

POLYCOAT PRODUCTS

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POLYDECK® 355

50 Dry Mills, ICC-ES Evaluated,
Class B Fire Rating on 5/8" / 19/32" Plywood
System Data Sheet

SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The Polydeck® 355 decking system has a class B Fire Rating on 5/8" or 19/32" plywood and is an elastomeric, liquid applied, moisture cured, polyurethane waterproof system. The system utilizes an epoxy or polyurethane primer, two coats of an aromatic polyurethane basecoat and two coats of an aliphatic polyurethane topcoat. The Polydeck® 355 decking system protects surfaces against spalling, freeze/thaw damage and chemicals commonly encountered on these surfaces. It is an elastomeric system designed to expand and contract with normal structural movements. The Polydeck® 355 decking system is a proven fire rated/ waterproofing system for use in a wide range of applications. Installed and maintained properly, the Polydeck® 355 decking system will ensure years of service.

APPROVALS, CODES & TESTING

- ❖ Class B Fire Rating on 5/8" or 19/32" Plywood, UBC Standard 32-7, ASTM E-108, UL 790, NFPA 256
- ❖ ICC-ES Report ESR-2785
- ❖ Class A Fire Rating on Concrete
- ❖ Los Angeles City General Approval Report #RR25171
- ❖ One-Hour Fire Resistive Construction, UBC Standard No. 710, 1997
- ❖ Meets the Criteria of ASTM C-957
- ❖ Polydeck® 355 conforms to CCMC exposed cold-applied Elastomeric Roofing Membrane that can withstand exposure to pedestrian traffic in compliance with intent of the National Building Code of Canada 1995.

FEATURES

- ❖ Seamless
- ❖ Chemical Resistance
- ❖ Recoatable
- ❖ Meets California VOC and AQMD Requirements, when Polyglaze 400C is used in place of Polyglaze 400.
- ❖ Meets Southern California VOC and SCAQMD Requirements, when Polyprime 2180SC is used in place of Polyprime 2180, PC-440SC in place of PC-440, and Polyglaze 400SC in place of Polyglaze 400.
- ❖ Elastomeric
- ❖ Waterproof

TYPICAL USES

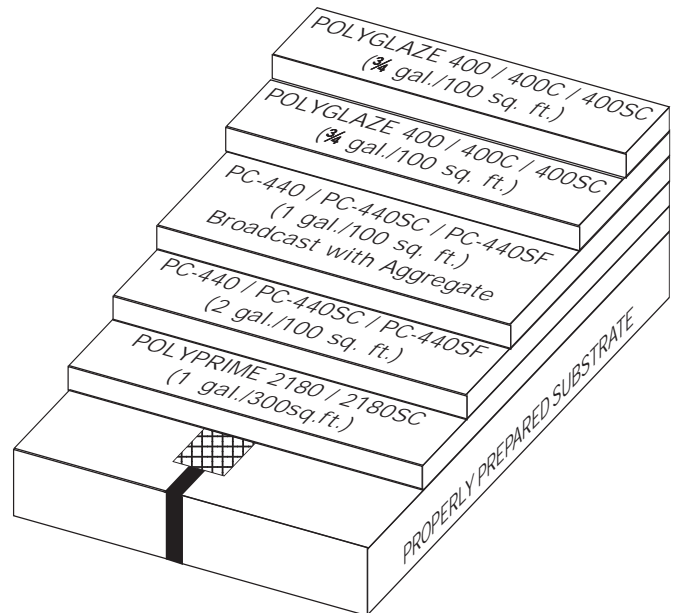
- ❖ Walkways / Stairs
- ❖ Over Occupied Space
- ❖ Patios
- ❖ Balconies
- ❖ Sun Decks
- ❖ Roof Decks

PRODUCT INSTRUCTIONS

For complete information associated with the application of all Polycoat Products decking systems and products, refer to the General Guidelines and Technical Bulletin sections of the Polycoat Products catalog, which describes the products, surface preparation, job conditions, finishing details and other necessary information.

APPLICATION

Phase 1: Check area of application to ensure that it conforms to the substrate requirements, as stated in the general information section. Prime all joints, cracks, flashings with approved



primers as specified below in Phase 2. Apply a two-part paste consisting of PC-440/PC-440SC/PC-440SF and PC-50 over all joints, cracks and flashing. Mixing ratio is 1/2 pint of PC-50 to 1 gallon of PC-440/PC-440SC/PC-440SF (0.24 liters to 3.78 liters) or 1 quart PC-50 to 5 gallons of PC-440/PC-440SC/PC-440SF (0.9 liters to 18.9 liters). **Do not mix more material than can be used in 20 minutes.** Bridge the joints, cracks, and flashings with 4" (10.2 cm) Straight Jacket Tape, pushing it into the paste with a trowel. Over Straight Jacket Tape, apply a stripe coat of the PC-440/PC-440SC/PC-440SF and PC-50 mixture and taper it onto the adjacent surface. Allow the surface to cure for 6 to 8 hours.

Phase 2: Metal, concrete and existing plywood which has been cleaned and sanded should be primed with Polyprime 2180/2180SC at a rate of 1 gallon/300 sq. ft. (0.14 liters/m²). Apply using a brush or phenolic core roller. This will result in a minimum 3 dry mills (76 microns) thick membrane. Allow Polyprime to become tack free before proceeding to Phase 3.

Substrates other than new plywood are to be primed.

