

## SELECTION & SPECIFICATION DATA

**Generic Type** A two component, 100% solids epoxy based intumescent coating

# Description

Pyroclad X1 is designed to provide jet fire and hydrocarbon fire protection for structural elements, beams, columns, bulkheads, underdecks and risers. Pyroclad X1 is suitable for applications in the industrial, petrochemical, oil and gas, offshore and refining industries.

- Full jet fire certification in accordance with ISO 22899
- Excellent hydrocarbon pool fire protection (ISO 834/BS-476)
- · LR. DNV & ABS certification
- Successfully passed Norsok M-501 System 5A environmental test program without a topcoat

#### **Features**

- · Superior weathering resistance · Very low moisture absorption
- Explosion resistance
- · Extremely durable, impact resistant finish
- High film build properties
- · Low flame spread and smoke development

Color

Part A: Light Gray Part B: Dark Gray Mixed: Gray

Textured

**Finish** 

Aesthetics can be improved by trowel and back rolling.

Primer

Pyroclad X1 must be applied over a recommended approved primer or primer system. If the steel has already been coated with an existing primer, refer to Carboline Fireproofing Technical Service for advice before applying Pyroclad X1. Contact Carboline Fireproofing Technical Service for a complete list of approved primers.

Film Build | 5-6 mm (200-240 mils) per coat (typical)

Solids Content | By Volume 100%

**Spray Applied Density** 

1.03 - 1.10 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (recommended for 100% solids plural application)

The spray applied density of epoxy intumescent materials can vary depending on the application

method and parameters.

**VOC Values** 

As Supplied: 17 g/L (0.14 lb/gal)

Mesh

Carboline's High Temp Mesh or metal mesh should be installed in accordance with the appropriate design. The application details and mesh placement are dependent upon the design, steel size, project requirements, etc. Application details for mesh installation are outlined in the Pyroclad X1 Application Manual (latest revision).

Contact Carboline Fireproofing Technical Service for specific design details.

Limitations

Not recommended for steelwork subject to long-term surface temperatures over 80°C (176°F) in normal use.

**Topcoats** 

Pyroclad X1 must be applied to the specified DFT and reach proper cure before applying a topcoat. The choice of topcoat will depend on project requirements. Contact Carboline Fireproofing Technical Service for a complete list of approved topcoats.

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## SUBSTRATES & SURFACE PREPARATION

General

Remove all oil or grease from the surface to be coated using Thinner 2 or Carboline Surface Cleaner 3.

Steel

Steel preparation before application of approved primer should meet SSPC-SP6 for onshore service and SSPC-SP10 for offshore service.

Galvanized Steel | Contact Carboline Fireproofing Technical Service for advice.

**Non-Ferrous Metals** Contact Carboline Fireproofing Technical Service for advice.

Painted/Primed Structural Steel Existing coatings must attain a minimum 3A rating in accordance with ASTM D3359 Method A, X cut adhesion test. If acceptable, clean and lightly abrade in accordance with SSPC-SP2 or SP3 to roughen and de-gloss the surface. If not acceptable, the coating must be removed and areas reprimed with a compatible primer. If primer coating has acceptable adhesion, but is not compatible or compatibility is unknown, a tie-coat primer can be applied as a bonding or barrier coating. Contact Carboline Technical Service for a list of approved tie-coat primers and specific primer requirements.

Primer recoat intervals may vary from the published product datasheet when using under intumescent fireproofing products. Consult Carboline Technical Service for recommended cure times before applying Carboline intumescent products.

## PERFORMANCE DATA

## All test data was generated under laboratory conditions. Field testing results may vary.

Test Method	Results
ASTM C117 Thermal Conductivity @ 21°C (70°F)	1.5 Btu-in/hrft <sup>2</sup> °F
ASTM D2240 Shore D Hardness	70
ASTM D256 Izod Impact Strength	0.20 ft-lb/inch
ASTM D4541 Adhesion/Cohesion	12.7 MPa (1,840 psi) (average)
ASTM D638 Tensile Strength	10.0 MPa (1,450 psi)
ASTM D695 Compressive Strength	25.3 MPa (3,670 psi)
ASTM D790 Flexural Strength	27.0 MPa (3,920 psi)
ASTM E1269-11 Specific Heat @ 21°C (70°F)	1.28 J/g°C
ASTM E228 Coefficient of Thermal Expansion	33 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> in/in°F
ASTM E84 Flame Spread	20 (Class 1 / Class A)
ASTM E84 Smoke Development	65 (Class 1 / Class A)
Explosion Resistance	4 Bar
NFPA 58 Annex H Hose Stream Resistance	Pass
NORSOK M-501 System 5A Moisture Absorption	0.2% (untopcoated)

All values derived under controlled laboratory conditions.

