# **Product Datasheet**



**BU Powder Coatings** 

Interpon 700

Code: EL466JR GREY RAL7035 SEMI-MATT FINE TEXTURE

#### **Product Description**

**Interpon700** is a series of epoxy/polyester hybrid powder coatings offering improved colour, UV-light and heat stability compared to the **Interpon 100** range of pure epoxies, whilst maintaining an optimum combination of decorative and protective qualities.

**Interpon 700** powders are available in the full range of colours in gloss, reduced gloss, textured, aluminium and other special finishes or can be custom matched to the user's requirements.

## **Powder Properties**

Chemical type	Epoxy/Polyester
Particle Size	Suitable for electrostatic spray
Specific gravity	1.2 -1.7 g/cm³ depending on colour
Storage	Dry cool conditions below 35°C
Shelf life	12 months
Sales Code	E-series
Stoving schedule <sup>(a)</sup>	20 minutes at 160°C
(object temperature)	10 minutes at 180°C
	6 minutes at 200°C

(a) For full matt powders add 5 minutes to times shown. For high reactivity (HR) powders see overleaf

#### **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	Mechanical tests: Gold Seal polished steel	
	Chemical & durability tests: Gold Seal lightweight	
Pretreatment	Zinc phosphate	
Film Thickness	60 microns	
Stoving	6 minutes at 200°C (object temperature)	

# **Mechanical Tests**

Flexibility	BS3900-E11 (conical mandrel)	Pass 3mm
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Adhesion	BS3900-E6 (Pettine 2 mm)	classe 0
	DIN 53151 (Pettine 2 mm)	GT0 > 95%
Erichsen cupping	Bs3900-E4	Pass >6mm
Hardness	BS3900-E2 (2000gr)	Pass – no penetration to substrate
	ASTM D 3363/74 (matite)	Pass H – 2H
Impact	BS3900-E3	Pass 3 Joule D/R
-	UNI 8901	Pass 30 Kg x cm D/R

## Chemical and Durability Tests

Salt Spray	ISO7253	Pass - no corrosion creep
	(250 hours)	more than 3mm from scribe
Cyclic Humidity	BS3900-F2	Pass - no blistering or loss
-	(1000 hours)	of gloss
Distilled Water	BS3900-F7	Pass - no blistering or loss
Immersion	(240 hours)	of gloss
Exterior Durability	Some chalking after 6-12 months continuous outdoor exposure but le	
	pure epoxies. Protectiv	ve properties not impaired
Colour Stability at	Good - satisfactory for continuous exposure up to 125°C	
elevated temperatures	,	
Chemical Resistance	Generally good resistance to acids, alkalis and oils at normal temperatures	



#### Pretreatment

Aluminium, steel or Zintec surfaces to be coated must be clean and free from grease. Iron phosphate and particularly lightweight zinc phosphating of ferrous metals improves corrosion resistance. Aluminium substrates may require a chromate conversion coating.

#### **Application**

**Interpon 700** 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.

#### Additional

**Interpon 700** powders are available in bright aluminium finishes which are susceptible to scratching and finger marking. Protection by use of a clear polyester top coat is recommended when the coated article is to be subjected to physical damage or environmental damage. The top coat should ideally be applied within 2 hours of the metallic coating and gloves should be worn when handling the metallic coated articles. For further details on the use of metallic powder coatings please contact Akzo Nobel.

Interpon 700HR (High Reactivity) powders are also available for use where a lower stoving temperature or shorter curing schedule is required.

Sales code: F-Series

**Stoving schedule:** 15 minutes at 160°C (object temperature) 5 minutes at 180°C

Shelf life: 12 months

For further details on powder properties and film performance of Interpon 700HR please contact Akzo Nobel.

## **Safety Precautions**

Please consult the Material Safety Datasheet (MSDS)

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