# technical data

## PR 30B etch primer

#### Description

PR 30B is a two-pack, ambient curing, etch primer designed to provide the maximum possible resistance to filiform corrosion. PR 30B promotes excellent adhesion between epoxy and polyurethane primers and a variety of light alloys and steel. For details of schemes incorporating PR 30B and for further information on the application parameters please consult the relevant Scheme Sheets.

PR 30B is approved to the following specifications: BS2X32

AFS 1806 DTD 900/6064 Rolls Royce MSRR 9064 AER-MP-027A

For further information on specification release requirements, please contact PRC-DeSoto International.

#### **Application properties (typical)**

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

Product code numbers Base	PR 30B	
Catalyst thinner	TH 34B	
Thinner (anti-chill)	T 105	
Flash points, Abel closed cup		
PR 30B	-4°C	
TH 34B	-4°C	
T 105	40°C	
Volatile organic compound (VOC)		
mixed ready for use		
(ASTM-D 3960)	770 g/litre	
Mixing ratio, by volume		
Base:catalyst thinner:thinner	1:1:0.1	
Viscosity	Apply as mixed	
Coverage, mixed ready for use	,	
theoretical value, no loss		
@ 6 microns film thickness	14 m <sup>2</sup> /litre	
Pot life, @ 15°C to 35°C	4 hours	
Dry to overcoat	1 hour	

Dry to touch	15-20 minutes
Dry to handle	45-50 minutes
Dry to mask	1.5-2 hours
Full cure	3 days

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Force drying — PR 30B should not be stoved at temperatures above 60°C unless overcoated with another product.

PR 30B is compatible with most types of spray equipment but is not suitable for application with electrostatic spray equipment.

Colour

Yellow

#### **Performance properties (typical)**

When tested with epoxy primer PR 143 and epoxy topcoat EC 75 over sulpho-chromic pickle pre-treatment, PR 30B will pass or exceed the requirements of BS2X32, e.g.:

Flexibility	
Mandrel @ 0°C (ISO 1519)	9 mm
Water resistance	
24 hours @ 23°C (ISO 1521)	
Scratch hardness, (ISO 1518)	1200 g

**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 PR 30B is twenty four months from the date of manufacture 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, catalyst thinners TH 34B must be used within two months.

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#### **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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