## MIXING & THINNING

Mixer | Use 1/2" electric or air driven drill with a slotted paddle mixer (300 rpm under load).

Mixing

Pyroclad X1 is supplied in 40 kg (88 lb.) full kits and 20 kg (44 lb.) half kits. Full kits shall be used for plural applications and half kits are available trowel applications for easier mixing and to eliminate the need for splitting kits. The individual components must be preheated to 38°C (100°F) for 24 hours prior to use. Both components must be pre-mixed separately before introduction into the plural equipment. Mix components separately with slotted paddle mixing blade until even consistency is achieved.



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If applying by trowel, the individual components must also be preheated to 38°C (100°F) for 24 hours prior to use. The material shall be thinned up to 5% by volume. Mix equal volumes of solvent into both components and pre-mix separately prior to combining together. After the solvent has been fully incorporated into both parts, the material is then combined together and mixed until an even consistency and color are acheived. Refer to the Pyroclad X1 Application Manual.

# **Thinning**

Only use Carboline approved thinners for pre-mix and trowel applications. Thin with Plasite Thinner 19 or approved equal, such as Thinner #31. Thin up to 5% solvent by volume. Any other thinners must be approved by Carboline in writing prior to use.

Ratio

1:1.14 by weight 1:1 by volume

Working Time at 75° F (24° C)

45 minutes for trowel. Working time is not applicable for plural applications because the material is mixed at the mixing block just prior to whip hose and spray gun. For batch mix and trowel applications, the working time may be reduced depending on environmental conditions. Refer to the Pyroclad X1 Application Manual.

# APPLICATION EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES

Listed below are general equipment guidelines for the application of this product. Job site conditions may require modifications to these guidelines to achieve the desired results.

> Only use plural component spray equipment specifically designed for epoxy based intumescent fireproofing. All equipment must be approved by Carboline prior to use. Approved plural component spray systems and mixing equipment can be obtained from:

General

**WIWA LP Custom Airless Spray Systems** (Lahnau, Germany / Alger, OH, USA) ESCS ES-430 FR PFP (England, UK) or an equivalent equipment supplier.

Plural Component Airless Spray

Use a WIWA Duomix 333 PFP or ESCS ES-430 FR PFP Plural Component Application System or equivalent. Refer to the Pyroclad X1 Application Manual.

**Trowel** 

For small areas only. Material must be thinned up to 5% by volume. For trowel application refer to the Pyroclad X1 Application Manual.

Spray Gun

WIWA 500 PFP with WIWA tip adapter or equivalent.

**Gun Swivel** 

WIWA 34.5 MPa (5,000 psi) or equivalent with 12.7 mm x 9.5 mm (1/2" x 3/8") orifice

**Spray Tips** | 0.029" - 0.035" (RAC non diffuser tips and housing)

Fan Size | 152 mm - 254 mm (6"-10") (depending on section being sprayed).

Static Mixer

Standard Static 12 turn, 19 mm (3/4") I.D.

**Material Hose** 

30 m (100') heated hose bundle, with 19 mm (3/4") I.D. and 19 mm (3/4") I.D. mixer manifold (minimum)

Whip Hose | 6 m (20') with 12.7 mm (1/2") I.D. minimum





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# Compressor

Be certain that the air supply is a minimum of 185 cfm @ 100 psi (6.9 kPa). Air volume and pressure required will depend on equipment used.

Note: WIWA is a registered trademark of the Wilhelm Wagner GmbH & Co. KG

## **APPLICATION PROCEDURES**

Pre-cut all mesh before beginning application. Contact Carboline Technical Service or refer to the Pyroclad X1 Application Manual for High Temp Mesh and metal mesh design details. All mesh must be kept clean and dry.

Prior to spraying, the Pyroclad X1 must be preheated to a minimum of 38°C (100°F). For plural applications, perform at least two ratio checks per day and also after any equipment maintenance.