Phase 3: Apply PC-440/PC-440SC/PC-440SF to substrate at a rate of 2 gallons/100 sq. ft. (0.82 liters/m²). For best results, use a notched trowel or squeegee. A phenolic core roller may be used but extra care should be taken to prevent air bubbles. Spread mixed PC-440/PC-440SC/PC-440SF evenly over the entire deck resulting in a minimum of 22 ± 2 dry mills (559 ± 51 microns) thick membrane. Allow PC-440/PC-440SC/PC-440SF to cure before proceeding to phase 4.

Phase 4: Apply a second coat of PC-440/PC-440SC/PC-440SF at a rate of 1 gallon/100 sq. ft. (0.41 liters/m²). Immediately broadcast washed, dry, rounded sand, 20 mesh (0.0331 in.; 0.841 mm), 6.5+ Moh's minimum hardness at a rate of 100 lbs./

100 sq. ft. (4.88 kgs/m²), into the wet second coat, covering it completely. This coat will result in an additional minimum 11 ± 2 dry mils (279 ± 51 microns) thick membrane, exclusive of aggregate. After this coat has cured, remove all loose aggregate.

Phase 5: Apply desired color of Polyglaze 400/400C/400SC topcoat at a rate of ¾ gallon/100 sq. ft. (0.31 liters/m²). For best results, use a sprayer. This coat will result in an additional minimum 8 ± 2 dry mils (203 ± 51 microns) thick membrane. Allow this coat to cure before proceeding to Phase 6.

Phase 6: Apply a second coat of Polyglaze 400/400C/400SC topcoat at a rate of ¾ gallon/100 sq. ft. (0.31 liters/m²). This coat will result in an additional minimum 8 ± 2 dry mils (203 ± 51 microns) thick membrane. At 75°F (24°C) and 50% relative humidity, allow 72 hours of cure time before permitting heavy traffic on the finished system.

OPTIONAL FAST CURE

First Basecoat: The addition of PC-50 will shorten cure time to 4 to 8 hours for each coat. Recoats should occur 12 hours after cure. PC-50 should not be used in the second basecoat, as the sand will not adhere properly.

Topcoat: The addition of Polyglaze Hardener will shorten cure time to 6 to 8 hours for each coat. Recoats should occur 8-12 hours of when surface becomes tack-free.

FINISHED SYSTEM

When applied as directed above, the Polydeck® 355 decking system will provide minimum 52 dry mils (1320 dry microns), exclusive of aggregate, of superior waterproofing protection, and the assurance of a Class B fire rating over 5/8" or 19/32" plywood or a Class A fire rating on concrete.

Requires a continuous coating application to minimize lines and/or streaking.

Any optional adhesion test is to be performed seven days after product application.

PACKAGING

Polyprime 2180/2180SC: 2 gallon kits (One 1 gallon can of Part-A and One 1 gallon can of Part-B) or 10 gallon kits (One 5 gallon pail of Part-A and One 5 gallon pail of Part-B).

PC-440/PC-440SC/PC-440SF: 1 gallon cans or 5 gallon pails.

Polyglaze 400//400C/400SC: 1 gallon cans or 5 gallon pails.

Primers, Basecoats and Topcoats have a shelf life of 1 year from date of manufacture in original, factory-sealed containers when stored indoors at a temperature between 60-95°F (15-35°C).

LIMITATIONS

The following conditions must not be coated with Polycoat Products deck coating systems or products: on below grade slabs, split slabs with buried membrane, sandwich slabs with insulation, slabs over unvented metal pan, suspended pool decks,

swimming pools, magnesite, lightweight concrete, asphalt surfaces and asphalt overlays.

Concrete must exhibit 3000-psi minimum strength. Concrete surfaces to be coated must be trowel finished in compliance with the American Concrete Institute (except that hand troweling is not required), followed by a fine hair brooming, left free of loose particles, and shall be without ridges, projections, voids and concrete droppings that would be mechanically detrimental to coating application or function.

New concrete must be cured for 28 days.

Concrete cleaning (see general guidelines).

Polycoat Products coating systems should not be subjected to rising water tables or hydrostatic pressure on slab-on-grade decks.

The only acceptable grade of plywood is APA rated exterior grade or better.

The appearance and physical characteristics of the plywood and grade should be considered.

Plywood should be new or cleaned and sanded (see general guidelines).

Coating should be applied at least 5°F (3°C) above the dew point.

Coverage rates recommended are based on lab conditions, applied at 75°F (24°C) ambient temperature and are intended to be minimum coverage rates on clean, smooth plywood, and are exclusive of additional amounts needed to fill potholes, spallings, scalling, rough and irregular surfaces. Porosity and roughness of the substrate, aggregate size, and product temperature will affect coverage rates. Material mil thickness rates are calculated on theoretical coverage for a smooth substrate and do not account for the actual texture or substrate conditions in the field or at the time of application. Sample mockups on the projects are recommended to determine the exact coverage rates necessary to waterproof the deck to acceptable standards.

Equipment should be cleaned with a urethane grade environmentally safe solvent, as permitted under local regulations, immediately after use.

Uncured materials are sensitive to heat and moisture.

The substrate must be structurally sound and sloped for proper drainage.

Polycoat Products assumes no liability for substrate defects.

Field visits by Polycoat Products personnel are for the purpose of making technical recommendations only and are not to supervise or provide quality control on the job site.

WARNING

The products in this system contain Isocyanates, Solvent, Epoxy Resin and Curatives.

Please read all information in the general guidelines, product data sheets, guide specifications and material safety data sheets (MSDS) before applying material. Published technical data and instructions are subject to change without notice. Contact your local Polycoat Products representative or visit our website for current technical data and instructions.

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