# **AkzoNobel**

# **8B6A**

#### **Technical Data Sheet**

#### **Product Group**

## **Characteristics**



Product Information

#### **Conductive Coating**

A black, two-component catalyzed polyurethane conductive coating with pigments selected for electrical conductive capabilities and for maximum erosion, abrasion and impact resistance. 8B6A provides exceptional rain erosion resistance and conductivity for bleeding off surface static electricity where cured film resists chemicals such as lubricants, hydraulic fluids and aircraft fuels.

Recommended for application to deicing equipment, propeller blades and other critical airframe areas subject to damaging effects of high-speed contact with rain, hail, dust and other corrosive elements.

#### Components



Base 8B6A

Curing Agent Curing Solution 50C3A

Thinner Thinner 66C28
Thinner Thinner 66C20

## **Specifications**



Qualified Product List

Goodyear GOODYEAR CUBERSIC

Hamilton Sundstrand Corp HS 7136, TY I, CL B

Irkut 741.14021-00-00-0038-0T040B

McDonnell Douglas HMS 20-1642
Pratt & Whitney Aircraft PWA 36013

Product specifications are constantly changing, to ensure the most accurate information regarding specifications, please check our online qualified product list (QPL) at aerospace.akzonobel.com/products.

#### **Surface Conditions**



Surface Preparation/ Cleaning Surface pretreatment is an essential part of the painting process.

- Clean laminates thoroughly.
- Sand lightly and apply conductive coating.

If pinholes or surface irregularities are present in the laminate, fill with; static conditioner filler (28C1) after cleaning and sanding, and surfacer (8W5) as required, prior to the application of 8B6A.

#### **Instruction for Use**



Spray Application (Mix Ratio)

	Volume
8B6A	4 parts
Curing Solution 50C3A	1 part
Thinner*	0-1 part

- \* Thinner options: Thinner 66C28, Thinner 66C20
- -Allow products to acclimate to room temperature before use.
- -Stir or shake the base component thoroughly until all pigment is uniformly dispersed before adding the curing solution.
- -Add the curing solution and stir the catalyzed mixture thoroughly.
- -Optionally, add up to 1 part 66C20 fast evaporating thinner, or 66C28 slow evaporating thinner if needed, and stir the catalyzed mixture again thoroughly.

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Induction Time

15 - 20 minutes



Initial Spraying Viscosity (25°C/77°F)

20 seconds minimum as measured without added thinner with Signature Zahn-Cup #2



Note

Viscosity measurements are provided as guidelines only and are not to be used as quality control parameters. Certified information is provided by certification documentation available on request.



Pot life (25°C/77°F)

6-8 hours.



Dry Film Thickness (DFT)

Conductivity is achieved at a film thickness of 37-50  $\mu$ m (1.5-2.0 mils). Rain erosion performance is optimized at a film thickness of 200-250  $\mu$ m (8.0-10.0 mils).

## **Application Recommendations**



Conditions

Temperature:  $15 - 35 ^{\circ}\text{C}$ 

59 – 95 °F



35 – 75 %



Note

The quality of the application of all coatings will be influenced by the spray equipment chosen and the temperature, humidity, and airflow of the paint application area. When applying the product for the first time, it is recommended that test panels be prepared in order to identify the best equipment settings to be used in optimizing the performance and appearance of the coating.



Equipment Recommendation

Spray gun type	Product supply	Fluid Pressure	Nozzle orifice	Product flow	Dynamic air pressure at gun-inlet *
Conventional	NA	NA	1.4 – 1.8 mm	NA	NA
HVLP / Next Generation	NA	NA	1.2 – 1.4 mm	NA	NA
Air Atomizing (electrostatic)	NA	NA	.2833 mm	NA	NA
Pressure Atomizing (electrostatic)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA



Number of Coats

Allow brush coat to stand 6 hours to overnight between coats. Spray coats maybe applied consecutively, allowing 30 minutes between coats.



Cleaning of Equipment

MEK, or C28/15

# **Physical Properties**

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**Drying Times** 

25°C/77°F, 55% RH

Tack Free 30 – 60 minutes

Dry Through 6 – 8 hours

Full Cure 7 days

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Theoretical Coverage

10.9 m² per liter ready to apply at 25 μm dry film thickness 445 ft² per US gallon ready to apply at 1 mil dry film thickness

kg 1 μm

Dry Film Weight

55.35 g/m² at 25.4 μm .0113 lbs/ft² at 1 mil

Gloss (60°) Maximum 10 GU

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Color

Flat Black

Flash Point

8B6A -5°C / 23°F

Curing Solution 50C3A 7°C / 45°F

Thinner 66C28 15°C / 59°F

Thinner 66C20 -5°C / 23°F

Shelf life 5 - 38°C (41 -

100°F)

8B6A 18 months

Curing Solution 50C3A 18 months
Thinner 66C28 24 months
Thinner 66C20 24 months

**Safety Precautions** 

Comply with all local safety, disposal and transportation regulations. Check the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) and label of the individual products carefully before using the products. The MSDS's are available on request.

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#### **IMPORTANT NOTE**

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