

Mer-Thane Pigment Paste

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Mer-Thane Pigment Paste is a color dispersion used in Mer-Thane topcoats for the integral coloring of the 310 and 300R Topcoats.

CHARACTERISTICS

- Provides integral color in topcoat-tint bases
- Easily mixes into the coating material
- UV resistant

CAUTIONS & LIMITATIONS

- The substrate surface must be structurally sound, clean, dry and free of dirt, dust, oil, grease, paint or other contaminants at the time of material application.
- Do not install during inclement weather, when precipitation is occurring or expected within 24 hours.
- The moisture content of the substrate should be checked and approved by a qualified professional prior to installation.
- Keep the lid tightly sealed when the material is not in use.
- Before using Mer-Thane products, read all container labels, MSDS, application instructions and storage and handling information carefully.
- Applicators should wear an approved respirator, protective glasses, clothing and gloves.
- Avoid contact of material with skin or eyes and avoid breathing vapors.
- Mix and apply materials in well ventilated areas and observe normal safety precautions.
- Mer-Thane materials are classified as corrosive material and can cause irritation in prolonged exposure. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water if product(s) contact skin. Consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for additional information and precautions.
- Keep away from open flame.
- Mix well before using.
- Do not estimate mixing ratio.
- Box pails of mixed topcoat as necessary for consistent colors.
- **WARNING: CONTAINS CARBON BLACK.**

COLOR

Mer-Thane Pigment Paste is available in 8 standard colors, Dusk Grey, Sidewalk Grey, Rocky Grey, Monterey Sand, Desert Tan, Brick Red, Suede, and White. Consult the Color Selection Guide for additional color details.

PACKAGING

1 quart can (32 oz./0.95 liter)

MIXING

Mixing Ratios: 32 oz./5 gallon (1 quart/0.95 liter)

Mer-Thane topcoats and Mer-Thane Pigment Paste should be thoroughly mixed individually prior to combining to ensure homogeneous material and color. While mixing the topcoat using a mechanical mixer at slow speed, add 1 quart of Pigment Paste and thoroughly blend the components until a uniform color is obtained. Then, pour a small amount of the topcoat into the Pigment Paste container and scrape the sides thoroughly, pour it back into the topcoat material and again thoroughly blend the combined components, until a uniform color is obtained. Use care when mixing to avoid air bubbles. **DO NOT** entrain air into the mixture. Entrained air can result in pinholes, blisters and or shortened pot life.

TECHNICAL DATA

Coating V.O.C.....	N/A
Vapor Density.....	Heavier than air
Flash Point.....	108° F (42° C)
Boiling Point.....	> 212° F (100° C)
Specific Gravity.....	(H ₂ O=1): 1 - 1.8

FIRST AID

EYE CONTACT

Can irritate eyes

INHALATION

Take person to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. Get medical attention immediately.

SKIN CONTACT

Wipe off contacted area and wash thoroughly with soap and water. If redness, itching, or a burning sensation develops, seek medical attention immediately.

INGESTION

Do not induce vomiting. Consult physician immediately.

FIRE

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus with full face piece and protective clothing. Use foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, halogenated agents.

SPILL OR LEAK

Wear skin, eye, and respiratory protection during cleanup. Soak up material with absorbent and shovel into a chemical waste container. Cover container, and remove from work area.

STORAGE & HANDLING

Store all Mer-Thane materials in a dry environment at temperatures between 65 to 70°F (18 to 21°C). All materials should be stored in compliance with local fire and safety requirements. Keep away from open flame. Do not store at high temperatures or in direct sunlight. Do not allow uncured materials to freeze. Store materials in tightly closed original containers, off the ground, and on plywood or non-asphaltic insulation board. Avoid moisture contamination. Always wear proper safety equipment, including an approved respirator, eye protection and gloves when mixing and/or applying these products. Do not breathe vapors. Do not keep opened containers in confined spaces. **WARNING: CONTAINS CARBON BLACK.** Consult published OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration) regulations for additional information and compliance information.

SHELF LIFE

Product can be stored indefinitely, when properly stored in the original container.

WARRANTY

Limited manufacturer's defect warranty. Contact Mer-Ko Technical Service Department for specific warranty information or www.parexmer-ko.com.

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