

# Leaders in Infrastructure TECHNOLOGY

**Highway and Specialty Systems Division** 

## **POLY-TUFF SYSTEMS INTERNATIONAL**

Meets ASTM C 881-90, Type III, Class B & C

Meets AASHTO M235, Type III, Grade 1, Class B & C

**Excellent Bond Strength** 

High Early Strength

Single or Multi-Layer Application

Mix Ratio: 1:1 by Volume

Moisture Insensitive

Non-Flammable

# **E-TUFF® 7097**

# LOW MODULUS, LOW VISCOSITY EPOXY ADHESIVE & BINDER



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**Engineered Construction Systems** 

## **1.01 DESCRIPTION**

**E-Tuff® 7097** is a two component, 1:1 ratio, 100% solids, low modulus, low viscosity, moisture tolerant, rapid setting, multi-purpose adhesive and epoxy binder. Formulated for use in bonding skid resistant materials to hardened concrete and as a binder in epoxy mortars.

## 1.02 USES

- Bonding skid-resistant overlays to bridges and elevated slabs
- Concrete Repair and Patching
- Colored Aggregates and Glass for Demarcation
- High Friction Surface Treatment
- Parking Decks, Ramps, Walkways, Stairways, Steep Inclines

### **1.03 FEATURES**

- Excellent Abrasion, Impact and Chemical Resistance
- Excellent Adhesion
- High Modulus, High Strength Adhesive
- High Strength, Low Viscosity
- Mix Ratio 1:1 By Volume For Ease Of Use
- Quick Return To Service
- Rapid Cure Return to Traffic Formulation
- Structural Adhesive
- VOC And EPA Compliant In All States And Provinces In North America.

#### **1.04 TECHNICAL DATA**

Meets ASTM C881, Type III, Grade 1, Class B & C and AASHTO M235, Type III, Grade 1, Class B & C

#### **1.05 COLOR**

**Clear Light Amber** 

#### **1.06 PACKAGING**

10-gallon kit: 5 gallon pail of Side-A (18.9 liters) and 5 gallon pail of Side B (18.9 liters)

100-gallon kit: 50 gallon drum of Side-A (189 liters) and 50 gallon tote of Side B (189 liters)

500-gallon kit: 250 gallon tote of Side-A (946 liters) and 250 gallon tote of Side B (946 liters)

## **1.07 ESTIMATED COVERAGE**

Minimum Epoxy/Aggregate Coverage Rates

Single and Multi-Layer Coverage Course #1: Epoxy rate: 40 sq.ft /gallon (1 liter/sq.m) Aggregate rate: 1-1.5lb/sq.ft (4.88-7.32 kg/sqm).

Course #2: Epoxy rate: 20 sq.ft/gallon (2 liter/sqm) Aggregate rate: 1-1.5 lb/sq.ft (4.88-7.32 kg/sq.m).

PROPERTIES and TESTING		
LABORATORY TESTS	RESULTS	ASTM C881 SPECIFICATIONS
Mix Ratio	1:1 by volume	None
ASTM D695 Compressive Modulus	110,000 psi	130,000 maximum
ASTM D638 Tensile Strength	2,800 psi	None
ASTM D638 Tensile Elongation	50% @ 77°F	30% minimum
ASTM C882 Bond Strength (14 day cure)	3,000 psi	1,500 psi minimum
ASTM D570 Water Absorption	0.2%	1.0% maximum
ASTM C881 Gel Time	20 minutes	30 minutes
ASTM D2393 Brookfield	1700 cps	2000 cps maximum
C 883 Effective Shrinkage	Pass	Pass
ASTM C884 Thermal Compatibility	Pass	Pass
AASHTO T-277 Chloride Ion Permeability	0.0 coulombs	None

# Application

- 1. Repair delamination, potholes and cracks with E-Tuff<sup>®</sup> Deck II.
- 2. Clean surface by shotblasting to remove all contaminants. Remove dust and debris by blowing off with oil-free compressed air.
- Mechanically mix component A with component B 1:1 by volume with Jiffy type mixer and lowspeed variable drill at 300 rpm for a minimum of 3 minutes. Mix only the quantity that can be used within its gel time.
- 3a. Semi-Automated application
- 4. Apply neat E-TUFF<sup>®</sup> 7097 by notched squeegee at the specified rate.
- 5. Broadcast select aggregate to refusal.
- 6. After initial cure, remove excess aggregate. Do not open to traffic.
- 7. Allow to cure following the table below. Open to traffic. Repeat steps 4-7 if Multi-Layer is specified.

MINIMUM CURING TIMES OF E-TUFF® 7097		
60°F (16°C)	6 Hours	
65°F (19°C)	5 Hours	
70°F (22°C)	4 Hours	
75°F (24°C)	3 Hours	
80°F (27°C)	3 Hours	
85+°F (29+°C)	2.5 hrs	





















#### 2.01 CLEAN UP

Clean tools before the epoxy adhesive sets up using acetone or PSI's EnviroClean™.

#### 2.02 SHIPPING, STORAGE AND SELF LIFE

The material should be shipped and stored between 40°F to 95°F (5°C to 35°C), in a dry and out of direct sunlight. The shelf life of properly stored and unopened containers is 24 months. Excessive temperature differential and/ or high humidity can shorten the self-life.

#### 2.03 LIMITATIONS

- Minimum substrate temperature is 50°F (10°C).
- Do not thin with solvent. Solvent will prevent proper cure.
- Do not use wet aggregate. Aggregate must be clean, dry and bagged.
- Do not place on magnesium phosphate cement concrete.

#### 2.04 SAFETY

- Eyes: Hold eyelids apart and flush thoroughly with water for 15 minutes.
- Skin: Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin thoroughly for 15 minutes with soap and water.
- Inhalation: Remove person to fresh air.
- Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. In all cases, contact a physician immediately if symptoms persist.
- SDS: Obtain, read and understand the Safety Data Sheet before use of this or any other Poly-Tuff System International products.
- Do not take internally.

#### 2.05 CAUTION

- Side A Irritant
- Side B Corrosive
- Product is a strong sensitizer
- Use with adequate ventilation
- Wear protective clothing, gloves and appropriate eye protection (safety glasses, googles or face shield)
- Do not take internally

# READ SDS PRIOR TO USING PRODUCT. FOR PROFESSIONAL USE ONLY.KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.MADE IN THE USA.





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