



MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

Mechanical property	Recommended Design Value
Tensile strength	9,400 psi (64.8) Mpa
Compressive strength	NVL OSD
Flexural strength	NVL OSD
Tensile modulus	NVL OSD
Flexural modulus	1,390 ksi (9.58) Gpa
Ultimate Tensile Elongation	
Ultimate Flexural Elongation	

EPOXY

TCI ProTecStrong 855-SPL is a two-component, 100% solid, room temperature curing, thermoset epoxy system with long pot life characteristics.

Pot life at 23°C temperature, 200 g mass: 1.5–2.0 hours.

Cure cycle: 3 days at room temperature or 6 hours at 45°C (113°F) + 24 hours at room temperature.

Shelf life: two (2) years in original unopened, properly stored containers.

GLASS FIBRE

Milled glass fibre is added to TCI ProTecStrong 855-SPL resin (Component A). The glass fibre provides the required stiffness to the final product and precludes any potential for thermal cracking for high-build applications.

PACKAGING AND YIELD

TCI ProTecStrong 855-SPL is a two-component system consisting of a resin blended with glass fibre and a hardener. Packaged separately in pre-weighed pails, the total volume is 14 liters (3.7 gallons) when mixed together. The yield when mixed is 8.75 m² [94 ft²] @ 1.6 mm [63 mils] thick, applied in two coats.

STORAGE

- Store TCI ProTecStrong 855-SPL in an environment where the ambient temperature does not fall below 5°C (41°F) or reach above 30°C (86°F)
- Never store chemical containers in an environment exposed to the weather or direct sunlight.
- Store in dry conditions with original unopened packaging.
- Reseal the container immediately after each use.

APPLICATION

Surface preparation:

For ash substrates using a minimum of 100 psi, sand blast, or use a mechanical bristle brush. The substrate must be clean and free of all contaminants such as dust, dirt, oil, grease, coatings and surface treatments, etc. Concrete substrate must be sound and clean. Remove all spalled or fractured areas.



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- Existing cracks in the concrete substrate (if static) can be bridged by TCI ProTecStrong 855-SPL after the product is fully cured. The thickness of the coating system shall be proportioned depending on the width of existing crack or gap to be bridged over by the coating system.

Mixing:

- Mix TCI ProTecStrong 855-SPL components, resin (Component 'A') and hardener (Component 'B') for at least 3 minutes.
- Always mix pre-weighed kits in their entirety to avoid human errors in proportioning the product components.
- Mix the product in quantities according to the rate of application by the installation team.

Environmental conditions

- Maintain a dry dehumidified environment with a maximum RH of 80% and maintain the ambient temperature at a minimum of 3° C or 5°F above the dew point.
- Substrate surfaces shall be at least at SSD (Saturated Surface Dry) condition prior to installation. Running water from cracks must be stopped before applying the system.
- Maintain the required environmental conditions of substrate surfaces until at least 24 hours after the installation has been completed.
- The surface temperature of the substrate shall not fall below 4° C (40°F).
- Don't apply if the substrate surface temperature is above 38° C (100°F).

Installation:

- Apply the product within the pot-life time.
- Apply the product using manual trowels or squeegees.
- The coating thickness varies depending on the substrate conditions and the aim of application.
 - For new construction, or non-structural repair of existing facilities, TCI ProTecStrong 855-SPL is recommended to be applied at a minimum thickness of 1/16" (1.6mm).
 - For structural repair and strengthening of deteriorated substrates, the required thickness varies as per design. TCI Carbon Fibre Technologies can provide technical support to prepare design documents.
- The maximum number of coats is unlimited.
- Successive coats must be applied within the re-coat window of 48 hours.

FINAL CURE AND RETURN TO SERVICE

Allow 72 hours for final cure before returning to service, depending on conditions.

NSF/ANSI/CAN 61 CERTIFICATION:

Limitations:

- Minimum pipe diameter of 610 mm [24 in]
- Minimum tank size of 3,785 L [1,000 gallons]

LIMITED WARRANTY

Ten (10) year material replacement warranty is available. For complete details contact info@tcicarbonfibre.com. Copy is furnished upon request.



Legal Disclaimer

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