

Conformal coatings of the series ELPEGUARD® SL 1307 FLZ/2

The 1-pack conformal coatings of the series **ELPEGUARD® SL 1307 FLZ/2** are used to protect and insulate assembled pcbs so that they can fulfil higher requirements regarding quality, reliability and service life. Owing to their very good resistance against moisture and condensation an excellent protection against corrosion (such as electro corrosion and migration) is possible.

The conformal coatings of the series **ELPEGUARD® SL 1307 FLZ/2** are distinguished by a special solvent composition which results in prolonged processing/drying times and a higher flash point (>40 °C [104 °F]). They may therefore be processed at higher temperatures which is especially useful in dip coating units.

- Base: acrylate resins (AR)
- fast physical drying
- SL 1307 FLZ/& tested by Trace Laboratories-East according to **IPC-CC-830B** and **MIL-I-46058C**
- UL approval of SL 1307 FLZ/& as **Permanent Coating according to UL 94** and as **Conformal Coating according to UL 746E** (UL file no. E80315)
- can be soldered-through at soldering iron temperature for repair purposes or removed with the help of thinner V 1307 FLZ/2 and reapplied after repair
- used by leading automotive suppliers
- very good ageing and yellowing resistance
- temperature range from -65 up to +125 °C [-85 up to 257 °F]
- very good TCT resistance (thermal cycling test):
-40 to +150 °C [-40 to 302 °F] or -65 to +125 °C [-85 to 257 °F] respectively
- fungus resistant according to IPC-TM-650, 2.6.1.1. with growth index = 0
- resistant in 4-part noxious gas test according to DIN EN 60068-2-60 or BMW GS 95003-4 respectively
- “ready-to-use“ viscosity adjustments available for various coating methods
- suitable for coating flexible circuit boards („flex-to-install“, exposure to bend stress limited to the time of assembly)
- the adjustments free from fluorescent agents are particularly suitable for lighting electronics
- when dyed with one of the dye-stuff concentrates the coating can be easily examined for completeness, thanks to the clear contrast with the substrate

Characteristics

	Colour/ appearance	Solids content DIN EN ISO 3251 1 h, 125 °C, [257 °F], 1 g weighed qty.	Viscosity at 20 °C [68 °F] (flow time)		Density at 20 °C [68 °F] DIN EN ISO 2811-1
			DIN 53211 4 mm DIN flow cup	DIN EN ISO 2431 ISO flow cup (diameter of nozzle given in brackets)	
SL 1307/182	colourless	23 ± 2 % by weight	18 ± 2 s	38 ± 4 s (4 mm)	1.00 ± 0.02 g/cm ³
SL 1307/342		29 ± 3 % by weight	34 ± 3 s	46 ± 5 s (5 mm)	1.00 ± 0.02 g/cm ³
SL 1307 FLZ/2	colourless, fluorescent	32 ± 3 % by weight	55 ± 5 s	73 ± 7 s (5 mm)	1.00 ± 0.02 g/cm ³
SL 1307 FLZ/182		23 ± 2 % by weight	18 ± 2 s	38 ± 4 s (4 mm)	1.00 ± 0.02 g/cm ³
SL 1307 FLZ/232		27 ± 2 % by weight	23 ± 2 s	60 ± 5 s (4 mm)	1.00 ± 0.02 g/cm ³
SL 1307 FLZ/342		29 ± 3 % by weight	34 ± 3 s	46 ± 5 s (5 mm)	1.00 ± 0.02 g/cm ³
SL 1337 FLZ/182	red, fluorescent	23 ± 2 % by weight	18 ± 2 s	38 ± 4 s (4 mm)	1.00 ± 0.02 g/cm ³
SL 1367 FLZ/182	green, fluo- rescent	23 ± 2 % by weight	18 ± 2 s	38 ± 4 s (4 mm)	1.00 ± 0.02 g/cm ³
FK 1337/2	red	—	—	—	1.00 ± 0.05 g/cm ³
FK 1367/2	green	—	—	—	1.00 ± 0.05 g/cm ³

Indices: SL = conformal coating, FLZ = fluorescent, /2 = special solvent composition with flash point > 40 °C, /182 = viscosity of 18 s acc. to DIN 53211, likewise /232 and /342, FK = dyestuff concentrate

List of possible physical and mechanical properties

Lackwerke Peters largely verifies its own production range with regard to the products' physical and mechanical properties. Please note that the values may slightly vary depending on the adjustment.

