# Alesta<sup>®</sup> AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor



The information given in this datasheet is generic for the range ALESTA® AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor. Specific product properties can slightly differ. For specific TDS, please contact us.

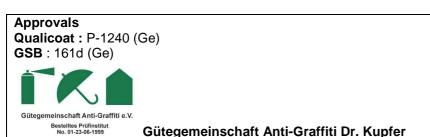
### **Product Description**

ALESTA® AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor is a polyester based powder coating containing high performance carboxyl polyester resin. ALESTA® AG Outdoor is an anti-graffiti powder coating which offers excellent chemical resistance, very good weathering resistance, corrosion and mechanical properties. The ALESTA® AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor range is particularly appropriate for graffiti exposed fixtures for outdoor or indoor use: construction market, urban furniture, slot machines, cash dispensers.

Formulated and tested in accordance to the German Norm DIN12206-1:2004. For more details please contact us.

#### Products ALESTA<sup>®</sup> AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor

Products exist in smooth finish and can be formulated in a wide range of colours. **Packaging:** 15 or 20 kg in plastic bag and cardboard box (depending on specific gravity).



This powder coating complies with the European Directives "Restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances" 2002/95/EC and 2011/65/EU (RoHS).

### Colours

Can be formulated in any colour in glossy appearance.

Please contact us for further details.

### Substrates

Any ferrous or non-ferrous metals

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#### Substrate Preparation

On aluminium, steel and galvanized steel: degreasing followed by a chemical conversion to attain the required level of anticorrosion protection.

On steel and galvanised steel, it is possible to use our anticorrosion protective primers such as ALESTA® ZeroZinc anticorrosion powder primer providing excellent corrosion protection (please contact us).

#### Physical Properties Specific Gravity

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Particle Size distribution	100 % < 160 microns

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The following performances have been obtained under the conditions described below and in laboratory. Actual product properties such as gloss, colour and finish may vary according to condition of application.

Product Performance / Film Properties						
CONDITIONS						
Aluminium panels	5005 AA, 0.8 mm (AA6060 or AA6063 for acetic Salt Spray)					
Surface pretreatment	Chemical conversion					
Film Thickness	70 μm +/- 10					
Curing Conditions	12 <sup>'</sup> @ 180°C (object temperature)					
TESTS	SPECIFICATIONS		AG Outdoor			
	N°	DATES				
Thickness	EN ISO 2360	2003	60-80 microns			
Gloss @ 60°	EN ISO 2813	1999	70 – 90 units			
Adhesion	EN ISO 2409	2007	Class 0			
Buchholz	EN ISO 2815	2003	≥ 80			
Erichsen	EN ISO 1520	2006	≥ 5 mm			
Cylindrical flexibility	EN ISO 1519	2002	≤ 5 mm			
Kesternich (SO2)	EN ISO 3231	1997	24 cycles			
Acetic salt spray	EN ISO 9227	1990	1000 hours			
Impact resistance	EN ISO6272	2004	≥ 2.5 Nm			
Resistance to boiling water		No defect or peeling after 2 hours				
Humidity Chamber	EN ISO 6270-2	2005	2005 1000 hours			
Weathering (Florida)		1 Year				
Qualicoat		Residual Gloss : ≥ 50 %				
	ISO 2810	<b>Colour change</b> : $\Delta E$ : according to Qualicoat				
		requirements (appendix A7)				
GSB		Residual Gloss: $\geq$ 50 %Colour Change $\Delta L^*$ , $\Delta C^*$ : according to GSB AL 631				
		section 9.19.1				
Accelerated weathering		1000 hours exposure Xenon Lamp				
Qualicoat	EN ISO 11341	<b>Residual Gloss</b> $: \ge 50 \%$				
		Colour chan	<b>ge:</b> $\Delta$ <b>E</b> : according to Qual			
			requirements (app	endix A7)		
GSB	DIN EN ISO		xposure QUV-B			
	11507	Residual Glo	<b>oss</b> : ≥ 50 %			

### Curing Window

### • Advice & limits:

-> Can be cured using a variety of methods, e.g. IR, convection, combi ovens.

-> Avoid rapid temperature increase.

-> In direct gas ovens, combustion by-products may cause significant colour changes (for specific advice, please contact us)

## General curing conditions ALESTA® AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor

Object t° / time

190°C 07' – 22' 180°C 12' – 27' 170°C 17' – 32'

This technical datasheet supersedes all previous issues.

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### Application

- Do not mix this product with another powder.
- Substrate should be correctly cleaned before use.
- Application using either manual or automatic electrostatic guns.
- These products can be applied using the Corona electrostatic process. Please contact us for specific TRIBO applications.
- Film thickness: the required application settings will depend upon the geometry of the object being coated as well as the specified film thickness. It is the responsibility of the applicator to make the appropriate adjustments. Certain colours should be applied at higher film thickness to ensure full hiding and it is therefore recommended to minimize thickness variation.
- Despite the great care that is taken during our manufacturing process, small colour or other slight appearance variations from batch to batch are unavoidable for effect colours. Therefore we recommend that a single batch of powder coatings should be used to coat parts that will be subsequently assembled together. Differences are more likely with effect powder coatings such as metallic, pearlescent, speckled, textured and combinations thereof. Differences will be more easily visible on large coated parts such as cladding panels, flat sheets.
- Recycling of the powder: possible up to 30 % with exception of some metallic and pearlescent.

### **Cleaning Instructions**

Cleaning should only be done with agents which are approved and considered in the report or in our cleaning instructions. For this purpose only cleaning companies which are certified by the quality control association Anti-Graffiti should be hired.

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### **Recommended Application**

These agents remove almost all spray paints and waterproof pens from surfaces coated with ALESTA® AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor products. The safety and processing instructions given by the detergent manufacturer have to be respected.

### **Cleaning Procedure**

Cleaning should take place immediately after detecting the graffiti damage. A longer endurance of the graffiti may have the effect that they can not be removed completely. The cleaning agent has to be applied e.g. by a spray nozzle onto the surface to be cleaned. <u>Immediately</u> after application clean wipes have to be used to remove the Graffiti. It is recommended to keep the exposure time of the cleaning agent to a minimum as too long exposure might cause damages of the AG coating. Please neutralize with water after application. In general, after 24 hours the visual appearance of the initial state is achieved again. During the time the agent diffuses out the coating. Avoid any mechanical stress during this time. This procedure may be repeated if necessary. The ALESTA® AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor powder coating has been designed for removing Graffiti up to 5 times. We are not liable for any damages to the coating if the cleaning instructions are not followed.

## **Cleaning Agents**

The following agents are tested and approved for permanent removal of graffiti on ALESTA® AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor coated surfaces: P SCRIBEX 500 (HENKEL) ARCANE US 226 liquid or gel (ARCANE INDUSTRIES) SOCOSTRIP T4210P (SOCOMORE)

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### Approvals

The ALESTA® AG AntiGraffiti Outdoor properties have been confirmed by an independent and accredited test institute, the RAL Quality Assurance Association for Anti-Graffiti e.V. (Report No. AG 13-2119).

### Storage Stability

12 months @ 35° C

Shelf life applies to materials stored in sealed plastic bags under dry and cool conditions i.e. temperatures below 35°C.

### Safety

Consult the Safety Data Sheet prior to use

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