



## **DIMAPCHEM MIO/MIO HS**

### **HIGH BUILD TWO COMPONENT MIO BASED EPOXY COATING FOR STEEL STRUCTURE**

#### **BENEFITS:**

- High resistance to abrasion and mechanical damage.
- Gives excellent resistance to dilute acids, alkalis and solvents.
- Ideal product for marine atmospheres, high humidity and moisture.
- Exhibits superior chemical and weather resistance.
- Gives high resistance to permeability of water, moisture, oxygen and other atmospheric pollutants.
- Easy to apply.
- Eliminates the problem of chalking as it is Un-attacked by UV radiation due to the shielding action of lamellar pigment particles. □ Can be used as a primer and intermediate finish coat
- Cost-effective.

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

**DIMAPCHEM-MIO** is a two component high build easy to apply epoxy coating pigmented with micaceous iron oxide (MIO) which is a lamellar plate-like pigment that forms a thick lustrous layer after application. It is ideally suited for exterior application. When the coating dries, the thin platelet shaped pigment particles adjust themselves parallel to the substrate to give a protective effect to the film. Also, it acts as a barrier to the diffusion of oxygen and moisture through the film.

#### **USES:**

- Metal bridges.
- Pipelines.
- Storage tanks.
- Petrochemical plants.
- Power plants.
- Off-shore platforms.
- Marine installations.

**Pot Life @ 30°C Surface** : 6 to 8 hours

**Dry** : 1 hour

**Hard Dry** : 8 hours

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**Re-coat** : 16-24 hours

**Full Cure** : 7 days

**Induction (sweat-in-time)**

**@ 30°C** : 30 minutes

**Dry Heat Resistance** : 175°C **Relative Humidity** : 85% **Application Temperature**

**Minimum** : 12°C

**Maximum** : 45°C

**Flash Point** : 22°C

**Dry Film Thickness**

**Per Coat MIO HS** : 150-200 microns

**: Solid MIO HS** : 80±3%

**APPLICATION**

**Surface Preparation: For Steel Surfaces:**

**Steel must be blasted at**

2.5SA –PRMED WITH VELAC ZRP 100mic before applying MIO at recommended DFT

**TECHNICAL PROPERTIES:**

**Color** : Brownish grey

**Type** : Two pack cold cured

**Composition** : Epoxy Resin / MIO

**\*DFT MIO version** : 100-125 microns

**Finish** : Smooth and Matt to Eggshell

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**\*% Solids MIO version : 50 ± 3%**

The surface should be free from oil, grease, dirt, scales, rust, corrosion products, oxides, paint and other foreign matter. The surface should be pretreated with emery paper and the rust should be removed with DIMAPCHEM-RR. **For Galvanized Iron:** Remove dirt, dust, oil, old paint etc. from the surface. Degrease the surface with FM DEGREASER.

**Mixing:** DIMAPCHEM- MIO is supplied in pre-weighed containers ready for mixing. Pour the contents of hardener into base can and mix thoroughly, preferably by mechanical means for at least 5 min until an even and uniform color is obtained.

**Application:** DIMAPCHEM-MIO is applied by brush or airless spray to give a continuous coating on the prepared surface. After the surface preparation is done, apply one coat of DIMAPCHEM-ZRP or ZRP HZ or EPS (Refer Separate technical datasheet for more information.) and allow it to dry for a minimum of 8 hours and maximum 24 hours. When the primer is dried fully

#### **PACKING AND COVERAGE:**

DIMAPCHEM-MIO is supplied in QUART U.S.

GALLON U.S PAILS Coverage: 3 to 5 m<sup>2</sup> /kg.

#### **SHELF LIFE & STORAGE:**

DIMAPCHEM-MIO will have a shelf life of **6 months** in unopened containers when kept in dry conditions at a temperature between 5°C to 45°C. Storage at higher

#### **QUALITY ASSURANCE:**

and intermediate coat of DIMAPCHEM- MIO shall be applied and allowed to dry for a minimum of 8 hours and maximum 24 hours. On this apply top coat of DIMAPCHEM-PU (Refer Separate technical datasheet for more information.)

**Cleaning:** The tools (Brushes and spray equipment) shall be cleaned with DIMAPCHEM-EP Thinner immediately after use. temperature or high humidity may reduce shelf life.

#### **HEALTH & SAFETY:**

It is a highly flammable product. Keep away from heat and open flame. Good ventilation must be ensured and avoid breathing vapors. Smoking must be strictly prohibited while using DIMAPCHEM-MIO.

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While new advances and changes will take place but one thing will never change is quality and meeting special needs of our customers. Our technical personnel & experts are available to provide additional information and technical assistance. We are eager to work with you in development of new product and resolve your problem.

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