Property	Test method	Result
Flexibility	IPC-CC-830B, 3.5.5	passed
Glass transition temperature T _g	Dynamic mechanical analysis (DMA)	approx. -4 °C [24.8 °F]
Coefficient of thermal expansion (CTE)	Thermo mechanical analysis (TMA)	160 ppm/°C ≤ RT

List of possible electrical properties

Lackwerke Peters largely verifies its own production range with regard to the products' electrical properties. Please note that the values may slightly vary depending on the adjustment. These values are reached after 7 days of storage at room temperature.

Property	Test method	Result
Dielectric strength	IPC-TM-650, 2.5.6.1 DIN EN 60243-1	60 kV/mm
	IPC-CC-830B, 3.6.1	passed
Specific volume resistivity	VDE 0303, part 30/DIN IEC 60093 IPC-TM-650, 2.5.17.1	1.5 x 10 ¹⁵ Ohm x cm
Surface resistance	VDE 0303, part 30/DIN IEC 60093 IPC-TM-650, 2.5.17.1	2.0 x 10 ¹⁴ Ohm

Property	Test method	Result
Moisture and insulation resistance	IPC-CC-830B, 3.7.1 (65 °C [149 °F]/90 % r. h.)	passed
	85/85 test; ramp formed storage at high air humidity and high temperature, incl. 3 days at 85 °C [185 °F] and 85 % r.h.	1.0 x 10 ⁹ Ohm
Thermal shock	IPC-CC-830B, 3.7.2 -65 to +125 °C [-85 to 257 °F]	passed
Hydrolytic stability	IPC-CC-830B, 3.7.3	passed
Comparative tracking index (CTI)	DIN EN 60112 on FR4 base material with CTI 275 CTI 600	CTI > 600 CTI > 600
Resistance to condensation	according to DIN EN ISO 6270-2 (BIAS 12 V, 40 °C [104 °F], 100% r. h.)	1.0 x 10 ¹⁰ Ohm
Permittivity ϵ_r	VDE 0303, part 4	50 Hz: 3.8 1 MHz: 3.2
Dielectric loss factor $\tan \delta$	VDE 0303, part 4	50 Hz: 0.052 1 MHz: 0.036
TI (temperature index)	DIN EN 60216 (IEC 60216) issue 2001	125 °C [257 °F] (20 000 h)* 150 °C [302 °F] (5 000 h)*

* can be used in a temperature range of **-65 up to at least + 125 °C** [-49 up to at least 392 °F]. Both at the lower and upper ends of this range the performance and reliability of the material can be negatively affected in some applications. In these cases, additional pre-trials and tests are required. Limit values for classification were a 25 % loss in mass and/or dielectric strength in comparison to the appropriate reference values.

Processing



Please read this technical report and the publications listed below carefully before using the product. These sheets are enclosed with the first shipment of product or sample

MSDS

The corresponding material safety data sheet contains detailed information and characteristics on safety precautions, environmental protection, transport, storage, handling and waste disposal.

AI

Application information AI 1/1 "Processing instructions for ELPEGUARD® conformal coatings (thin film coatings)"

TI

Technical information TI 15/3 "Protective measures when using chemicals including lacquers, casting compounds, thinners, cleaning agents"

The conformal coatings of the series **ELPEGUARD® SL 1307 FLZ/2** can be applied by dipping, brushing, spraying or by means of automatic selective coating units.

Before the coating process, either the (highly) thixotropic conformal coating **ELPEGUARD® SL 1307 FLZ-T** or the **SL 1307 FLZ-HT** can be applied for building dams around connectors, components and pads easily and precisely, in order to prevent the penetration or spreading of the subsequently applied conformal coating (dam and fill).

Since the many different permutations make it impossible to evaluate the whole spectrum (parameters, reactions with materials used, chemical processes and machines) of processes and subsequent processes in all their variations, the parameters we recommend are to be viewed as guidelines only that were determined in laboratory conditions. We advise you to determine the exact

process limitations within your production environment, in particular as regards compatibility with your specific follow-up processes, in order to ensure a stable fabrication process and products of the highest possible quality.

The specified product data is based upon standard processing conditions/test conditions of the mentioned norms and must be verified observing suitable test conditions on processed printed circuit boards.

Feel free to contact our application technology department (ATD) if you have any questions or for a consultation.

Safety recommendations

- When using chemicals, the common precautions should be carefully noted.
- Ensure that extractor units of workplace ventilation arrangements are positioned at solvent source level.
- Please also pay attention to national guidelines or directives concerning operating safety such as the German TRBS (technical rules for operating safety) and those concerning the handling of flammable liquids as for example the German TRbF (technical rules for flammable liquids) or European directives.

Viscosity adjustment

- Adjust the processing viscosity for each application process by means of thinner **V 1307 FLZ/2** (see also “Adjustment of the processing viscosity” in the Application information sheet **AI 1/1**).

