GrafoTherm Line

DESCRIPTION
A one-component water-borne anti-condensation coating for line application.

PRODUCT FEATURES
• Excellent moisture absorbing and evaporation properties
• Prevents from condensation and dripping water
• Forms very elastic and porous coating layer
• Provides also vibration and acoustic damping when applied as a thick layer
• Complies with the requirements of EN13501-1, class A2-s1d0
• Recommended to be used for steel roofing sheets for interior and sheltered premises

TECHNICAL DATA

Weight solids 44%  
Specific gravity 1.05 kg/l  
Water absorption approx. 330 g/m² of water, 600 g/m² WFT (250 g/m² DFT), (NF P15-203-1 1997)  
approx. 520 g/m² of water, 1200 g/m² WFT (500 g/m² DFT), (NF P15-203-1 1997)

Recommended film thicknesses and theoretical coverage

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<td>wet 600–1000 g/m²</td>
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<td>dry</td>
<td>1.8–0.9 m²/l</td>
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Recommended coverage depends on the ambient conditions like moisture and type of building etc.

See separate Grafotherm Treatment Programme.

Practical coverage depends on the application method, painting conditions and the shape and roughness of the surface to be coated.

Drying time

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<td>WFT 600 g/m²</td>
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Drying and recoating times are related to the film thickness, temperature, the relative humidity of the air and ventilation.

Gloss
       Matt.

Color shades
       White and grey.
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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Surface preparation
Oil, grease, salts and dirt are removed by appropriate means. (ISO 12944-4)

Zinc and aluzinc surfaces: Remove possible grease, salt and dirt from the surface.

Primed surfaces: Industrial coil primer on the backside of the steel roofing sheets does not require any special preparation. Grease, salt and dirt are removed from the surface by appropriate means. Repair any damage to the primer coat with Temaprime EE or Rostex Super. Note the overcoating time of primer.

Recommended primers
Industrial coil sheet backside primer. Can be applied directly on galvanized thin steel (see Surface preparation).

Recommended topcoats
Do not overcoat with any other type of coating as it causes loss of absorbing properties.

Application conditions
All surfaces must be clean, dry and free from contamination. The temperature of the ambient air and surface should not fall below +10°C during application and drying. Relative humidity of the air should not exceed 80% during application and drying. The surface temperature of steel should remain at least 3°C above the dew point. Good ventilation and sufficient air movement is required in confined areas during application and drying.

For proper application the temperature of the product itself should be above +15°C during mixing and application.

Application
Conventional spraying or plaster spray gun. Mix the paint thoroughly before use. The paint can be thinned 0–5% by volume. Spray nozzle tip 6mm and nozzle pressure 2 bar. Air supply >1000 l/min (conventional spraying) and >250 l/min (plaster spray gun).

Thinners
Water

Cleaning of equipment
Water

VOC
The Volatile Organic Compounds amount is < 3 g/litre of paint mixture.

HEALTH AND SAFETY
Containers are provided with safety labels, which should be observed. Further information about hazardous influences and protection are detailed in individual health and safety data sheets. A health and safety data sheet is available on request from Tikkurila Oyj.

For industrial use only.

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