

# **LOCTITE® PC 7321**

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#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

LOCTITE® PC 7321 provides the following product characteristics:

Technology	Ероху		
Chemical type	Polysulphide modified epoxy		
Appearance (resin)	White, light grey, grey		
Appearance (hardener)	Beige liquid		
Appearance (mixed)	White, light grey, grey		
Components	Two components – resin & hardener		
Mix Ratio, (by weight) resin : hardener	1:1		
Mix Ratio, (by volume) resin : hardener	1:1		
Cure	Room temperature cure after mixing		
Application	Coating		
Application temperature	10°C to 40°C (50°F to 104°F)		
Service temperature	up to 70°C (158°F)		
Specific benefits	<ul> <li>Enhanced adhesion to many substrates</li> <li>Good corrosion protection</li> <li>Good impact resistance</li> <li>Chemical resistance to a wide variety of fluids</li> <li>Very low permeability to water and vapor</li> <li>Non-toxic</li> <li>Good flexibility and crack bridging ability</li> <li>VOC free</li> <li>Easy to apply</li> </ul>		

LOCTITE® PC 7321 is a two-component polysulphide modified epoxy based protective coating designed for superior adhesion, corrosion protection and high chemical resistance for steel and concrete structures. It is a two-part system which can be applied up to 1mm thickness to provide a flexible, elastomeric, crack bridging, water and chemical resistant coating. Typical applications include industrial corrosion protection of steel and concrete structures, hard wearing floor coating, water pipes ,tanks and vessels against external chemical attacks.

# Typical properties of uncured material

# Resin

Specific Gravity @ 23°C 1,5
Viscosity, brookfield – RVF @ 25°C, mPa.s (cP):
Spindle 5, speed 10 rpm, 17,500

# Hardener

Specific Gravity @ 23°C 1.5
Viscosity, brookfield – RVF @ 25°C, mPa.s (cP):
Spindle 5, speed 20 rpm, 5,600

### Mixed

Specific Gravity @ 23°C 1.5

Viscosity, brookfield – RVF @ 25°C, mPa.s (cP):
Spindle 5, speed 20 rpm, 5,800

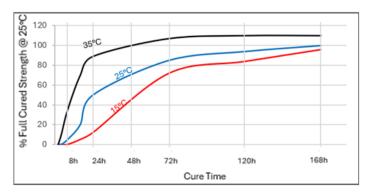
# Typical curing performance

Curing @ 23°C, 50%RH

Gel Time, ASTM D2471, minutes	150
Pot life (200g mass, spindle 5, 20 rpm), STM 10, minutes	45
Recoat time, hours	10-12

# Cure Speed vs. Temperature

The graph below shows the shear strength developed with time on grit blasted mild steel lap shears and tested according to ISO 4587.





## Typical performance of cured material

Cured for 1 week @ 23°C, then heating 1 hour @105°C

Cured for 1 week @ 23°C

## Physical properties:

Glass Transition Temperature (Tg), °C DSC, ISO 11357-3	48
Shore Hardness, ASTM 2240, Durometer D	72
Bend test, ISO ISO 1519, mm	2
Impact test, GB/T 1732-2020, cm	50

## **Abrasion properties:**

Taber Abrasion Resistance, ASTM D4060, mg	
1 kg load, CS-17 wheels, 1,000 cycles	163
1 kg load, CS-10 wheels, 1,000 cycles	100
Weight of material lost	(dry)

## Adhesive properties:

Lap Shear Strength, ISO 4587	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	13
Mild steel (grit blasted)	(psi)	(1,900)
Pull Off Adhesion, ISO 4624	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	9
Mild steel (grit blasted)	(psi)	(1,300)

## TYPICAL ENVIRONMENTAL RESISTANCE

Cured for 1 week @ 23°C

The table below shows chemical resistance performance under immersed test.

Chemical type	Test time	Test standard	Result
Water	30 days	GB/T 1733-1993	pass
Salt Water (40°C, 3% Nacl)	7 days	GB/T 9274-1988 (ISO 2812:1974)	pass
Sulphuric Acid (3%)	30 days	GB/T 9274-1988 (ISO 2812:1974)	pass
Sodium hydroxide (3%)	30 days	GB/T 9274-1988 (ISO 2812:1974)	pass
Neutral salt spray	5000 hrs	GB/T 1771-2007 (ISO 7253:1996)	pass

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

This product is not recommended for use in pure oxygen and/or oxygen rich systems and should not be selected as a sealant for chlorine or other strong oxidizing materials.

