

Check local VOC regulations to ensure compliance of all products in your area.

# **DESCRIPTION**

**Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer** is a high viscosity, two component epoxy for use on interior or exterior seams, joints and voids.

## **FEATURES**

- · Direct to metal
- Paintable immediately with most solvent-based coatings
- · Holds tooling marks throughout working time
- Non-sag formula
- Black color matches many OEM sealers
- · Remains flexible without shrinking or cracking
- Sprayable for additional versatility

## **SUITABLE SUBSTRATES**

- Bare Metal
- 0EM Finish
- Epoxy Primer
- DTM Urethane Primer

# **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

Part:	Product Name:	Color:	Container:
40377	Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer	Black	7 oz. Cartridge
Working time:		10 minutes @ 70°F (21°C)	
Set time:		15 minutes @ 70°F (21°C)	
Top Coat time with most solvent-based coatings:		0 minutes @ 70°F (21°C)	
Top Coat time with most waterborne coatings:		15 minutes @ 70°F (21°C)	
Cure time:		1 hour @ 70°F (21°C)	

# **HANDLING AND APPLICATION**

## PREPARATION:

#### Note:

Prior to applying **Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer** vehicle temperature should be 70°F (21°C) for at least one hour.

- **1.** Clean joints and seams thoroughly with **SEM Solve** or **Zero VOC Surface Cleaner**.
- **2.** Sand primed surface with 400 grit sand paper or scuff with a gray scuff pad. Sand bare metal surface with 80 grit sand paper.
- **3.** Blow off and tack clean to remove lint and dust.
- 4. Re-clean with SEM Solve or Zero VOC Surface Cleaner.

Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer may be applied directly to properly prepped bare metal or primed surfaces. However; if the area will be subjected to any flexing or twisting, including certain vehicle manufacturers roof skins, prime the area first with a quality, two-component urethane or epoxy primer such as World Class™ DTM Primer before applying Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer. If in doubt, prime. Allow primer to fully cure before applying Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer.

#### Note:

**Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer** should not be used directly over acid based self-etching primers or vice versa. This application procedure can cause cracking and blistering of the undercoat and top coat.

**Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer** is paintable immediately with most solvent-based coatings, however, always test for compatibility.

### **MIXING:**

- 1. Place cartridge into Universal Manual Applicator or Universal Pneumatic Applicator.
- **2.** Remove cap by inserting a flat head screwdriver into slot and prying upward.
- **3.** Equalize cartridge by dispensing product until both parts flow equally.
- **4.** Install **Static Mixer**. Cut tip to desired application size.

#### Note:

For cap replacement, match circles and squares, then snap back into place.

### STATIC MIXERS:

Part:	Product Name:	For:	Container:
70011	Integral Nut Square Static Mixers	7 oz. cartridge	6 pack
70012	Integral Nut Square Static Mixers	7 oz. cartridge	50 pack

## **APPLICATION:**

- **1.** Apply **Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer** into joint or seam. Work in or finish with finger, putty knife, acid brush or spreader.
- 2. While product is still wet, remove excess by wiping with a small amount of solvent compliant with the VOC regulations in your area.
- **3. Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer** can be painted immediately with most solvent-based coatings, or up to 24 hours without scuffing. If in doubt, scuff with a gray pad prior to painting.

### **SPRAYING:**

The **Quick Spray System** easily attaches to the **Universal Pneumatic Applicator** and allows users to duplicate OEM seam sealer textures while utilizing the two-component technology of **SEM** seam sealers.

Also available are **Versa-Tips**. **Versa-Tips** snap onto the end of the **Static Mixer** and allow the user to easily duplicate OEM seam sealer ribbons. **Versa-Tips** contain six tips that may be cut to 1/2", 3/4", 1", 1.25" and 1.5" ribbon tips.

### STORAGE:

**Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer** should be stored in a cool, dry place with adequate ventilation away from heat, sparks and flames. The shelf life for **Heavy Bodied Black Seam Sealer** is 2 years when stored under normal conditions.

# **RELATED PRODUCTS:**

Part:	Product Name:	Size:
38371	SEM Solve	Gallon
38373	SEM Solve	20 oz. Aerosol
38374	SEM Solve	Quart
38375	SEM Solve	5 Gallon
40401	Zero VOC Surface Cleaner	Gallon
40404	Zero VOC Surface Cleaner	Quart
50121	World Class™ DTM Primer	Gallon
50124	World Class <sup>™</sup> DTM Primer	Quart
50134	World Class <sup>™</sup> DTM Primer Activator	Quart
50136	World Class™ DTM Primer Activator	Half Pint
70011	Integral Nut Static Mixers	6 Pack
70012	Integral Nut Static Mixers	50 Pack
70039	Universal Pneumatic Applicator	Each
70070	Versa-Tip	6 Pack
70100	Quick Spray System Starter Kit	Each
71119	Universal Manual Applicator	Each



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