

# **APLSP**

**Acrylic Protective Lacquer (Spraying Viscosity)** 

## **DESCRIPTION**

**APLSP** is a flexible, fast drying transparent acrylic conformal coating, used for the protection of electronic circuitry. It has been formulated for professional use only to the correct viscosity for non-atomised selective spray applications and meets the requirements of a variety of international standards.

READ ENTIRE TECHNICAL BULLETIN BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT

#### **FEATURES AND BENEFITS**

- Promotes efficient production processes; ready to use for non-atomised spraying applications, no dilution required
- Good clarity and high level of stability when exposed to UV light
- Offers good protection in humid environments and resistant to mould growth
- Provides excellent adhesion to a wide variety of substrates

#### **APPROVALS**

Standard	Status
RoHS Compliant (2015/863/EU)	Yes
MIL Approval (MIL-1-46058C)	Meets Approval
IPC-CC-830	Meets Approval

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

For available packaging sizes please visit:

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## **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Category	Results	
Liquid Properties		
Appearance	Pale Color Liquid	
Density @ 20 °C (g/mL)	0.90	
VOC Content	77%	
Flash Point	-7 °C	
Solid Content	23%	
Viscosity (mPa s @ 20 °C)	60 to 100	
Touch Dry	15 to 20 minutes	
Cure Time 20 °C 60 °C 90 °C	24 hours 4 hours 2 hours	
Coverage @ 25µm	9 m <sup>2</sup> /L	
Dry Film Coating		
Color	Colorless	
Operating Temperature Range (°C)	-55 to 125	
Flammability	Meets UL94 V-1	
Thermal Cycling (MIL-1-46058C)	Meets Approval	
Coefficient of Expansion (ppm)	130	
Dielectric Strength (kV/mm)	45	
Dielectric Constant	2.5	
Surface Insulation Resistance	1 x 10 <sup>15</sup> Ω	
Comparative Tracking Index	>300 Volts	
Dissipation Factor @ 1MHz, 25 °C	0.01	
Moisture Resistance (MIL-1-46058C)	Meets Approval	



#### **APPLICATION GUIDELINES**

APLSP has been specifically formulated to a viscosity between 60 to 100mPa s, for use in non-atomised selective coating and spray equipment. The thickness of the coating depends on the equipment parameter set up (typically 25 microns). Temperatures of less than 16 °C or relative humidity in excess of 75% are unsuitable for the application of APLSP. As is the case for all solvent based conformal coatings, adequate extraction should be used (refer to MSDS for further information).

Substrates should be thoroughly cleaned before coating. This is required to ensure that satisfactory adhesion to the substrate is achieved. Also, all flux residues must be removed as they may become corrosive if left on the PCB. We manufacture a range of cleaning products using both hydrocarbon solvent and aqueous technology. Our cleaning products produce results within Military specification.

### Spraying – Bulk

APLSP is supplied at the optimum viscosity to give coating quality and thickness depends on the spray equipment and conditions.

APLSP is suitable both for use in manual spray guns and selective coating equipment. The selected nozzle should enable a suitable even spray to be applied in addition to suiting the prevailing viscosity. The normal spray gun pressure required is 275 to 413kPa (40 to 60 lbs/sq.in.). After spraying, the boards should be placed in an air-circulating drying cabinet and left to dry.

#### **INSPECTION**

APLSP contains a UV trace, which allows inspection of the PCB after coating to ensure complete and even coverage. The stronger the reflected UV light, the thicker the coating layer is. UV light in the region of 375nm should be used for inspection.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

#### **Shelf Life**

Description	Shelf Life
APLSP Conformal Coating	48 Months
Removal Solvent	
Aerosol	36 Months
Bulk	72 Months



## **TECHNICAL BULLETIN**

#### **SAFETY & WARNING**

It is recommended that the company/operator read and review the Safety Data Sheets for the appropriate health and safety warnings before use. **Safety Data Sheets are available.** 

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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