



## 501 CRXL – Extended Working Life

A high build epoxy coating with extended usable life, designed for corrosion and chemical protection of steel and concrete structures, particularly in warmer climates.

- Mild chemical resistance
- Corrosion resistant for long lasting protection
- Extended usable life ideal for warmer climates
- Surface tolerant for less-than-ideal preparation

2025 Product Sheet

# Typical Applications

501 CRXL is an extended usable life epoxy coating designed for corrosion and chemical protection of steel and concrete structures. Its high build formulation makes it ideal for standard airless spray applications, particularly in warmer climates.

- Pipelines
  - Internal & external tank surfaces
  - Structural steel
  - Sumps
- Sheet and bearing piles
  - Chemical intake areas
  - Process equipment
  - Chemical containment and bund areas

# Cure times

Usable Life		Min overcoating time		Max overcoating time		Water/Seawater Immersion		Chemical Immersion	
10°C/50°F	120 mins	10°C/50°F	20 hours	10°C/50°F	72 hours	10°C/50°F	6 days	10°C/50°F	14 days
20°C/68°F	60 mins	20°C/68°F	10 hours	20°C/68°F	36 hours	20°C/68°F	3 days	20°C/68°F	7 days
30°C/86°F	30 mins	30°C/86°F	5 hours	30°C/86°F	18 hours	30°C/86°F	36 hours	30°C/86°F	3.5 days
40°C/104°F	15 mins	40°C/104°F	2.5 hours	40°C/104°F	9 hours	40°C/104°F	18 hours	40°C/104°F	42 hours

Please note that the coverage rates quoted are theoretical and do not take into consideration the profile or condition of the surface being repaired.

# Characteristics

Appearance		Density	
Base	Highly structured thixotropic liquid	Base	1.754
Activator	Amber liquid	Activator	1.03
Mixed	Thixotropic liquid	Mixed	1.52
Solids Content		Mixing Ratio	
100%		By weight	3.5:1
		By volume	2:1
Volume Capacity		Storage Life	
658cc/kg		5 years if unopened and stored in normal dry conditions, 15–30°C (59–86°F)	
Sag Resistance			
Nil at 400 microns			

## Mechanical Properties

### Abrasion Resistance

Taber CS17 Wheels/1kg load  
138mg loss/1000 cycles  
0.22cc loss/1000 cycles

### Adhesion

Tensile Shear to ASTM D1002 on  
abrasive blasted mild steel with  
75 micron profile:  
194 kg/cm<sup>2</sup> (2750 psi)

### Cathodic Disbandment

Tested to ISO 21809-3:2016  
28 days - 1.5v - 3% NaCl  
23°C (73°F)                      2.3mm  
65°C (149°F)                      5.1mm  
95°C (203°F)                      7.7mm

### Impact Resistance

Tested to ASTM G14 2.0 joules

### Heat Resistance

Suitable for use in immersed  
conditions at temperatures up to  
60°C (140°F)  
Resistant to dry heat up to 200°C  
(392°F) dependant on load

### Hardness

Shore D to ASTM D2240: 80

### Flexural Strength

Tested to ASTM D790  
522kg/cm<sup>2</sup> (7400psi)

### Corrosion Resistance

Tested to ASTM B117  
Minimum 5000 hours

### Compressive Strength

Tested to ASTM D 695  
649kg/cm<sup>2</sup> (9200psi)

## Details & Legal

### Warranty

Resimac warrants that the  
performance of the product  
supplied will conform to the typical  
descriptions quoted within this  
specification provided material is  
stored correctly and used  
according to the procedures  
detailed in this document.

### Quality

All Resimac Products are supplied  
under the scope of the company's  
fully documented quality system.

### Pack Sizes

This product is available in the  
following pack sizes:  
3.6ltrs (0.9 US gallon)  
17ltrs (4.5 US gallon)

### Chemical Resistance

The product resists attack by a wide  
variety of inorganic acids, alkalis,  
salts and organic media including:

Brine	40°C (104°F)
Crude Oil	40°C (104°F)
De-ionised Water	30°C (86°F)
Diesel	40°C (104°F)
Hydrochloric Acid 20%	40°C (104°F)
Naphtha	40°C (104°F)
Phosphoric Acid 30%	40°C (104°F)
Sodium Hydroxide 50%	40°C (104°F)
Sulphuric acid 20%	40°C (104°F)

## Coverage

The mixed product will give the  
following coverage rates:

3.6ltrs (0.9 US gallon)	
14.4m <sup>2</sup> at 250microns	155ft <sup>2</sup> at 10mil
17ltrs (4.5 US gallon)	
68m <sup>2</sup> at 250microns	730ft <sup>2</sup> at 10mil

# Application Guide

## A. Surface Preparation

### **Metallic Substrates: Abrasive blast cleaning**

- 1 All oil and grease must be removed from the surface using an appropriate cleaner such as MEK.
- 2 All surfaces must be abrasive blasted to ISO 8501/4 Standard SA2.5 (SSPC SP10/ NACE 2) minimum blast profile of 75 microns (3mil) using an angular abrasive.
- 3 Once blast cleaned, the surface must be degreased and cleaned using MEK or similar type material.
- 4 All surfaces must be coated before gingering or oxidation occurs.