#### General

Apply Pyroclad X1 to point of mesh placement. Allow material to gel before installing mesh and backrolling. Apply pre-cut mesh into wet coating using trowels and/or solvent resistant mohair rollers. Use Plasite Thinner 19 or Carboline approved equivalent to mist down rollers to prevent them from sticking to the material. Allow material to cure sufficiently to support the weight of subsequent coats. Continue building material to specified thickness. Use solvent moistened rollers to back roll material after each subsequent coat to improve finish and level surface. Lighter coats will achieve a smoother finish. Contact Carboline Technical Service or refer to the Pyroclad X1 Application Manual for more detailed information.

## **Application Rates**

Typical thickness per coat is 2-6 mm (80-240 mils).

Multiple coats can be applied per day. The optimum way to apply Pyroclad X1 is in a "wet on wet" application and recoated within 24 hours to prevent any chance for contamination between coats.

#### Wet Film Thickness

Frequent thickness measurements with a wet film gauge are recommended during the application process to ensure uniform thickness.

## **Dry Film Thickness**

Final thickness shall be measured using an electronic dry film thickness gauge. For method of thickness determination and tolerances refer to: NORSOK Standard M-501 and AWCI Technical Manual 12-B (Standard Practice for the Testing and Inspection of Field Applied Thin Film Intumescent Fire Resistive Materials).

## APPLICATION CONDITIONS

Condition	Material	Surface	Ambient	Humidity
Minimum	100°F (38°C)	41°F (5°C)	41°F (5°C)	0%
Maximum	140°F (60°C)	125°F (52°C)	110°F (43°C)	85%

Air and substrate temperature must be at least 41°F (5°C) and rising. Steel surface temperature should be a minimum of 5°F (3°C) above the dew point. The surface must be clean, dry and contaminant free prior to applying Pyroclad X1.



## **CURING SCHEDULE**

Surface Temp.	Handle	Recoat	Topcoat	Touch
50°F (10°C)	18 Hours	1 Hour	12 Hours	2 Hours
77°F (25°C)	12 Hours	1 Hour	6 Hours	1 Hour
95°F (35°C)	6 Hours	30 Minutes	3 Hours	1 Hour

Curing intervals stated above are based on 100% solids plural application. Trowel applications will require longer curing times dependent upon amount of solvent added. Curing times are dependent upon temperature, air movement and humidity. Material can be heated to achieve a quicker recoating and curing schedule. Consult Carboline Fireproofing Technical Service for specific minimum and maximum topcoating details.

## TESTING / CERTIFICATION / LISTING

Underwriter's Laboratories, Inc.

Intertek Laboratories, Inc.

General NORSOK M-501 System 5A Rev. 6

Lloyd's Register Det Norske Veritas

American Bureau of Shipping

# **CLEANUP & SAFETY**

Cleanup

Always clean all equipment and tools immediately after use with Plasite Thinner 19 or Carboline approved equivalent. Flush static mixer, whip hose, gun and tips with hot water or solvent (depending on pump set up) immediately after each use. Break down static mixer, gun and tip assembly and hand clean.

**Safety** Follow all safety precautions on the Pyroclad X1 Material Safety Data Sheet.

Overspray | All adjacent and finished surfaces shall be protected from damage and overspray.

**Ventilation** In enclosed areas, ventilation shall not be less than 4 complete air exchanges per hour until the material is cured.

# **MAINTENANCE**

General

If coating becomes damaged, rebuild required thickness by spray or trowel. When dry, smooth and finish with approved topcoat to match. Damaged areas must be abraded back to a firm edge by sanding or scraping. The topcoat should be abraded back by 25.4 mm (1") from the damaged area. The surface must be clean and dry before re-applying Pyroclad X1. The coating shall then be built back to the original thickness. If the mesh is damaged, it must be cut out and replaced as well. Allow to cure and then overcoat with the specified topcoat or system. Refer to Pyroclad X1 Application Manual.

# PACKAGING, HANDLING & STORAGE

Pyroclad X1 is supplied in 40 kg and 20 kg kits.

Full kit: 40 kg (88.2 lb)

Packaging | Half kit: 20 kg (44.1 lb)

This product is filled by weight. Apparent fill volume may vary slightly due to entrained air.





# PACKAGING, HANDLING & STORAGE

18 Months

**Shelf Life** 

Shelf Life: (actual stated shelf life) when kept at recommended storage conditions and in original unopened containers.

Store indoors in a dry environment between Storage 0°C - 48°C (32°F - 120°F).

**Shipping Weight** Full kit: 43.6 kg (96.2 lb) (Approximate) Half kit: 23.6 kg (52.1 lb)

Part A: >200°C (>392°F) Flash Point (Setaflash) Part B: >200°C (>392°F)

## WARRANTY

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