



Zyvax[®] WaterShield[™]

Water-Based, Semi-Permanent Release Agent

Description

Zyvax[®] WaterShield[™] is a high performance release coating that has been created to give multiple releases. Zyvox[®] WaterShield[™] is so versatile that it can be used for most molding operations. For the mold release system best suited to your needs, see our website: www.chemtrend.com.

Benefits

- Thermal stability: 260°C (500°F)
- Aerospace approved
- Fast, room temperature application
- Easy recoat / touch-up
- Low odor solvent-free
- Non-flammable
- High slip / lubricity
- Wipe-applied
- High gloss

Uses

Zyvax[®] WaterShield[™] is recommended for releasing epoxies, phenolics, polyester resins, polyamides, polybismaleimides, various rubbers and elastomers. Zyvox[®] WaterShield[™] can be used on molds that are exposed to wear or abrasion during the molding and demolding processes.

Application Instructions

Before applying Zyvox[®] WaterShield[™]:

1. All previous surface treatments, residues, waxes or oils should be removed using a Zyvox[®] mold and part cleaner. The mold should be properly sealed with a Zyvox[®] mold sealer according to the technical data sheet.
2. Apply one light coat of Zyvox[®] WaterShield[™] to a small area of the mold (1-2 ft²; 0.2 m²) using a clean, lint-free cloth or hand sprayer.
3. Wait 30 seconds and wipe the mold surface dry using a separate clean cloth. Make sure the entire mold surface is coated in this manner, slightly over-lapping the last coated area if you are applying in sections. Be certain that all contours are adequately coated.

4. Wait for a minimum of 15 minutes. Apply a second coat of Zyvox[®] WaterShield[™] in the same way, and wait for a minimum of 30 minutes before using mold. For touch-ups, apply a single coat of Zyvox[®] WaterShield[™] as above and allow 30 minutes for cure before using the mold.

Storage and Shelf Life

Store product between 5°C and 30°C (41°F and 86°F). Shelf life is 18 months from the date of manufacture, in the original unopened container.

WARNING: *Never puncture any Zyvox[®] product container.*

Further Information

Request information on our complete range of materials: custom-formulated release agents for polyurethane molding; tire lubes and bladder coatings; Mono-Coat[®] semi-permanent release coatings; aerosol formulations; mold cleaners and sealers; specialized coatings and application equipment.

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