



# RONASS GLASS FLAKE EPOXY COATING

## RTB-1273-R (A&B COMPONENTS)

Special two-component glass flake epoxy coating with excellent adhesion, chemical resistance and great mechanical properties.

### USES AND SUITABLE TOP-COATS

Recommended Uses	Single coating system for protection of steel surfaces against corrosion in offshore and marine structures, and an interior coating for tanks and pipelines. This coating is also recommended for use in industrial areas for new construction and maintenance operations.
Suitable Top-Coats	RTB-1273-R can be over-coated by itself.

### CHEMICAL COMPOSITION

Type of Binder	Epoxy – Polyaminoamide	Solid Content After Mixing	86 ± 1% By Weight
Number of Component(s)	2 Components		73 ± 2% By Volume
Curing Mechanism	Chemical Reaction		
Main Pigment(s)	Micronized Glass Flake	Flash Point	29°C (84°F)

### PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Finish	Semi gloss
Colour	White and Light shades available according to RAL colour system
Specific Gravity after Mixing	1.60 ± 0.05 gr/cm <sup>3</sup>
Thermal Tolerance	Min -50°C      Max 160°C

### APPLICATION DETAILS

Surface Preparation	All oil, grease, dirt and other contaminants must be removed from the surface. Sandblast according to Swedish Standard(SIS 5900)Sa 3 (roughness: min 120 µm) is recommended.
Mixing Ratio	Component A: 100 Parts by weight      Component B: RTB-1273-R-B or RTB-9300 10 Parts by weight
Mixing Instructions	Mix component A thoroughly with a suitable mixer, then add component B slowly and mix well for 5 minutes. Keep the mixture for 5 additional minutes prior to thinning down to allow for the pre-reaction time. Do not thin down each component separately.
Pot Life	2 Hours at 25°C
Theoretical Consumption	435 gr/m <sup>2</sup> @ 200 Microns DFT

Paint Application	Methods	Airless Spray	Air Spray	Brush	Roller
	Nozzle Size	0.017" – 0.021"	1.80 mm	---	---
	Pump Ratio	1 / 68	---	---	---
	Air Pressure	4 – 6 Bar	3 – 5 Bar	---	---
	Thinning	3 – 5% T-445	5 – 10% T-445	2 – 4% T-445	2 – 4% T-445

Film Thickness		Recommended	Minimum	Maximum
	Wet Film Thickness (µm)	340	200	400
	Dry Film Thickness (µm)	250	150	300

Drying Time	Dust Free Time	Tack Free Time	Dry to Handle	Fully Cured	Recoating Interval
	1 – 2 Hours	3 – 4 Hours	6 – 8 Hours	7 – 10 Days	Min. 16 Hours Max. 10 Days

*\*Drying time calculated at 25°C according to ASTM test method D-1640 for 100 µm WFT*

Application Limits	Relative Humidity	Min. ---	Max. 80%
	Temperature	Min. +5°C	Max. +40°C
	Substrate Temperature*	Min. +5°C	Max. +45°C

*\*Please note that the substrate temperature should be at least 5°C above the dew point*

Recommendations	-Should the recoating interval have expired, please refer to the procedures outlined in the Ronass Instruction Leaflet. -Clean tools thoroughly before and immediately after use with cleaning solvent T-111 or T-445.
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### PACKING, STORAGE AND SAFETY

Packing	Component A(Epoxy): 20 Litres Containers (25 kgs. Net) and Component B(Hardener): 4 Litres Containers (2.5 kgs. Net)
Storage Conditions	To be stored in cool and dry conditions in original sealed containers.
Shelf Life	At least 12 months after delivery in original sealed containers and proper storage conditions with temperature of 25°C.
Safety	This product contains organic solvents and flammable materials. Keep away from sparks, fires, electrical cables and equipments,direct sunshine and out of children's reach.  Protect skin, eyes, and avoid prolonged breathing of solvent vapor during application. Use with adequate ventilation.