

Jotatop BF30

Product description

This is a three component chemically curing aliphatic acrylic polyurethane profile filler. It is a very flexible, solvent free product. It is fast drying. It has long pot life. It has excellent application and sanding properties, strong adhesion and good impact resistance. Developed for use on glass fiber reinforced plastic (GFRP/FRP).

Scope

The Application Guide offers product details and recommended practices for the use of the product.

The data and information provided are not definite requirements. They are guidelines to assist with efficient and safe use, and optimum service of the product. Adherence to the guidelines does not relieve the applicator of responsibility for ensuring that the work meets specification requirements. Jotun's liability is in accordance with general product liability rules.

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Referred standards

Reference is generally made to ISO Standards. When using standards from other regions it is recommended to reference only one corresponding standard for the substrate being treated.

Surface preparation

The required quality of surface preparation can vary depending on the area of use, expected durability and if applicable, project specification.

Coated surfaces

Organic primers/intermediates

The surface of previous coats shall be free from contamination by water, hydrocarbon based products, wax, mud, mortar droppings and loose, chalked and flaking coating. Inspect the surface for hydrocarbon and other contamination and if present, remove with an alkaline emulsifying detergent. Agitate the surface to activate the cleaner and before it dries, wash the treated area by low-pressure water cleaning (ISO 8501-4) using fresh water. Surfaces not contaminated with hydrocarbon deposits shall be washed according to ISO 12944-4, section 6.2.1 Water cleaning using fresh water to reduce surface chlorides. When applied on coatings past maximum intercoating interval light abrading may be required to achieve proper intercoat adhesion.

Application

Acceptable environmental conditions - before and during application

Before application, test the atmospheric conditions in the vicinity of the substrate for the dew formation according to ISO 8502-4.

Air temperature	15 - 45	°C
Substrate temperature	5 - 35	°C

Relative Humidity (RH) 10 - 85 %

The following restrictions must be observed:

- Only apply the coating when the substrate temperature is at least 3 °C (5 °F) above the dew point
- Do not apply the coating if the substrate is wet or likely to become wet
- Do not apply the coating if the weather is clearly deteriorating or unfavourable for application or curing
- Do not apply the coating in high wind conditions

Product mixing

Product mixing ratio (by weight)

Jotatop BF30 Comp A	3 part(s)
Jotatop BF30 Comp B	1 part(s)
Jotatop BF30 Comp C	0.04 part(s)

Product mixing

Add 0.5-3 % of Component C based on the weight of Component A and B. Typically 1% would be recommended.

Part mixing of these components is not acceptable and will affect both performance and appearance of the finished floor.

Mixing should be carried out using a heavy duty, slow-speed drill with appropriate mixing paddle attachment. The individual components should be thoroughly stirred to disperse any settlement, then the Comp A and Comp B packs should be mixed together. The entire contents of the hardener (B) container should be added to the base (A) and mixed together for two minutes until a homogeneous mix is obtained. When a homogeneous state has been achieved split the mixed paint into two separate containers and continue mixing both portions of the mix for a further 2 minutes.

Induction time and Pot life

Paint temperature	23 °C
Pot life	8 h

* Pot life (A+B)

The time decreases with the increase of temperature, humidity and the amount of Jotatop BF 30 Comp C.

Thinner/Cleaning solvent

Cleaning solvent: Jotun Thinner No. 10

Application data

Other application tools

Application with trowel

Apply using a trowel, pin screed or rubber squeegee to a nominal thickness of 1,300 microns WFT ensuring that the surface is fully covered and that no ponding of the material occurs. The above thickness is for demonstration purposes only. All thicknesses are determined by the specification of each individual contract and material consumption will be affected by the condition of the surface being coated.

Film thickness per coat

Typical recommended specification range

Dry film thickness	200 - 3000 µm
Wet film thickness	200 - 3000 µm
Theoretical spreading rate	5 - 0.3 m ² /l
Theoretical spreading rate	3,3 - 0,2 m ² /kg

Film thickness measurement

Ventilation

Sufficient ventilation is very important to ensure proper drying/curing of the film.

Drying and Curing time

Substrate temperature	5 °C	10 °C	23 °C	35 °C
Dry to over coat, minimum	3 h	2 h	1 h	30 min
Dried/cured for sanding	3 h	2 h	1 h	30 min
Dried/cured for service	21 d	14 d	7 d	3 d

The time decreases with the increase of temperature, humidity and the amount of Jotatop BF 30 Comp C.

Dry to over coat, minimum: The recommended shortest time before the next coat can be applied.

Dried/cured for sanding: The state of drying when a paint film can be sanded without the sandpaper sticking or clogging.

Dried/cured for service: Minimum time before the coating can be permanently exposed to the intended environment/medium.

Maximum over coating intervals

Maximum time before thorough surface preparation is required. The surface must be clean and dry and suitable for over coating. Inspect the surface for chalking and other contamination and if present, remove with an alkaline detergent. Agitate the surface to activate the cleaner and before it dries, wash the treated area by low-pressure water cleaning using fresh water.

If maximum over coating interval is exceeded the surface should in addition be carefully roughened to ensure good inter coat adhesion.

