

# CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS (old CONIFLOOR 430 AS)

Two part EP self-levelling conductive coating, low emission, hard, antistatic accord. to EN 1081 u. EN 61340-4-1, (total solid)

## **Product description**

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is a two component, low emission, self-levelling, pigmented, hard and abrasion resistant conductive epoxy coating, "Total Solid accord. to the test methods Deutsche Bauchemie e.V.".

## Fields of application

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is used as a coating on mineral, primed (with CONIFLOOR EP 110, EP 112 N or EP 116 LE) and wit conductive primer CONIFLOOR EP 150 prepared substrates for indoor floorings with medium to heavy mechanical strain, where anti-static properties are required. CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is used in our indoor antistatic flooring systems.

## **Properties**

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS exhibits high mechanical properties and is easy to apply. Due to its hard properties the coating CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is very high mechanical resistant.

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS fulfils the requirements for explosion protection in the AS system build-up. The resistance to earth measured according to DIN EN 1081 is in the range of  $10^4$  to  $10^6$  ohms or in the AS-ESD system according to EN 61340-4-1 and  $4\text{-}5 \leq 10^9$  ohms.

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is easy to clean and resistant to water, sea and wastewater, a variety of alkaline substances, diluted acids, brine, mineral oils, lubricants and fuels.

The yellowing, which occurs when CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is exposed to UV light, does not affect its mechanical properties.

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is used in the systems

- CONIFLOOR IES AS
- CONIFLOOR IES AS-ESD
- CONIFLOOR IES AS SR

and others.

# **Technical Data**

Mixing ratio	in parts by v	in parts by weight		100 : 20
Density	mix,	at 23 °C	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.54
Viscosity	mix,	at 23 °C	mPas	2700
Processing time	at 12 °C		min. approx.	25
Re-coating interval / ready for foot traffic	at 20 °C		minimum h maximum h	14 36
Substrate and application temperature	minimum maximum		°C	10 30
Permissible relative humidity	maximum		%	75
Ready for mech. strain light mech. strain	at 20 °C at 20 °C		d d	5 1
chem. strain	at 20°C		d	7
Shore D hardness	after 28 d			81
Resistance to ground (EN 1081)			Ohm	R <sub>g</sub> 10 <sup>4</sup> - 10 <sup>6</sup>
Resistance to ground (EN 61340-4-1)			Ohm	$R_g < 10^9$



# **Application method**

Please also note the information in our general processing guidelines.

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is supplied in the correct proportions of component A (resin) and component B (hardener). Before mixing, the A component must be stirred up by machine, then the B component is poured into the container of the A component and ensure that the pail containing component B is emptied completely.

## **NOTE:**

The CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS uses the A component of the CONIFLOOR 430 standard coating, only the B component is equipped with the conductive additive.

#### The set consists of

CONIFLOOR 430 component A CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS component B.

To achieve a homogenous mix, thoroughly mix with a slowly rotating mixing device at about 300 rev/min. Ensure that the mixing device reaches side and bottom areas of the mixing vessel.

The mixing process takes at least 3 minutes and should be performed until the blend is homogenous and streak free.

Pour the mix into another clean pail and mix it again for 1 additional minute.

The temperature of the components should be between 15-25 °C.

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS can then be applied directly to the pre-treated substrate of at least approx. 1.5 mm thickness. CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is applied using a **rubber tooth squeegee**. The teeth size of the tool needs to be adjusted to the calculated consumption per 1 m<sup>2</sup>

Cross-wise spike rolling after application is necessary to de-aerate the coating and to get a homogenous spreading of the carbon fibres in the surface. We recommend to start with spike rolling only about 5 - 10 minutes after applying the coating.

The ambient and substrate temperature influences working life and curing time of CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS. At low temperatures, the chemical reactions are slowed down; this lengthens the pot life, re-coating interval and open time. High temperature and humidity accelerate chemical reactions so the contrary is true.

To fully cure the material, the substrate and working temperature must not fall below the minimum.

After application, the material should be protected from direct contact with water for approx. 24 hours (at 20 °C). Within this period, contact with water can cause foaming on the surface of the coating.

The relative humidity level may not exceed 75%.

## Consumption

The consumption rate of CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is for a self-levelling layer of at least is minimum 1.4 mm (= 2 kg/m²) up to maximum 2 mm (= 3 kg/m²).

If CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is used as a slip resistant wear coat in the system CONIFLOOR IES AS SR, the consumption is min. 1.3 kg/m² until approx. 1.8 kg/m². For more details, see also the system data sheet.

Additional filling of CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS with quartz sand is general not allowed.

# Note for checking the conductivity:

To check the conductivity, the guideline values actual state of the art report "Conductive coatings for industrial floors" Deutsche Bauchemie e.V. recommended. Note: Before applying the conductive coating, the CONIFLOOR EP 150 conductive layer must be measured.

Surface of coating system	Amount of measurements	
< 10 m <sup>2</sup>	1 measurement / m <sup>2</sup>	
10 – 100 m²	10 – 20 measurements	
> 100 m <sup>2</sup>	10 measurements / 100 m <sup>2</sup>	

Distance of the measuring points at least 50 cm. Measured e.g. with a Metriso 2000 or 3000 measuring device. The measured value of the conductive layer should not exceed 10-15 kOhm. If the required measured value is not reached, further measurements must be done within 50 cm, which should then reach the measured value.

## Cleaning agent

Re-usable tools should be cleaned carefully with CLEANER 44 or e.g. isopropanol.

### **Substrate condition**

Cement bound substrates to be coated must be firm, dry, load bearing and free of loose and brittle particles and substances, which impair adhesion such as oil, grease, rubber skid marks, paint or other contaminants.

A pre-treatment of the substrate by grit or shot blasting, high-pressure water jetting, grinding or scabbing including the necessary post-treatment is mandatory.

After the pre-treatment, the bond strength of the concrete must be at least 1.5 N/mm<sup>2</sup>.

The moisture level must not exceed 4 %.

The temperature of the substrate must be at least 3°C above the current dew point temperature.

The sub base must contain a moisture barrier (damp proof membrane D.P.M.).

After the pre-treatment, the bond strength of the concrete must be at least 1.5 N/mm<sup>2</sup>.

CONIFLOOR 430 is applied on the pre-treated and with CONIFLOOR EP 110, EP 112 N or EP 116 LE primed subbase.



Then apply the conductive primer CONIFLOOR EP 150 and at least conductive the self-levelling coating CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS.

As for the rest the sections of the requirements concerning substrates to be coated shown in the according guidelines apply.

### Pack size

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is supplied in 25.2 kg (metal) working packs. Components A and B are supplied in the correct proportions and delivered separately.

The set consists of

CONIFLOOR EP 430 component A CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS component B.

## Colour

Standard colours: ca. RAL 7032 (grey) further colours upon request.

Please take into account, that due to the conductive surcharges there are colour differences to the standard product which are not a defect.

## **Storage**

Store in unopened pails under dry conditions at a temperature range of 5-25 °C.

Do not expose to direct sunlight.

Before use, please see "best before" date on the pail / drum.

## Safety precautions

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS is non-hazardous in its cured condition.

For protective measures, transport regulations and waste management please refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet of the product.

### **VOC** contents

CONIFLOOR EP 430 AS meets the requirements of the EC directive 2004/42/EC.

The limit value for products ready for use (product type according to table IIA j Type sb) is:

Level II (from 2010) <500 g/I VOC.

When ready to use, this product contains less than 500 g/l VOC.



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