HEGGEL® Pox 423

Self-Levelling Epoxy Resin Based Floor Coating



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Description:

HEGGEL Pox 423 is a two-component very low emission epoxy floor coating. It is easy to apply due to self-levelling properties. When used in combination with HEGGEL Pox primers and HEGGEL Flex topcoats, a high-quality and visually appealing flooring system can be created on cementitious substrates, offering excellent chemical and mechanical resistance. **HEGGEL Pox 423** meets the strictest criteria regarding the lowest emissions of indoor air pollutants.

Characteristics:

- Excellent mechanical resistance
- Very high chemical resistance
- Self-levelling properties
- Tough-hard

- Inert and harmless once cured
- High abrasion resistance
- VOC < 500 g/l

Application Areas:

HEGGEL Pox 423 can be applied in industrial areas, production plants, sales areas, warehouses as well as public buildings, schools, hospitals, shopping malls and other indoor projects with high requirements to room climate.

Application Data:

Mixing Ratio (Parts by Weight)	A : B = 100 : 20 (5 : 1)		
Colour	Pebble grey (RAL 7032) Other colours are available on request		
Consumption	1.8 - 3.0 kg/m² Note: Additional filling with e.g. quartz sand Ø 0.1 - 0.3 mm is possible		
@Temperature	12°C	23°C	30°C
Pot Life	~ 60 min	~ 30 min	~ 20 min
Curing Time (Foot Traffic)	48 hrs.	24 hrs.	20 hrs.
Curing Time (Mechanical Load)	96 hrs.	72 hrs.	48 hrs.
Curing Time (Chemical Load)	14 days	7 days	5 days

Note 1: All above values are approximate and may be used as a guideline for specifications **Note 2:** Slight colour / batch differences may occur due to material and production variations.

Technical Data:

Title	Standard	Value	
Density (Mix)	@23°C	~ 1.6 g/cm³	
Solids Content	-	~ 100%	
Viscosity (Mix)	@23°C	~ 2000 ± 300 mPa.s	
Compressive Strength	DIN EN ISO 604	60 - 80 MPa	
Tensile Strength	DIN EN ISO 178	~ 45 MPa	
Linear Shrinkage	-	< 0.12%	
Shore D - Hardness	DIN EN ISO 868	~ 80 - 85	
Abrasion Resistance	ASTM D4060 (Taber /1000 g / 1000 rev.)	~ 50 mg weight loss	
Temperature Resistance	-	Wet: Max 40°C continuously, Short-term up to +60°C	

Packaging:

30 kg pails (25 kg part A +5 kg part B)

Storage:

12 months, sealed in original containers under dry conditions and a temperature of 15 - 25°C. Crystallization may occur at temperatures below 10°C. Please consult HEGGEL!

1. Surface Preparation

Before application, the substrate must be prepared mechanically using qualified equipment of shot blasting. The substrate must meet the following minimum requirements: it should be free of cement laitance, dust, oil, fat, and other contaminants, have an open textured and absorbent surface, a pull-off strength of at least 1.5 MPa, and a concrete residual moisture content of no more than 4%.

Depending on the condition of the substrate, the surface must be made non-porous by applying a primer and / or key coat using **HEGGEL Pox 483**, followed by a light broadcast of clean, dry quartz sand. For concrete surfaces with rising damp, residual moisture, or a maximum moisture content of 6%, **HEGGEL Pox 486** must be used. Please consult HEGGEL for guidance.

Once cured, carefully remove any excess sand.

2. Environment Conditions

Before, during, and after application, the substrate temperature must be at least 3°C above the current dew point and should 12°C 30°C. range between and Additionally, ensure that the relative humidity is below 75% at 12°C and below 85% at temperatures above 23°C throughout surface preparation, application, and curing processes.

3. Application Tools

- Notched trowel (rubber or metal)
- Nylon roller
- · Spiked roller
- · Electric mixer

4. Mixing

Before mixing, ensure that all components are at a temperature between 15°C and 25°C. Mix the components in the correct ratio using a suitable low-speed electric mixer (300-400 rpm) for at least 3 minutes, or until a completely homogeneous and uniform mixture is achieved. Then, transfer the mixed material into a clean container and mix for an additional minute. HEGGEL Pox 423 can be applied either as a pure product or blended with clean, dry, tempered quartz sand (Ø 0.1-0.3 mm). The mixing ratio (by weight) depends on the specific use and application requirements. After mixing, fillers may be added gradually while stirring continuously.

5. Application

Immediately distribute the mixture onto the surface. Apply the mixture using a notched trowel or scraper (rubber or metal), spreading it evenly to ensure a uniform layer. Within 5 minutes of application, the fresh coating must be finished with a spiked roller to eliminate air bubbles and achieve a smooth surface—this step is especially critical when the product is filled with quartz sand.

To enhance the visual appearance (e.g. reddish shades of grey), the coating should also be finished with a suitable nylon roller (e.g., 14 mm pile height).

6. System Description

The following figures apply to ambient and surface temperatures between 15°C and 23°C. Both higher and lower temperatures will affect the filler ratio, consumption per square meter and optic.

Primer:

HEGGEL Pox 483, clear

Consumption: approx. 0.3 - 0.5 kg/m², lightly sprinkle with clean, dry quartz sand Ø 0.4 - 0.8 mm (approx. 0.5 kg/m²).

Key Coat:

HEGGEL Pox 483 + quartz sand

Consumption: approx. 0.6 kg/m² resin plus quartz sand, lightly sprinkle with clean, dry quartz sand \emptyset 0.4 - 0.8 mm (approx. 0.5 kg/m²).

Self-levelling coating:

HEGGEL Pox 423, pebble grey **Consumption:** approx. 1.8 - 3.0 kg/m²

System thickness: 2 - 3 mm.

It is possible to improve the visually appealing e.g. silk matt, glossy, smooth and anti-slip, by using both the clear and pigmented polyurethane topcoats. Topcoats also improve both the chemical and mechanical resistance (please consult HEGGEL).

Regular professional maintenance helps extend the service life of the flooring system.

Note: UV radiation can cause discoloration.

7. Chemical Resistance

HEGGEL Pox 423 offers excellent chemical resistance to water / sewage,

detergents and washing agents, saline solutions, dilute acids and alkalis, lubricants or fuels and solvents (Consult HEGGEL). See a list of tests carried out for 3 months at 20°C below (discolouration was not considered.)

Acetic acid 2%

resistant

short-term Acetic acid 5% resistant • Ammonia 5% • Boric acid 4% resistant resistant • Chlorine bleach 6% resistant • Citric acid < 10% resistant • Distilled water resistant • Formaldehyde 37% • Formic acid 2% resistant • Formic acid 5% short-term resistant Hydrochloric acid 10% • Hydrochloric acid 30% short-term • Lactic acid 10% resistant • Methylene chloride not resistant • Nitric acid 10% resistant resistant Petrol / Super resistant • Phosphoric acid 25% resistant • Saline solution Sodium Ive 50% resistant short-term • Sulphuric acid 40% resistant • Tannic acid solution resistant Xylene Note: short-term: remove immediately.

8. Safety Measures

Avoid inhaling vapours and prevent contact with skin. Wear appropriate protective clothing, gloves, and eye / face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation in the working area. In case of skin contact, wash immediately with plenty of soap and water. If contact occurs with the eyes, rinse thoroughly with plenty of water and seek medical attention. Do not eat, drink, or smoke while using the product, and keep away from sources of ignition.

The material safety data sheets of the individual components, the safety instructions on the packing (label) as well as the legal requirements for handling hazardous materials must be observed.

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