Areas for atmospheric exposure

Average temperature during drying/curing	10 °C	23 °C	35 °C
Itself	3 d	2 d	1 d
polyurethane	3 d	2 d	1 d

Other conditions that can affect drying / curing / over coating

Adding anti-skid to the coating system

Anti skid should only be added in the final coat and not used in a single coat system direct to the surface. Spread the Jotafloor Non-slip Aggregate on the surface before half of time to Surface dry. The recommended usage is 2.5 - 3.3 kg per 10 litres of paint.

Repair of coating system

Damages to the coating layers:

Prepare the area through sandpapering or grinding, followed by thorough cleaning/vacuuming. When the surface is clean and dry the coating may be over coated by itself or by another product, ref. original specification.

Always observe the maximum over coating intervals. If the maximum over coating interval is exceeded the surface should be carefully roughened in order to ensure good intercoat adhesion.

Damages exposing bare substrate:

Remove loose paint, grease or other contaminants by spot abrasive blasting, mechanical grinding, water and/or solvent washing. Feather edges and roughen the overlap zone of surrounding intact coating. Apply the coating system specified for repair.

Quality assurance

The following information is the minimum required. The specification may have additional requirements.

- Confirm that all welding and other metal work has been completed before commencing pre-treatment and surface preparation
- Confirm that installed ventilation is balanced and has the capacity to deliver and maintain the RAQ
- Confirm that the required surface preparation standard has been achieved and is held prior to coating application
- Confirm that the climatic conditions are within recommendations in the AG, and are held during the application
- Confirm that the required number of stripe coats have been applied
- Confirm that each coat meets the DFT requirements in the specification
- Confirm that the coating has not been adversely affected by rain or other factors during curing
- Observe that adequate coverage has been achieved on corners, crevices, edges and surfaces where the spray

- gun cannot be positioned so that its spray impinges on the surface at 90° angle
- Observe that the coating is free from defects, discontinuities, insects, abrasive media and other contamination
 - Observe that the coating is free from misses, sags, runs, wrinkles, fat edges, mud cracking, blistering, obvious pinholes, excessive dry spray, heavy brush marks and excessive film build
 - Observe that the uniformity and colour are satisfactory

All noted defects shall be fully repaired to conform to the coating specification.

Caution

This product is for professional use only. The applicators and operators shall be trained, experienced and have the capability and equipment to mix/stir and apply the coatings correctly and according to Jotun's technical documentation. Applicators and operators shall use appropriate personal protection equipment when using this product. This guideline is given based on the current knowledge of the product. Any suggested deviation to suit the site conditions shall be forwarded to the responsible Jotun representative for approval before commencing the work.

For further advice please contact your local Jotun office.

Health and safety

Please observe the precautionary notices displayed on the container. Use under well ventilated conditions. Do not inhale spray mist. Avoid skin contact. Spillage on the skin should immediately be removed with suitable cleanser, soap and water. Eyes should be well flushed with water and medical attention sought immediately.

Accuracy of information

Always refer to and use the current (last issued) version of the TDS, SDS and if available, the AG for this product. Always refer to and use the current (last issued) version of all International and Local Authority Standards referred to in the TDS, AG & SDS for this product.

Colour variation

When applicable, products primarily meant for use as primers or antifoulings may have slight colour variations from batch to batch. Such products and epoxy based products used as a finish coat may chalk when exposed to sunlight and weathering.

Colour and gloss retention on topcoats/finish coats may vary depending on type of colour, exposure environment such as temperature, UV intensity etc., application quality and generic type of paint. Contact your local Jotun office for further information.

Reference to related documents

The Application Guide (AG) must be read in conjunction with the relevant specification, Technical Data Sheet (TDS) and Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for all the products used as part of the coating system.

When applicable, refer to the separate application procedure for Jotun products that are approved to classification societies such as PSPC, IMO etc.

Symbols and abbreviations

min = minutes

h = hours

d = days

°C = degree Celsius

° = unit of angle

µm = microns = micrometres

g/l = grams per litre

g/kg = grams per kilogram

m²/l = square metres per litre

mg/m² = milligrams per square metre

psi = unit of pressure, pounds/inch²

Bar = unit of pressure

RH = Relative humidity (% RH)

UV = Ultraviolet

TDS = Technical Data Sheet

AG = Application Guide

SDS = Safety Data Sheet

VOC = Volatile Organic Compound

MCI = Jotun Multi Colour Industry (tinted colour)

RAQ = Required air quantity

PPE = Personal Protective Equipment

EU = European Union

UK = United Kingdom

EPA = Environmental Protection Agency

ISO = International Standards Organisation

ASTM = American Society of Testing and Materials

AS/NZS = Australian/New Zealand Standards

NACE = National Association of Corrosion Engineers

This Application Guide supersedes those previously issued.

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DFT = dry film thickness
WFT = wet film thickness

SSPC = The Society for Protective Coatings
PSPC = Performance Standard for Protective Coatings
IMO = International Maritime Organization
ASFP = Association for Specialist Fire Protection

Disclaimer

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Users should always consult Jotun for specific guidance on the general suitability of this product for their needs and specific application practices.

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