

# HEGSEL® Corr 217

Specialty Filler-Enhanced Chemical Resistant Coating

*You Build, We Protect!*

**Description:**

**HEGSEL Corr 217** is an advanced polymer coating that utilizes nanotechnology and is fortified with specialized fillers. It is meticulously formulated to provide robust protection against corrosive agents prevalent in the chemical industry, enhancing the durability and performance of industry-specific equipment.

**HEGSEL Corr 217** is specifically engineered for exceptional chemical and thermal resistance, maintaining its integrity at high temperatures where conventional coatings falter. Additionally, it exhibits superior mechanical strength and outstanding adhesion properties on both steel and concrete substrates, making it ideal for demanding environments in the chemical industry.

**Characteristics:**

- Ambient curing
- Self-priming, single-coat application
- Suitable for use on both metal and concrete substrates
- Exceptional durability against concentrated organic / mineral acids, alkalis, and solvents at both ambient and high temperatures
- Superior adhesion strength

**Application Areas:**

- Chemical storage tanks
- Pipelines, process vessels
- Concrete walls / floors
- Secondary containment dikes

**Chemical Resistance:**

- Sulphuric acid 98%
- Hydrochloric acid 37%
- Glacial acetic 100%
- Sodium hypochlorite 15%
- Phenol 100%
- Nitric acid 50%
- Sulfate and chloride compounds
- Sodium hydroxide 50%
- Phosphoric acid 84%

**Application Data:**

<b>Finish</b>	Glossy		
<b>Colour</b>	Black and Grey		
<b>Number of Coats</b>	1		
<b>Practical Consumption</b>	Brush Grade: Approx. 2.2 kg/m <sup>2</sup> @ 800 microns DFT		
	Spray Grade: Approx. 2.5 kg/m <sup>2</sup> @ 800 microns DFT		
<b>@Temperature</b>	<b>20°C</b>	<b>30°C</b>	<b>40°C</b>
<b>Pot Life</b>	Brush: 45 min	Brush: 30 min	Brush: 15 min
	Spray: 55 min	Spray: 35 min	Spray: 20 min
<b>Tack Free / Drying Time</b>	Brush: 130 min	-	-
	Spray: 130 min		

**Note 1:** The practical consumption and DFT are subject to specific project conditions and will adjust accordingly to ensure optimal results. Please consult HEGSEL!

**Note 2:** All the provided values are approximate and should be used as guidelines for specifications.

**Technical Data:**

Title	Standard	Value
<b>Density (Mix)</b>	-	1.75 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
<b>Solids Content</b>	-	100%
<b>Mixed Viscosity Brush Grade</b>	20°C	40,000 ± 5,000 mPa.s
<b>Mixed Viscosity Spray Grade</b>	20°C	25,000 ± 5,000 mPa.s
<b>Impact Resistance</b>	ASTM G14	Forward: 9 Joules Reverse: 2.8 Joules
<b>Abrasion Resistance</b>	ASTM D4060 (Taber CS-17/1kg/1000 cycles)	30 mg weight loss
<b>Adhesives Strength Brush Grade</b>	ASTM D4541	18 MPa (cohesive failure)
<b>Adhesives Strength Spray Grade</b>	ASTM D4541	28 MPa (cohesive failure)
<b>Elongation to Break</b>	BS 6319: Part 7: 1985	1.5%
<b>Elastic Modulus</b>	BS 6319: Part 2: 1983	10 GPa
<b>Compressive Strength</b>	BS 6319: Part 2: 1983	110 MPa
<b>Tensile Strength</b>	BS 6319: Part 7: 1985	35 MPa
<b>Temperature Resistance</b>	NACE TM0174	Immersed: +115°C Non-Immersed: +135°C

**Packaging:**

3 kg and 5 kg kits

**Storage:**

+36 months in sealed original containers under dry and cool conditions.  
Protect from heat and freeze!

## 1. Surface Preparation

To obtain the best results commence by grit blasting the surface to strip off the previous coating, followed by high-pressure water jet cleaning to cleanse any surface chemical contaminants and soluble salts.

Let the substrate dry and then re-blast the surface with angular grit to achieve a minimum blast profile of 75 microns and attain an SA 2.5 level of surface cleanliness. Clear away any remaining dust and grit. In cases where the surface has been immersed in salt water it requires grit blasting, a 24-hour rest period, and then a fresh water rinse before undergoing another blast. New surfaces should be Meticulously degreased prior to the final grit blast. Immediate coating of the prepared surface is crucial to prevent oxidation and contamination.

