

## Paints

**Material / Specification:** Epoxy matt black paint for protection of optical surfaces

**Range / Description:** PAT-EC75

### Description

EC 75 is a two-pack, ambient curing, epoxy finish possessing good adhesion and high chemical resistance. This combination of properties makes it an ideal topcoat to enhance the protection of either epoxy or polyurethane primers used on the internal structure of aircraft by providing an easily cleaned finishing coat which has high resistance to aircraft fluids, including phosphate ester hydraulic fluids. For details of suitable primers please consult the EC 75 Scheme Sheets.

EC 75 is approved to the following specification:  
DEF STAN 80-161/1

### Application properties (typical)

(At 23°C, 75%RH unless otherwise stated)

Product code numbers

Base	EC 75/---
Activator (full gloss)A	CT 65
Activator (semi gloss)A	CT 66
Activator (eggshell)A	CT 67
Activator (matt)A	CT 68
Activator (full gloss - brushing)A	CT 69
ThinnerT	17

Flash points (Abel closed cup)

EC 752	0°C
ACT 65	20°C
ACT 66	20°C
ACT 67	20°C
ACT 68	20°C
ACT 69	20°C
T 17	16°C

Volatile organic compound (VOC), mixed ready for use

(ASTM-D 3960)

Spraying	>445 g/litre
Brushing>	510 g/litre

Mixing ratio, by volume

Base:activator:thinner

with ACT 65	1:1:0.33
with ACT 66	1:1:0.33
with ACT 67	1:1:0.33
with ACT 68	1:1:0.33
with ACT 692	:1

Viscosity

BS B3	30-35 seconds
BS B4	18-21 seconds
ISO 3mm	55-70 seconds

Coverage, mixed ready for use, theoretical value, no loss

@ 50 microns film thickness9 m<sup>2</sup>/litre

Pot life 8 hours

Dry to mask 6-8 hours

Force drying

@ 70°C 3 hours

@ 120°C 45 minutes

@ 150°C3 0 minutes

Dry to fly4 8 hours

Full cure7 days

EC 75 is compatible with all types of spray equipment. For details on the application parameters please consult the EC 75

Scheme Sheets or call PRC-DeSoto

International.

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### Performance properties (typical)

When tested with PR 143 over sulphochromic pickle pre-treatment EC 75 will perform as follows:

#### Flexibility

Mandrel @ 0°C (ISO 1519) ≤ 9 mm

#### Water resistance

24 hours @ 23°C (ISO 1521)

Scratch hardness, (ISO 1518) 1200 g

#### Resistance to fluids

##### Synthetic lubricating oil

1000 hours @ 70°C (ISO 2812)

Scratch hardness (ISO 1518) 1200g

**NOTE:** The application and performance property values above are typical for the material but are not intended for use in specifications or for acceptance inspection criteria because of variations in testing methods, conditions and configurations.

### Storage life

The storage life of EC 75 is twenty four months when stored at temperatures between 5°C and 35°C in the original unopened containers. Partly used containers must be re-sealed immediately after use. Once opened, activator must be used within two months.

### Health precautions

This product is safe to use and apply when recommended precautions are observed. Before using this product read and understand the Material Safety Data Sheet which provides information on health, physical and environmental hazards, handling precautions and first aid recommendations. An MSDS is available on request. Avoid overexposure. Obtain medical care in case of extreme exposure.

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