profile required. Sand between coats with 120 grade (grit) paper.

**Mixing** Ensure the correct volume mix ratio is used. If the components are too thick, e.g. due to stockholding at lower temperatures, stir each component separately. Mix the components thoroughly until a homogeneous mix of a uniform colour is achieved.

Thinning Do not thin under any circumstances.

Cleaner Thinner No.7

**Ventilation and Humidity Control** To achieve sufficient curing, the maximum relative humidity should not exceed 80%. **Other** The film thickness depends on many factors, such as roughness of the substrate, method and conditions of application. In the temperature range between 10°C and 15°C (under 10°C no curing will take place), a tacky coat may form at the surface after application. Sanding and adhesion properties may be affected if product applied and/or cured at

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temperatures between 10°C and 15°C. If product applied and/or cured at temperatures between 10°C and 15°C then the surface should be cleaned with lukewarm water or Thinners No.7 and allowed to dry prior to application of subsequent coatings. To minimise potential formation of 'tacky coat', it is recommended to apply, allow to dry and cure Epoxy Finishing Filler at temperatures above 15°C. To prevent pores, apply the last Epoxy Finishing Filler coat in a thin layer.

Some Important Points

Ambient temperature should be minimum 10°C/50°F and maximum 35°C/95°F. Substrate temperature should be minimum

10°C/50°F and maximum 35°C/95°F. Product temperature should be no less than 10°C/50°F and maximum 35°C/95°F. The substrate temperature must be at least 3°C above the dewpoint to prevent condensation. It is recommended not to apply the product under adverse weather conditions. Coverage depends on several factors, including shape of the yacht, surface roughness, method of application being used and conditions of application. In underwater applications the filler system should always be over-coated with a complete underwater paint system (see individual specifications).

Compatibility/Substrates

GRP. Can be used over Epoxy GP Coating or Interfill 830.

**Number of Coats** 

As required

Coverage

(Theoretical) - 1 m<sup>2</sup>/L per coat @ a DFT of 1 mm.

Recommended DFT per coat

2000 microns dry (2mm) vertical, 5000 microns dry (5mm) horizontal substrate.

**Application Methods** 

Batten, Knife, Trowel, rule and float.

#### TRANSPORTATION, STORAGE AND SAFETY INFORMATION

Storage GENERAL INFORMATION:

Exposure to air and extremes of temperature should be avoided. For the full shelf life of this product to be realised ensure that between use the container is firmly closed and the temperature is between 5°C/41°F and 35°C/95°F. Keep out of direct sunlight.

TRANSPORTATION:

The product should be kept in securely closed containers during transport and storage.

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DISPOSAL: Do not discard tins or pour paint into water courses, use the facilities provided. It is best to allow paints to harden before disposal.

Remainders of this product cannot be disposed of through the municipal waste route or dumped without permit. Disposal

of remainders must be arranged for in consultation with the authorities.

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