

## **TOP SHELF® EPOXY ACCELERANT**

# Meet Deadlines Head On

Skilled applicators may combine **TOP SHELF® EPOXY ACCELERANT** with TOP SHELF® EPOXY or TOP SHELF® EPOXY EZ PATCH to speed working and cure times. Times vary based on hardener selection, surrounding temperatures, and how many ounces of accelerant added per standard kit.

## ADVANTAGES

- Cuts up to 3 hours off recoat and curing times.
- Meets USDA, FDA, SCAQMD, and VOC Standards
- Eligible for LEED Points: Made in California from Partially Recycled Materials

## LIMITATIONS

- Top Shelf<sup>®</sup> Epoxy Accelerant is designed only to be used with Top Shelf<sup>®</sup> Epoxy products.
- Never add more than 24 oz accelerant per 1.5- to 2-gal standard kit.
- Adding more than the recommended amount of accelerant will have an adverse effect on film properties.

#### Recommended Use by Applicator Skill Level

- Levels 2–3: Where applicable, installer may combine up to 8 oz accelerant per 1.5- to 2-gal standard kit.
- Levels 4–6: Where applicable, installer may combine up to 24 oz accelerant per 1.5- to 2-gal standard kit.

## SINGLE COMPONENT

- Top Shelf<sup>®</sup> Epoxy Accelerant, 32 oz
- Top Shelf<sup>®</sup> Epoxy Accelerant, 1 gal

Larger product sizes may be available. Contact a KRETUS® distributor for details.

#### **STORAGE & HANDLING**

Store in a cool, dry place out of direct sunlight. DO NOT mix if material is warmer than 85°F. When sealed and unopened, accelerant may be placed in an ice bath to lower the temperature of the product. DO NOT let water into material.

## SAFETY

Review current Safety Data Sheet(s) and all relevant documentation before installation. Safety conditions and personal protective equipment must be considered before using any KRETUS® product.

## **TESTING AND WARRANTY**

The application must be tested in a small area on site to ensure there is enough time to achieve intended results. Before you begin any installation, review Pre- and Post-Job Checklists available at <a href="https://www.kretus.com/project-planning">kretus.com/project-planning</a>.

#### SURFACE PREPARATION

Before installing any KRETUS<sup>®</sup> product, substrate must be clean, profiled, and sound. Refer to Surface Preparation in individual Installation Guides.

## **IDEAL CONDITIONS**

Apply material when temperature is decreasing. Adhere to the KRETUS® Dew Point Calculation Chart available at <u>kretus.com/project–planning</u>. DO NOT apply under direct sunlight or inclement weather.

#### MIXING AND APPLICATION

Observe all relevant mixing and application procedures to ensure a controlled and thorough chemical transition to a high-strength solid. Careful measurements and thorough mixing are essential for a proper cure.

HARDENER	ACCELERANT PER STANDARD KIT	WORKING TIME	RECOAT WINDOW	RETURN TO SERVICE (FOOT TRAFFIC-READY)	FULL CURE
MVR–EZ	8 oz	15 min	5–23 hrs	23 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	10 min	4–22 hrs	22 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	5 min	3–21 hrs	21 hrs	7 days
MVR-FC	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
EZ	8 oz	25 min	7–23 hrs	23 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	20 min	6–22 hrs	22 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	15 min	5–21 hrs	21 hrs	7 days
АР	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
ТН	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
FAST	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
EZ PATCH	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

#### APPLICATION TEMPERATURE: 100°F, 50% RH

#### APPLICATION TEMPERATURE: 70°F, 50% RH

HARDENER	ACCELERANT PER STANDARD KIT	WORKING TIME	RECOAT WINDOW	RETURN TO SERVICE (FOOT TRAFFIC-READY)	FULL CURE
MVR–EZ	8 oz	25 min	7.5–23 hrs	23 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	20 min	6.5–22 hrs	22 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	15 min	5.5–21 hrs	21 hrs	7 days
MVR-FC	8 oz	10 min	2–15 hrs	4–5 hrs	5 days
	16 oz	< 5 min	< 1–14 hrs	3–4 hrs	5 days
	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
EZ	8 oz	45 min	8–35 hrs	23 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	40 min	7–34 hrs	22 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	35 min	6–33 hrs	21 hrs	7 days
АР	8 oz	30 min	6.5–35 hrs	23 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	25 min	5.5–34 hrs	22 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	20 min	4.5–33 hrs	21 hrs	7 days
тн	8 oz	20 min	7–23 hrs	23 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	15 min	6–22 hrs	22 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	10 min	5–21 hrs	21 hrs	7 days
FAST	8 oz	15 min	4.5–23 hrs	9 hrs	5 days
	16 oz	10 min	3.5–22 hrs	8 hrs	5 days
	24 oz	5 min	2.5–21 hrs	7 hrs	5 days
EZ PATCH	8 oz	20 min	5–23 hrs	23 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	15 min	4–22 hrs	22 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	10 min	3–21 hrs	21 hrs	7 days

#### APPLICATION TEMPERATURE: 50°F, 50% RH

HARDENER	ACCELERANT PER STANDARD KIT	WORKING TIME	RECOAT WINDOW	RETURN TO SERVICE (FOOT TRAFFIC-READY)	FULL CURE
MVR–EZ	8 oz	35 min	15–35 hrs	35 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	30 min	14–34 hrs	34 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	25 min	13–33 hrs	33 hrs	7 days
MVR-FC	8 oz	10 min	5–23 hrs	23 hrs	5 days
	16 oz	< 5 min	4–22 hrs	22 hrs	5 days
	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
	8 oz	55 min	17–35 hrs	35 hrs	7 days
EZ	16 oz	50 min	16–34 hrs	34 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	45 min	15–33 hrs	33 hrs	7 days
АР	8 oz	40 min	13–35 hrs	35 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	35 min	12–34 hrs	34 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	30 min	11–33 hrs	33 hrs	7 days
тн	8 oz	15–20 min	15–35 hrs	35 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	10–15 min	14–34 hrs	34 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	5–10 min	13–33 hrs	33 hrs	7 days
FAST	8 oz	10–15 min	9–23 hrs	23 hrs	5 days
	16 oz	5–10 min	8–22 hrs	22 hrs	5 days
	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
EZ PATCH	8 oz	30 min	11–15 hrs	35 hrs	7 days
	16 oz	25 min	10–14 hrs	34 hrs	7 days
	24 oz	20 min	9–13 hrs	33 hrs	7 days

Application times are based on test results compiled by lab technicians in a controlled setting. All times recorded using 1-quart samples. Hardeners were combined with A-Resin in Top Shelf® Epoxy testing.

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