# KYNAR AQUATEC<sup>®</sup>

# Protective Coatings Made Better with Kynar Aquatec® CRX

Protect your high value assets from damaging ultraviolet radiation and weathering exposure. When other topcoats wither and fade, Kynar Aquatec<sup>®</sup> Resin-Based Coatings thrive in extreme environments.

Protective Coatings with Kynar Aquatec<sup>®</sup> latex can be formulated to meet:SSPC Paint 36, AWWA D102-17, IEEE Std C57.12.28

# **Anti-Corrosion Coating Systems Evaluated**

### System 1: Commercial Anti-Corrosion Coating System- Control

- 1st Layer: Zinc rich epoxy or Zinc-epoxy primer with conductive (CNT)
- 2nd Layer: Epoxy coating mid-layer
- 3rd Layer: Polyurethane Topcoat (2K)
- Expected system lifetime: 7 20 years, climate dependent

### System 2: PVDF-Acrylic Hybrid Anti-Corrosion Coating System

- 1st Layer: Zinc rich epoxy primer or Zinc-epoxy primer with conductive (CNT)
- 2nd Layer: Epoxy coating mid-layer
- 3rd Layer: Kynar Aquatec<sup>®</sup> CRX Topcoat (2K)
- Expected system lifetime: +20 years

# Protective Coating Formulated with Kynar Aquatec<sup>®</sup> CRX: General Properties

PROPERTY	TESTING PROTOCOL	TEST SUMMARY	PROTECTIVE COATING FORMULATED WITH KYNAR AQUATEC <sup>®</sup> CRX
Chemical resistance	ASTM D5402 SOLVENT (MEK) RESISTANCE:	No topcoat visible on a test cloth saturated with MEK after four sets of 25 double-rubs	Pass
Accelerated weathering	ASTM D4587	Level 3A: 3000 hrs, 375hr Cycles Color Change < 2.0 $\Delta E ~\&~ 25\%$ gloss from original reading	Pass
Chalking resistance	ASTM D4214	Maximum chalking level of 6 using Reference Photograph No. 1	Pass
Impact resistance	ASTM D2794	Direct Impact Strength 4.2 kilograms of force per square centimeter [kgf/cm²] (or 60 pounds of force per square inch [in-lb] in U.S. units)	Pass
Paint stability	ASTM D1849	<10 Krebs Units after 30 days at 52 ± 1 degrees C° (126 ± 2 degrees F)	Pass



# Protective Coating made with Kynar Aquatec<sup>®</sup> CRX *vs.* Competitive Resins General Chemical Resistance

TEST SUMMARY	PROTECTIVE COATING FORMULATED WITH KYNAR AQUATEC <sup>®</sup> CRX	COMPETITIVE PRODUCT 1-PREMIUM POLYURETHANE	COMPETITIVE PRODUCT 2- POLYSILOXANE
1 hour immersion at 25°C (77 °F)			
100% (Wt.) Toluene	No change	Not tested	Fail
100% (Wt. )Methanol	No change	No change	Fail
100% (Wt.)Gasoline	No change	No change	No change
16 hour Spot at 25°C (77 °F)			
10% (Wt.) Nitric Acid	Slight yellowing	Slight yellowing	Slight yellowing
10% (Wt.) Hydrochloric Acid	No change	No change	Slight yellowing
10% (Wt.)Sodim Hydroxide	Brown discoloration	Yellow discoloration	Fail

### ISO 12944-9 cyclic testing for 1440 hrs (QUVA + salt fog + freezer) Both Panels tested with Premier CNT/Zn primer (70% solids) (100um dry, 6mils wet)

System 1
Commercial PU Topcoat
1 ct. @ 4.0 mils dft

- Minimal scribe creep @ 2.8 mm
- Improved primer performance
- Loss of topcoat integrity (Chalking)
- Exposure of underlying primer (gray)
- Created weak points for corrosion



System 2 Kynar Aquatec® CRX Topcoat 1ct. @ 3.0 mil dft

- Improvement in scribe creep @ 1.6mm
- Outstanding primer performance
- Maintained topcoat integrity
- No blistering or pitting

# **Exceptional Weathering Performance for Kynar Aquatec® CRX Topcoat**



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