Hempalin Undercoat

Product characteristics

Description
Hempalin Undercoat 42460 is a fairly quick-drying alkyd paint.

Recommended use
As a general purpose undercoating in alkyd paint systems on exterior and interior steelwork, wood, plaster, etc. in mildly to moderately corrosive environment.

Service temperature:
- Maximum, dry exposure only: 120°C [248°F].
- Minimum, recommended by Hempel for dry exposure: -50°C [-58°F].

Product safety

Flash point 38°C [100°F]

VOC content

Legislation	Value
EU	377 g/L [3.15 lb/US gal]
US (coatings)	377 g/L [3.15 lb/US gal]
US (regulatory)	377 g/L [3.15 lb/US gal]
China	377 g/L [3.15 lb/US gal]

According to specific legislation, see details in the Explanatory Notes available at Hempel website, hempel.com or at your local Hempel website.

Handling
Handle with care. Before and during use, observe safety labels on packaging and paint containers and follow all local and national safety regulations. Always consult Hempel's Safety Data Sheet for this product along with the Product Data Sheet.

For professional use only.

Product data

Product code: 42460

Standard shade / code: White 10000

Gloss: Flat

Volume solids: 52 ± 2%

Specific gravity: 1.5 kg/L [12 lb/US gal]

Reference dry film thickness: 40 micron [1.6 mils]

Surface preparation

Cleanliness
- Remove oil, grease and other contaminants by suitable detergent cleaning.
- Remove salts, detergents and other contaminants by high pressure fresh water cleaning.

New build:
- All damage of shopprimer and contamination from storage and fabrication should be thoroughly mechanically/chemically cleaned prior to final painting.
- Abrasive blasting to min. Sa 2½ (ISO 8501-1) / SP 10 (SSPC) / NACE No.2.
- Remove dust, blast media and loose materials.

Maintenance and Repair
- Spot abrasive blasting to min. PSa 2 (ISO 8501-2) / SP 6 (SSPC).
- Minor areas can be cleaned by power tool to St 3 provided the surface is roughened and not polished.
- Remove dust, blast media and loose materials.

Consult Hempel's separate Surface Preparation Guidelines for more details.

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Application

Mixing ratio
Stir well before use.

Thinner
Hempel's Thinner 08230

Cleaner
Hempel's Thinner 08230

Application method

Tool	Application parameters
Airless spray	Nozzle pressure: 150 bar [2200 psi] Nozzle orifice: 0.015-0.018"
Air spray	-
Brush	-

If brush or roller application is used, more coats will be necessary to achieve the specified dry film thickness. Spray data are indicative and subject to adjustment. Pressure is for a material temperature of 20°C [68°F].

Film thickness

Specification range	Low	High	Recommended
Dry film thickness	30 micron [1.2 mils]	40 micron [1.6 mils]	40 micron [1.6 mils]
Wet film thickness	58 micron [2.3 mils]	77 micron [3.1 mils]	77 micron [3.1 mils]
Theoretical spreading rate	17 m²/L [693 sq ft/US gal]	13 m²/L [530 sq ft/US gal]	13 m²/L [530 sq ft/US gal]

Product may be specified in another film thickness than indicated depending on purpose and area of use. This will alter spreading rate, drying and curing time and overcoating interval. For best performance, avoid excessive film thickness.

Application conditions
- To avoid condensation, apply on a clean and dry surface with a temperature that is at least 3°C [5°F] above the dew point.
- Surface temperature must be above 5°C [41°F] during application and curing.

Relative Humidity:
- Relative humidity must be below 90% during drying and curing.

Drying and overcoating

Product compatibility
- Previous coat: According to Hempel's Specification.
- Subsequent coat: According to Hempel's Specification.

Drying time

Surface temperature		20°C [68°F]
Touch dry	hours	4

Determined for dry film thickness 40 micron [1.6 mils] at standard conditions, see Hempel's Explanatory Notes for details.

Overcoating details
- If the maximum overcoating interval is exceeded, roughening of the surface is necessary to ensure intercoat adhesion.
- The surface must be dry and clean prior to application.

Other remarks
- Hempel's Specification supersedes any recommendations given in the Product Data Sheets.

Storage

Shelf life

Ambient temperature	25°C [77°F]
Product	60 months

Shelf life from date of production, when stored in original, unopened containers. Thereafter, the product quality must be re-inspected. Storage at elevated temperatures may reduce shelf life. The shelf life printed on product labels is based on regional climate conditions. For advice, please consult Hempel.

Storage conditions
- The product must be stored in accordance with Safety Data Sheet, label and local regulations. Keep the containers in a dry, shaded, cool, well-ventilated space and away from sources of heat and ignition. Containers must be kept tightly closed. Handle with care.

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Carbon Footprint

Dry film thickness	1 µm	1 mil
GWP (Global Warming Potential)	6.5 g CO_2e/m^2	0.034 lb CO_2e/ft^2

The carbon footprint is for 1 square meter / square foot of surface area with a dry film thickness of 1 micron / mil.

The scope includes raw materials, in-bound transport to the Hempel factory, Hempel manufacturing processes, and any Volatile Organic Compounds emitted during and after the application of the product.

It is calculated based on the standard shade defined in this PDS. Values may vary with shade.

Additional documents

Additional information is available at the Knowledge Center: https://www.hempel.com/knowledge-center . The documents below can be found in the Technical Guidelines section: https://www.hempel.com/knowledge-center/technical-guidelines or at the Hempel website.

- Explanatory Notes for Product Data Sheet.
- Application methods.
- General Application Guidelines

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No.	Document description	Location/comments
1.	Technical Statement	One-off specific advice provided on request for specific projects
2.	Specification	Only issued for specific projects
3.	PDS	This document
4.	Explanatory Notes to the PDS	Available at www.hempel.com and contain relevant information about the Product testing parameters
5.	Application Instruction	Where available, at www.hempel.com
6.	Generic technical guidelines (e.g. on application and surface preparation)	Where available, at www.hempel.com

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