DIL to be thinned with thinner V 1307 FLZ/2

Deviating from the parameters given in the Application information sheet AI 1/1 we recommend a dipping viscosity of 30-40 s. On account of the special solvent composition, processing temperatures of 20-35 °C [68–95 °F] are possible.

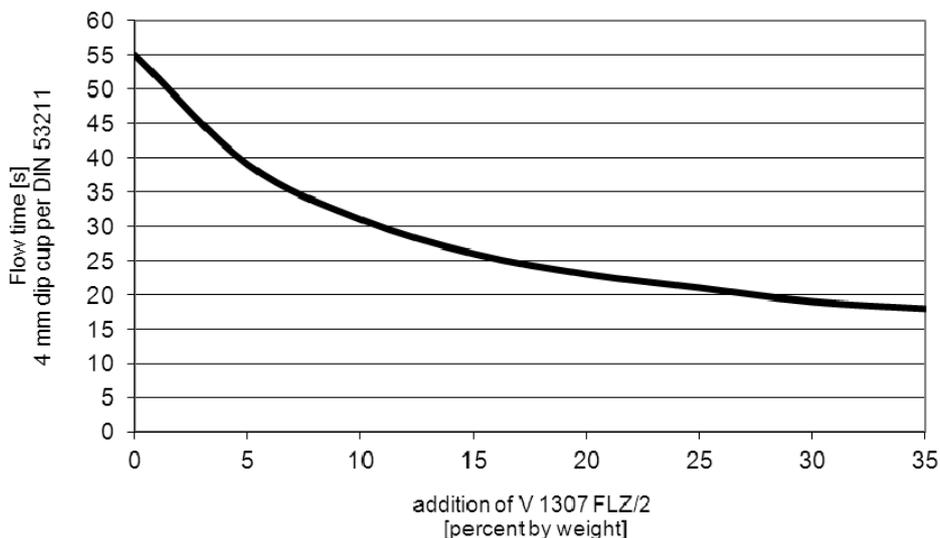


Fig. 1: Viscosity depending on the quantity of thinner added at 20 °C for the conformal coating ELPEGUARD® SL 1307 FLZ/2

Auxiliary products recommended

- **Thinner V 1307 FLZ/2**
for removing the conformal coating within repair jobs
- **Cleaning agent R 5817**
for the cleaning of work place and tools

Processing of dyestuff concentrates



Stir before using



Conformal coating : dyestuff concentrate = 20 : 1 (parts by weight)

- Prepare 20 parts conformal coating, add the dyestuff concentrate while stirring, to prevent sedimenting, and continue to stir until the conformal coating and dyestuff concentrate are homogeneously mixed.
- Note that the viscosity of the conformal coatings decreases when they are mixed with the dyestuff concentrates.
- If possible, mix only the quantity immediately required.

It is imperative that previously prepared mixtures are stirred thoroughly again before use.

The physical and electrical properties will not change or only slightly change by adding a dyestuff concentrate.

Double coating

The conformal coatings of the series **ELPEGUARD® SL 1307 FLZ/2** are suitable for double coating to a limited extent since they are dissolved by the solvent contained in the lacquer.

Drying/curing

Drying is finished after complete evaporation of the solvents. The drying parameters depend, among others, on the geometry of the assemblies, the population and ink layer thickness. In case of oven drying they depend on the oven loading etc. The following data serves as a guideline:

	At room temperature (approx. +23 °C [73.4 °F])	in circulating hot air units
Drying (tack-free) according to DIN EN 60464 (IEC 60464)	20-30 min	—
Drying time before packaging	approx. 1.5 h	10-20 min at 80 °C [176 °F]

Standard packaging

	Packaging	Selling unit
SL 1307/182 SL 1307/342 SL 1307 FLZ/2 SL 1307 FLZ/182 SL 1307 FLZ/232 SL 1307 FLZ/342 SL 1337 FLZ/182 SL 1367 FLZ/182	Can of 15 kg	15 kg
FK 1337/2 FK 1367/2	1 plastic bottle of 1 kg	1 kg
V 1307 FLZ/2	Can of 15 kg	15 kg

Smaller quantities are available against surcharge.

Shelf life and storage conditions



Shelf life in sealed containers:

conformal coatings at least 18 months
dyestuff concentrates 3 months



Storage conditions: +5 °C to +25 °C [+41 °F to +77 °F]



Protect against humidity

For warehousing reasons, isolated cases may occur where the shelf life upon shipment is less than the shelf life indicated in this technical report. However, it is ensured that our products have **at least** two-thirds of their shelf life remaining when they leave our company. Labels on containers show shelf life and storage conditions.

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