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SIGMA SAILADVANCE™ DX

DESCRIPTION

Low friction, linear self polishing antifouling based on organic hydrolysable polymer binder, designed for broad operational ranges

PRINCIPAL CHARACTERISTICS

- Designed as the antifouling system suitable for a range of vessel activities
- Self-polishing antifouling with good weathering properties for atmospheric resistance during vessel construction and in-service
- Controlled polishing rate to give effective protection in accordance with the specified dry film thickness
- Enhances self-smoothing capabilities to give optimal hull roughness reduction
- Controls settlement of shell and weed fouling for prolonged periods, depending on sailing pattern and routes
- Complies with IMO Antifouling Systems Convention
- Developed based upon pure silyl acrylate resin technology

COLOR AND GLOSS LEVEL

- Redbrown, brown
- Flat

BASIC DATA AT 20°C (68°F)

Data for product	
Number of components	One
Mass density	1.8 kg/l (15.0 lb/US gal)
Volume solids	54 ± 2%
VOC (Supplied)	Directive 1999/13/EC, SED: max. 219.0 g/kg max. 398.0 g/l (approx. 3.3 lb/US gal)
Recommended dry film thickness	75 - 165 µm (3.0 - 6.5 mils) depending on system
Theoretical spreading rate	3.6 m ² /l for 150 µm (144 ft ² /US gal for 6.0 mils)
Dry to touch	2 hours
Overcoating Interval	Minimum: 6 hours
Shelf life	At least 12 months when stored cool and dry

Notes:

- See ADDITIONAL DATA – Spreading rate and film thickness
- See ADDITIONAL DATA – Overcoating intervals

RECOMMENDED SUBSTRATE CONDITIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Substrate conditions

- Previous coat must be sound, dry and free from any contamination
- Suitable high performance anticorrosive tiecoats



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Substrate temperature and application conditions

- Substrate temperature during application should be at least 3°C (5°F) above dew point

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

- Stir well before use
- The temperature of the paint should preferably be above 15°C (59°F), otherwise extra thinner may be required to obtain application viscosity
- Adding too much thinner results in reduced sag resistance

Airless spray

Recommended thinner

THINNER 21-06

Volume of thinner

0 - 3%, depending on required thickness and application conditions

Nozzle orifice

Approx. 0.53 - 0.69 mm (0.021 - 0.027 in)

Nozzle pressure

12.0 - 15.0 MPa (approx. 120 - 150 bar; 1741 - 2176 p.s.i.)

Brush/roller

- Only for touch-up and spot repair

Recommended thinner

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Volume of thinner

0 - 3%

Cleaning solvent

THINNER 21-06

ADDITIONAL DATA

Spreading rate and film thickness	
DFT	Theoretical spreading rate
75 µm (3.0 mils)	7.2 m ² /l (289 ft ² /US gal)
100 µm (4.0 mils)	5.4 m ² /l (217 ft ² /US gal)
150 µm (6.0 mils)	3.6 m ² /l (144 ft ² /US gal)
165 µm (6.5 mils)	3.3 m ² /l (133 ft ² /US gal)

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Overcoating interval for DFT up to 165 µm (6.5 mils)							
Overcoating with...	Interval	-5°C (23°F)	0°C (32°F)	5°C (41°F)	10°C (50°F)	20°C (68°F)	30°C (86°F)
itself	Minimum	30 hours	24 hours	18 hours	12 hours	6 hours	4 hours
	Refloating - Minimum	48 hours	30 hours	24 hours	18 hours	12 hours	9 hours

Notes:

- Longer drying times may be necessary at higher DFT and under unfavorable atmospheric conditions
- Above table is a fair indication for normal application conditions. Please contact your PPG representative for data at much lower and higher DFT conditions.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

- For paint and recommended thinners see INFORMATION SHEETS 1430, 1431 and relevant Material Safety Data Sheets
- This is a solvent-borne paint and care should be taken to avoid inhalation of spray mist or vapor, as well as contact between the wet paint and exposed skin or eyes

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It is always the aim of PPG Protective and Marine Coatings to supply the same product on a worldwide basis. However, slight modification of the product is sometimes necessary to comply with local or national rules/circumstances. Under these circumstances an alternative product data sheet is used.

REFERENCES

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| • EXPLANATION TO PRODUCT DATA SHEETS | INFORMATION SHEET | 1411 |
| • SAFETY INDICATIONS | INFORMATION SHEET | 1430 |
| • SAFETY IN CONFINED SPACES AND HEALTH SAFETY, EXPLOSION HAZARD – TOXIC HAZARD | INFORMATION SHEET | 1431 |

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Depending on specific country of application the following versions are available:

Article code	Color	Reference
316705	redbrown	2008002200
330769	brown	2000002200
323604	N redbrown	2008001500
323229	N brown	2000001500
343983	N redbrown	2008002200
343985	N brown	2008002200

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