## 2. Mixing

To ensure optimal performance of the product, thorough mixing is essential. Make sure both base and hardener components are kept between 20 and 30°C before mixing and always keep the materials in a shaded area before, during and after mixing. Upon opening the base tin, any substance on the lid must be incorporated into the tin. Gradually incorporate the hardener into the base, ensuring a slow stirring motion with the power mixer. Once the entirety of the hardener has been seamlessly added, elevate the power mixer's speed to its maximum. Proceed with this for an additional two minutes, while concurrently using a sturdy spatula or palette knife to scrape the interior walls of the container. This method ensures comprehensive blending of all materials.

The usability of the mixed material lasts for a duration approximately equal to the pot life. Refrain from mixing a quantity of material that exceeds what can be used within the pot life span.

## 3. Environmental Conditions

Prior to the application of the coating, make sure that the temperature of the surface is no less than 15°C, the temperature of the air is at least 3°C above the dew point, and ensure the relative humidity is less than 80%. In case the substrate's temperature falls below 15°C, it may be necessary to use external heating to elevate the ambient temperature and subsequently heat the substrate. For outdoor applications, create an enclosure around the equipment to be coated using plastic sheeting and then pump warm air into this enclosed area. Be

careful to prevent recontamination of the surface which is prepared from close sources. Avoid applying the coating in windy conditions unless there is no other choice in these instances, encase the equipment in plastic sheeting as mentioned earlier.

## 4. Application Tools

**Brush Grade:** Application of the mixture can be performed using a stiff bristle brush, with a width of approx. 7.5 cm and bristles not exceeding 5 cm in length. If you are using a new brush, ensure to condition it by forcefully bending and yanking the bristles to eliminate any loose ones. This step is significant to avert the coating from being contaminated by bristles while the application is taking place.

**Spray Grade:** utilize a single-component airless spray unit with a 63:1 ratio, equipped with a 21 thou reversible fluid tip and a fan angle of approximately 60°. Smoother coating finish can be achieved using a 19 thou tip.

## 5. Application

Apply a stripe coat to corners, edges, and welds. For Spray Grade, initiate the wet on wet application of **HEGSEL Corr 217** by applying onto the stripe coat and build up to the specified film thickness in a single coat. For Brush Grade, apply **HEGSEL Corr 217** by firmly brushing into the substrate to ensure surface wet out and then proceed to form the specified film thickness in a single layer. Frequently monitor the wet film thickness with the help of a wet film thickness gauge particularly when dealing with concrete substrates where it is not feasible to measure DFT. Tools and equipment should be cleaned with MEK or acetone-based thinners immediately after coating. However, if the equipment is used in hot climates for a lengthy period, then it must be cleaned after every 60 minutes before spraying can re-commence. Once cleaned it can be used for a further 60 minutes without stopping and so on.

**N/B:** **HEGSEL Corr 217** should be applied in a single coat (wet on wet). If an additional coat is required, the first coat should be blasted prior to the application of the second coat. Please seek our consultation!

## 6. Quality Control

Between 12 to 24 hours after application inspect the integrity of the coating applied with a 90V DC Wet Sponge holiday detector. Make sure that the coated surface is completely soaked by repeatedly running the sponge across it. An alternative approach involves utilizing a wire brush high voltage spark tester set at 800-1000 V. An inductance type electronic dry film thickness tester can be employed to provide a quantitative assessment of the dry coating thickness.

## 7. Repairing Defects

If the coating has been applied 25% beneath specification, repairs should be made. Use a distinctive marker pen to identify pinholes, misses, and areas with thin coating for repair. Any loose material surrounding the defect must be removed to leave behind firmly adhered coating. Subject the defect to spot grit blasting until the bare metal surfaces with at least SA 2.5 cleanliness and a minimum profile of 75 microns is achieved. Also, it is imperative to sweep blast 5 cm of the surrounding sound coating to create a rough surface as repair overlap. Prior to applying the repair of **HEGSEL Corr 217** clean the blasted area with xylene. Brush firmly into the surface profile to ensure complete wet out and then build to required thickness in a single coat. Apply the repair mix firmly into the surface profile with the brush to guarantee complete wet out, subsequently building to the needed thickness in a single layer.

## 8. Curing Time Schedule

After approximately 130 minutes the applied coating would be touch dry at 20°C. A minimum curing period of 3-4 days at 20°C should be provided before exposing to a chemical load. For coating surface decontamination or to improve chemical resistance after ambient curing, subject the coating to 100°C steam for roughly 4 hours.

## 9. Safety Measures

The material safety data sheets of the individual components, the safety instructions on the packing (label) as well as the legal requirements for handling hazardous materials must be observed.

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