For safe handling information on this product, consult the Material Safety Data Sheet.

#### Directions for use

### Surface preparation

Proper surface preparation is critical to the long-term performance of this product. The exact requirements vary with the severity of the application, expected service life, and initial substrate conditions.

- Remove dirt, oil, grease etc with a suitable cleaner, e.g. highpressure water cleaning system using LOCTITE<sup>®</sup> cleaner/degreaser.
- 2. All skip welds, weld spatter, buckshot, and other surface roughness must be ground down; undercuts and pinholes must be ground and filled. All projections, edges, high points, and fillets must be ground to radius of at least 3mm and all corners must be likewise rounded to maximize product performance.
- 3. Blast all surfaces to be coated with a sharp edged angular grit to a depth of profile of 75 to 100 microns and a degree of cleanliness of Near White Metal (SIS SA 2½ /SSPC-SP 10). For immersion service, a degree of cleanliness of white metal (SIS SA 3/SSPC-SP 5) is required.
- 4. After blasting, metal surfaces should be cleaned, e.g. with LOCTITE® solvent based, residue free cleaner becoated before any oxidation or contamination takes place.
- 5. Metal that has been in contact with salt solutions, e.g. seawater, should be grit blasted and high-pressure water blasted, left for 24hours to allow any salts in the metal to sweat to the surface. A test for chloride contamination should be performed. The procedure should be repeated until chloride concentration on the surface is below 50mg/m² (50µg/cm²). Then blast and clean the surface as described on point 3 and 4 above.

#### Mixing

- Mix Part A (resin) and Part B (hardener) separately for one minute using a slow speed drill fitted with a paddle. Then add Part B into Part A and mix thoroughly for 2-3 minutes to achieve uniform consistency.
- 2. Apply immediately after mixing within the pot life.

# **Application**

- Film thickness per coat: 200 to 250 microns (8 to 10 mils).
   Minimum of 2 coats is recommended to avoid any pin holes.
   Layering of two different colors may be used as a wear indicator for re-application.
- Multiple coat application may be carried out within the time if final thickness cannot be achieved with one application. If this time has elapsed, light abrasive blasting is required, followed by a solvent wash to remove any abrasive residues.
- 3. Ambient and substrate temperature range: 15 to 40°C (59 to 104°F)
- 4. Relative humidity: <85 %; substrate temperature must always be 3°C higher than the dew point.



# Inspection

- 1. Visually inspect for pinholes and voids just after application.
- 2. Once the coating has cured, repeat visual inspection to confirm absence of pinholes, voids, or damaged areas.
- 3. Control thickness of the coating, especially in the critical points.
- Perform a test with a holiday detector to confirm coating continuity.

#### Color

- Color variation is possible between the batches and will not affect the performance of the product.
- 2. LOCTITE® PC 7321 is available in three colors.

# Coverage

To achieve a 0.25 millimeter (10 mils) thickness, the coverage rate will be 80 m $^2$  (861 ft $^2$ ) for 30 kg (66 lb) / 20L (5.28 gal), excluding overthickness, repairs, etc.

# Repairs

Any voids, pinholes, low thickness areas found in the coating should be repaired by lightly abrading, cleaning and applying further product.

## Clean-up

Immediately after use, clean tools with LOCTITE $^{\circledR}$  solvent based cleaner. Once cured, the material can only be removed mechanically.

#### Storage

Store product in the unopened container in a dry location. Storage information may be indicated on the product package labeling.

Optimal Storage: 8°C to 21°C. Storage below 8°C or greater than 28°C can adversely affect product properties.

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# **Product specification**

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# **Approval and Certificate**

Please contact Henkel representative for related approval or certificate of this product.

## Data ranges

The data contained herein may be reported as a typical value. Values are based on actual test data and are verified on a periodic basis

Temperature/Humidity Ranges:  $23^{\circ}$ C / 50% RH =  $23\pm2^{\circ}$ C /  $50\pm5\%$  RH

## Conversions

(°C x 1.8) + 32 = °F kV/mm x 25.4 = V/mil mm / 25.4 = inches  $\mu$ m / 25.4 = mil N x 0.225 = lb N/mm x 5.71 = lb/in N/mm² x 145 = psi MPa x 145 = psi N·m x 8.851 = lb·in N·m x 0.738 = lb·ft N·mm x 0.142 = oz·in mPa·s = cP

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