ENCACEL® V
CP-45
Vapor Barrier Coating

VAPOR BARRIER AND WEATHERPROOFING COATING
FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR APPLICATIONS

DESCRIPTION
ENCACEL® V CP-45 is an elastomeric polymer-based vapor barrier and weatherproof coating designed for the protection of sprayed, board and block type insulation. It is available in white and gray and special colors upon request. ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating has outstanding adhesive properties and excellent flexibility, in addition to its superior vapor barrier characteristics.

USES
Finish for all cold insulation systems. It is also recommended for hot exterior sprayed polyurethane applications. In both cases, ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating is used as the finish coat after flashing and sealing all metal protrusions throughout the surface of the insulation. ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating can be used as a decorative finish over closed-cell flexible cellular plastics. Care must be taken that the adhesive bonded joint is not adversely affected by the solvent in the vapor barrier.

It is not to be used in direct contact with polystyrene foam insulation.

APPLICATION
ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating can be applied by spray or brush. (For applying by glove or trowel, ENCACEL X CP-40 Vapor Barrier Coating is recommended.) With its excellent bridging properties, ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating will provide a smooth finish, even over relatively rough substrates. On large exterior surfaces, such as sprayed polyurethane foam, airless spray provides the most economical and efficient method of application. Over sprayed polyurethane foam, a two-coat, two-color system is suggested to eliminate voids and holidays. It is suggested that ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating be stored at a minimum of 50ºF (10ºC) just prior to application to achieve optimum results.

Outdoor horizontal surfaces must always drain completely. A pitch of at least 1/2” per foot (4 cm/m) is recommended.

ADVANTAGES
• ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating will not check or crack in exterior applications.
• The cured film of ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating is fire-resistant and tough, yet flexible.
• It is resistive to many acids and alkalies.
• The excellent spray characteristics of the product minimizes the possibility of “pinholing”, resulting in a uniform monolithic film.

CERTIFIED
• Meets NFPA Standard 90-A and 90-B 25/50 requirements.
• Qualifies under Coast Guard Specification 164.012.
• This product has been tested according to ASTM E-84 (Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials).

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COLOR
CP-45 White, Spray/Brush
CP-45-1 Gray, Spray/Brush
Other colors available on special order.

WET WEIGHT
9.7 lbs./U.S. gal.
1.16 kg/liter

AVERAGE NON-VOLATILE
31% to 35% by volume, 46% by weight.

SERVICE TEMPERATURE RANGE
(Temperature to which dry film is subjected.)
-50ºF to 220ºF
-46ºC to 104ºC

APPLICATION TEMPERATURE RANGE
40ºF to 100ºF
4ºC to 38ºC

DRYING TIME
Touch–3-4 hours
Through–24 hours
(Drying time will vary depending upon film thickness, temperature and humidity.)

COVERAGE
6 gal./100 sq. ft. (2.4 l/sq. m)
Varies with substrate and membrane

CLEAN-UP
Xylene or Chlorinated solvent
(Dried Encacel is extremely difficult to remove.)

WATER VAPOR PERMEANCE
ASTM F 1249, 0.07 perms at 27 mils dry. Tested at 100ºF (38ºC) and 90% RH.

GENERAL PURPOSE COATING
SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS

Applied to ¼” Inorganic Reinforced Cement Board
Flame Spread: 10
Smoke Developed: 15
Rate per Coat (Sq.ft/gallon): 25
Number of Coats 1
Flash point of liquid coating (closed cup): 125 F (51.7 C) 282U

CP-45 contains no asbestos, lead, mercury, or mercury compounds.

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Suggested Specifications

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GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

The insulation will be installed in accordance with manufacturer’s recommendations and allowed to cure where necessary. The insulation shall be free of moisture, excessive rough texture, deteriorated surface, dirt, and debris. The coating shall be applied on the same day that the insulation is applied whenever possible.

DO NOT THIN ENCACEL® V CP-45.

1. Specification for Vapor Barrier Finish for Low Temperature Tanks and Equipment (-40º to 50ºF; -40ºC to 10ºC): Mastic finish over the insulation shall be ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating. It shall be applied in two coats, the first coat being a tack coat applied at a coverage rate of 2 U.S. gallons per 100 sq. ft. (.81 l/sq. m.). While still wet, a layer of CHIL-GLAS® #10 Glass Fiber Reinforcing Mesh shall be applied with all fabric seams overlapped a minimum of 2” (5.08 cm). A finish coat, at a coverage rate of 4 U.S. gallons per 100 sq. ft. (1.62 l/sq. m) shall then be applied. This total coverage rate will result in a uniform, pinhole-free coat at a minimum dry film thickness of 30 mils (.030", .08 cm) on a smooth surface. There shall be no voids or holidays. This represents 6 U.S. gallons per 100 sq. ft. (2.43 l/sq. m). Rough surfaces such as cellular glass will require 3 to 6 additional gallons of material to achieve recommended dry film thickness.