*PLEASE NOTE: For salt contaminated surfaces the substrate must be pressure washed with clean water and checked for salt contamination, please refer to the surface preparation and pre-application guide for further information.*

### **Health & Safety**

Please ensure good practice is observed at all times during the mixing and application of this product. Protective gloves and other recommended personal protective equipment must be worn during the mixing and application of this product.

Before mixing and applying the material, please ensure you have read and fully understood all information.

### Existing Concrete Preparation:

- 1 If the concrete surface is contaminated, pressure wash using clean water.
- 2 Once the concrete is dry, lightly abrasive blast or scarify taking care not to expose the aggregate.
- 3 Clean all dust and debris from the surface and prime with 503 SPEP (low viscosity epoxy primer).
- 4 Apply 503 SPEP at 150 microns (6mil) WFT, leave to cure for 3 hours (20°C/68°F) before overcoating.

### New Concrete Preparation:

- 1 Allow new concrete to cure for a minimum of 21 days and treat to remove any surface laitance.
- 2 Check the moisture content of the concrete prior to coating (8% moisture content or below).
- 3 Lightly scarify the surface taking care not to expose the aggregate.
- 4 Clean all dust and debris from the surface and prime with 503 SPEP (low viscosity epoxy primer).
- 5 Apply 503 SPEP at 150 microns (6mil) WFT, leave to cure for 3 hours (20°C/68°F) before overcoating.

## B. Product Preparation

### Prior to mixing, please ensure the following:

- 1 The base component is at a temperature between 15–25°C (60–77°F).
- 2 The ambient & surface temperature is above 10°C (50°F).
- 3 The ambient & surface temperatures are not less than 3°C (6°F) above the dew point.

## C. Mixing

### Mix the unit in full (3.6ltrs/17ltrs):

- 1 Transfer the contents of the Activator unit into the Base container.
- 2 Using an electric paddle mixer, mix the 2 components until a uniform material free of any streaks is achieved.
- 3 From the commencement of mixing the whole of the material should be used within 60 minutes at 20°C (68°F).

## D. Application

### Brush and roller application:

- 1 Pour the mixed material into a paint kettle or paint tray (this will maximise the usable life).
- 2 Using a 50mm (2") wide synthetic brush, stripe coat all edges, joints, corners and equipment with the mixed material.
- 3 The stripe coat must be approximately 100mm (4") wide, at 250 microns (10mil) wet film thickness.
- 4 Once the stripe coat has cured sufficiently and is capable of being overcoated, apply the 1st coat of mixed product to all surfaces at 250 microns (10mil) wet film thickness.
- 5 Once the 1st coat of material has cured sufficiently, approximately 10 hours at 20°C (68°F), apply a 2nd coat of material to all surfaces at 250 microns (10mil) wet film thickness.

### Standard airless spray application:

- 1 Spray application should be carried out by airless spray using a 60:1 ratio pump with an attached hot water pump to heat the spray line.
- 2 The temperature around the spray lines should be kept around 25–35°C (77–95°F).
- 3 Spray pressure of 3600psi and a tip size of 19–23 thou should be used.
- 4 Use as short a line as possible to maintain product temperature (maximum 8m/26").
- 5 Circulate the product for a short time to achieve a consistent temperature.
- 6 Using a 50mm (2") wide synthetic brush, stripe coat all edges, joints, corners and equipment with the mixed material.
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# Quick Application Guide

Brush and roller application:



## Step 1

Ensure you have:

1 x base unit

1 x activator unit

1 x spatula

1 x slow speed drill and  
paddle



## Step 2

Pour the entire contents of  
the activator container into  
the base container.



## Step 3

Mix thoroughly, taking care  
to ensure any unmixed  
material is scraped down  
from the edges of the  
container using a spatula.  
Continue mixing until streak  
free.



## Step 4

Apply to the correctly  
prepared substrate using a  
brush or medium pile roller to  
the required wet film  
thickness of 250 microns.



## Step 5

Allow to cure for minimum of  
10 hours (20°C/68°F)  
or until touch dry and then  
apply the 2nd coat.

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## Step 4

Apply to the correctly  
prepared substrate at 250  
microns using airless spray  
unit, minimum pump size 60:1.  
Heated & insulated lines are  
necessary to maintain a  
constant 20-25°C  
(68-75°F) temperature.  
Spray pressure 3600psi,  
tip size 19-23 Thou.



## Step 5

Allow to cure for minimum of  
10 hours (20°C/68°F) or until  
touch dry and then apply the  
2nd coat as required.



## About Resimac

A UK based manufacturer of epoxy and polyurethane coatings and repair materials.

From our head office in the heart of rural North Yorkshire, England we supply our range of Epoxy, Polyurethane & Silicone coatings and repair materials to the Oil & Gas, Petrochemical, Marine, Paper & Pulp, Water, Power Generation & Chemical Industries.

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