# Technical Data Sheet Aerospace Coatings



## **FE107 Winguard Topcoat**

### **Product Description**

FE107 Winguard is a single pack, aluminium, pigmented polyurethane topcoat, designed for the protection of upper surfaces of wings and horizontal tail-planes.

- Fast drying
- Excellent flexibility
- · Chemical resistant & weather resistant
- Applicable over polyurethane & urethane compatible epoxy primers
- Service temperature -54 to 177°C (-65 to 350°F)

### **Components**



#### Mix Ratio (by volume)

#### Gravity/Suction

FE107 (Base) 4 parts
 T187 (Thinner) 3 parts



#### Airless/Pressure Pot

FE107 (Base) 2 partsT187 (Thinner) 1 part

For brush or roller application, no thinning is required

## **Specifications**



FE107 is qualified to:

PPG Standard

FE107 is compatible with the following primer specifications:

AIMS 04-04-001

AIMS 04-04-004

• AIMS 04-04-055

ASNA 4248

AVN 7-003

• BMS 10-79

BS 2X33 A+B

Mil-P-23377

Note: PPG Aerospace recommends you check the most recent specification QPLs for updated information.

## **Surface Preparation and Pretreatment**



Ensure surface is clean, dry and intact. If necessary, abrade with P240 or P320 using a DA sander, de-grease with suitable solvent - DeSoto<sup>®</sup> CN20, CN44 or Desoclean<sup>™</sup> 45 solvent cleaners are recommended.

Wash primer P99 + polyurethane primer PAC33 or epoxy primer PR143 over chromate conversion coating are the recommended pre-treatments.

### Instructions for Use



Base may require mechanical agitation. Ensure all components are adequately dispersed. Adjust to recommended viscosity by addition of thinner while stirring. For roller/brush application, thinning is not necessary but may be thinned if required.

Note: All products and components should be placed in ambient conditions of 15-30°C (59-86°F) for at least 24 hours prior to mixing and application.



#### **Induction Time:**

Not required



Viscosity: (23°C/73°F)

Gravity/Suction		Airless/Pressure Pot		
<ul><li>AFNOR4</li></ul>	18 - 20 seconds	<ul> <li>AFNOR4</li> </ul>	26 - 29 seconds	
<ul> <li>BSB3</li> </ul>	35 - 40 seconds	<ul> <li>BSB3</li> </ul>	50 - 54 seconds	
<ul> <li>BSB4</li> </ul>	21 - 23 seconds	<ul> <li>BSB4</li> </ul>	27 - 29 seconds	
<ul> <li>FORD4</li> </ul>	17 - 19 seconds	<ul><li>FORD4</li></ul>	23 - 24 seconds	
<ul> <li>ISO4</li> </ul>	32 - 38 seconds	<ul> <li>ISO4</li> </ul>	46 - 53 seconds	
<ul><li>ZAHN2</li></ul>	22 - 25 seconds	<ul><li>ZAHN2</li></ul>	30 - 33 seconds	

Note: Viscosities quoted are typical ranges obtained when using specified mix ratio.



#### Pot Life:

8 hours @ 21 - 25°C (70 - 77°F) with 1 volume of thinner

## **Application Guidelines**

#### **Recommended Application Conditions:**

Temperature 15 - 35°C (59 - 95°F)

Relative Humidity 20 - 85%

#### Application:

Apply 1 - 2 even cross coats to achieve recommended dry film thickness.



**Theoretical Coverage:** (ready for use with mix ratio 2:1)

3 m<sup>2</sup>/Lt @ 45 µm dry film thickness 120 ft<sup>2</sup>/US gal @ 1.8 mil dry film thickness

#### **Recommended Dry Film Thickness:**

40 - 50 μm 1.6 - 2 (mil)



#### **Dry Film Density:**

1.04 g/cm<sup>3</sup> 8.71 lbs/USgal

#### **Dry Film Weight:**

47 g/m<sup>2</sup> 0.009 lbs/ft<sup>2</sup>

Note: These application guidelines represent PPG's best advice for usage in standard conditions. Some parameters will be influenced by environmental conditions, equipment settings, and other variables.

#### **Equipment:**



Equipment Type	Tip Size	Pressure
Airmix	11"	Refer to manufacturer
HVLP Air Spray	1.3 to 18 mm	29 to 44 psi (2 to 3 bar)
Pressure Pot	1.0 to 1.2 mm	29 to 44 psi (2 to 3 bar)
Airless	11"	Refer to manufacturer

#### **Equipment Cleaning:**

Clean spray equipment before use and as soon as possible after use. DeSoto<sup>®</sup> CN20, CN44 or Desoclean<sup>™</sup> 45 solvent cleaners are recommended.

## **Physical Properties**



#### Colour:

Aluminium



#### Gloss:

20 - 40 units with a 60° gloss meter



Drying Times 50% R.H	23°C (73°F)
Dry to Handle	1 hour
Dry to Tape	6 to 8 hours
Dry to Fly	48 hours
Re-coat with self	15 to 45 minutes
Full Cure	7 days

Note: Drying times listed above are dependent upon film thickness applied, air flow conditions and application technique.



#### Flash Off:

Product to be air dried



#### VOC: (ASTM)

760 g/Lt
740 g/Lt
680 g/Lt
870 g/Lt



#### Flash Point:

FE107 Base Component	4°C (39°F)
T187 Thinner	32°C (90°F)

#### Shelf Life:

FE107 Base Component 24 months in original unopened container 10 years in original unopened container

Note: Shelf life may vary due to OEM specification requirements. Refer to container label for specific shelf life information.

<u>Note:</u> The application and performance property values above are typical for the material, but not intended for use in specifications or for acceptance inspection criteria because of variations in testing methods, conditions and configurations.

## **Storage Recommendations**



Inspect the condition of the container to ensure compliance. The material should be stored at temperatures between 5°C to 35°C (41°F to 95°F) to ensure shelf life.

Note: When procuring to a qualified material specification, follow those storage instructions.

### **Health Precautions**

This product is safe to use and apply when recommended precautions are followed. Before using this product, read and understand the Safety Data Sheet (SDS), which provides information on health, physical and environmental hazards, handling precautions and first aid recommendations. An SDS is available on request. Avoid overexposure. Obtain medical care in case of extreme overexposure.

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