2. Specification for Cryogenic Design: (-40º to -300ºF; -40º to -184ºC): Tack coat coverage shall be 2 gallons per 100 sq. ft. (0.8 l/sq. m). Glass fiber reinforcing mesh shall be CHIL-GLAS® #10. A second coat shall be applied at a coverage rate of 2 gallons per 100 sq. ft. (0.8 l/sq. m). After a minimum 24 hour drying time, an additional coat (contrasting colors preferred) of ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating shall be applied at a coverage rate of 3 U.S. gallons per 100 sq. ft. (1.2 l/sq. m). This represents 7 gallons/100 sq. ft. (2.8 sq. m).

3. Specification for Vapor Barrier Finish for Low Temperature Tanks Piping and Equipment (-50º to 50ºF; -46ºC to 10ºC) for Sprayed Polyurethane Foam: Over monolithic sprayed-on insulation, glass fiber reinforcing mesh shall not be used. Mastic finish over insulation shall be ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating as manufactured by Specialty Construction Brands, Inc. Apply a uniform pinhole-free coat to a minimum dry film thickness of 30 mils (.030", .08 cm). It shall be applied in two coats (two contrasting colors preferred) using the cross hatch method at a coverage rate of 15 dry mils (.015", .04 cm) per coat. This represents 6 U.S. gallons per 100 sq. ft. (2.43 l/sq. m) coverage on a smooth surface. Rough surfaces will require 1 1/2 to 3 additional gallons of material to achieve recommended dry film millage. Sprayed Polyurethane Foam may be primed with Foster® 40-26™ Waterbase Primer prior to the application of Vapor Barrier Coating to improve adhesion. Many sprayed polyurethane systems are different; end user should always perform an adhesion test to ensure that the adhesion of MONOLAR Coating and primer system with the foam insulation is sufficient.

4. Specification for Weather Barrier Finish for Sprayed Polyurethane Insulations on tanks, piping, & equipment: Over monolithic sprayed-on insulation, glass fiber reinforcing mesh should not be used. Mastic finish over insulation shall be ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating. It shall be applied in a uniform pinhole-free coat to a minimum dry film thickness of 30 mils (.030", .08 cm). This represents 6 U.S. gallons per 100 sq. ft. (2.43 l/sq. m) coverage on a smooth surface. Rough surfaces will require 1 1/2 to 3 additional gallons of material to achieve recommended dry film millage. Use contrasting colors for each coat. Sprayed Polyurethane Foam may be primed with Foster® 40-26™ Waterbase Primer prior to the application of MONOLAR Coating to improve adhesion. Many sprayed polyurethane systems are different; end user should always perform an adhesion test to ensure that the adhesion of MONOLAR Coating and primer system with the foam insulation is sufficient.

Certain “hot” polyisocyanurate foams require a minimum four to six hours to complete their cure cycles. These foams should be coated within 24 hours after the cure cycle is completed. Consult your foam manufacturer for name and system number of “hot” foams.

NOTES TO SPECIFYING ENGINEER

Flashing:

1. Prior to the application of the vapor barrier coating system, a complete flashing shall be provided at all metal-to-insulation joints and/or protrusions through the insulation. Uniformity of surface shall be made by cutting or shaving the insulation on these protrusions as necessary.

   A. Apply by towel a 1/16” (.15 cm) wet coat of CHIL-BYL® CP-76 Joint Sealant a minimum of 3” (7.62 cm) over insulation and metal protrusion.

   B. Embed CHIL-GLAS® #10 Glass Fiber Reinforcing Mesh into wet CHIL-BYL CP-76 Joint Sealant a minimum of 3” (7.62 cm) over insulation and metal protrusion.

   C. Apply by towel a 1/8” (.30 cm) coat of CHIL-BYL CP-76 Joint Sealant over the entire glass fiber reinforcing mesh.

   D. Allow a minimum of 24 hours drying time for the applied flashing system.

   E. Apply ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating a minimum of 3” (7.62 cm) out over the insulation.

2. When using a solvent vapor barrier such as ENCACEL V CP-45, the joint sealant to be used shall be CHIL-BYL CP-76, CHIL-JOINT® CP-70 Joint Sealant should not be used for this application.

3. In applications where insulation has been fabricated with asphalt as the adhesive, or where asphalt has been used as a joint sealant, there may be discoloration of the ENCACEL V CP-45 Vapor Barrier Coating film. This discoloration will not affect the overall physical properties of the dry film.

4. Recommended Spraying Equipment

   Normal surface irregularities of sprayed polyurethane foam require correct atomization of sprayed coatings in order to achieve uniformity of dry film thickness. Encacel V CP-45 coating can be sprayed with a variety of airless pump models. For spray equipment information, please consult Airless Spray Recommendations.

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