

**DESCRIPTION**

Nukote ST, is NCSI's standard polyurea and is designed for general purpose use. Consequently, it has been developed to perform well for anticorrosion and waterproofing applications on steel, concrete, and many other substrates. It is a two-component, 100% solids, pure polyurea that significantly reduces the moisture problems that commonly cause pin holing and blistering in most polyurethane or polyurethane-hybrid systems.

Nukote ST can be applied at temperatures ranging from -30°C to 70°C. This aromatic polyurea elastomer displays excellent chemical resistance, thermal stability and UV resistance. Nukote ST can be textured easily for anti-skid purposes. The product shows very good moisture permeation resistance.

**FEATURES**

- 100% solids with zero VOC
- Excellent elongation properties
- Resistance to solvents, acids and caustics
- Seamless, resilient, will not crack or check
- Excellent corrosion protection
- Low permeability
- Fast reactivity and cure time with no catalysts
- Applicable in temperatures from -30°C to 70°C
- Performs in constant temperatures from -30°C to 120°C
- Almost immediate return-to-service time

**TYPICAL USES**

- Marine environments
- Walkways and balconies
- Food processing plants
- Cold storage facilities
- Landfill containment
- Secondary containment
- Water and wastewater treatment
- Industrial and manufacturing facilities
- Airports
- Chemical plants
- Livestock facilities
- Warehouse floors
- Power plants
- Structural steel

**COLORS**

Standard medium gray. Custom colors, blended to match any RAL number, are available upon request.

**PACKAGING**

Nukote ST is available in 38 liter kits shipped in plastic pails, 400 liter drum sets shipped in metal drums and 2090 tote sets shipped in hardened plastic, metal reinforced UN approved totes.

**COVERAGE**

Nukote ST may be applied at any rate to achieve desired thickness. Theoretical coverage for 1 mm thickness is one liter per m<sup>2</sup>.

**PHYSICAL PROPERTIES @ 24°C**

Solids By Volume .....	100%
Volatile Organic Compounds .....	0 g/l
Theoretical Coverage @ 1000 Microns .....	1 m <sup>2</sup> /L
Weight Per Liter in Kilograms .....	A:1.12 B:1.04
Viscosity (cps) @ 25 °C .....	A:650 to 750
Viscosity (cps) @ 25 °C .....	B:650 to 750
Shelf Life @ 10°C to 50°C .....	12 to 18
.....	Months
Tensile Strength @ 25°C ASTM D-412 .....	>15
.....	N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Elongation @ 25 °C ASTM D-412 .....	375% to
.....	425%
Hardness (Shore D) ASTM D-2240 .....	45 to 50
Flexibility 3mm mandrel ASTM D-1737 .....	PASS
Tear Strength Die C ASTM D-624 .....	>80 kN/m
Fire Rating UBC .....	Class 2
Flash Point Pensky-Martin .....	>93°C
Service Temperature Range-Dry .....	-30°C to
.....	120°C
Abrasion Resistance ASTM D-4060 .....	<15 mg loss
Taber CS17 1000mg / 1000rev.	

**PROCESSING PROPERTIES  
@125 MICRONS 24°C/54% RH**

Gel Time (Adjustable) .....	6 to 20 sec.
Tack Free Time (125 microns) .....	30 to 45 sec.
Post Cure Time .....	24 Hours
Volume Ratio (A:B) .....	1 to 1
Block Temperature .....	60°C to 70°C
Hose Temperatures (A and B) .....	60°C to 70°C
Constant Pressure .....	136 Bar

**CLARIFICATION OF PROPERTY VALUES**

The physical properties shown in the above table are defined in a range of values to allow for compliance when testing of sprayed films or laboratory draw down films. Results derived from independent testing will fall within the ranges shown if the testing performed complies with the standards utilized for each individual property shown. Results vary dependent on several factors, including: the equipment utilized, product mix ratios, application pressures, application temperatures, ambient temperatures, dry film thickness, age of the sample tested, etc. Results also vary dependent on the film type tested with laboratory draw down films deriving higher properties than sprayed films. Test results from films of at least 30-days in age will provide higher values than results from younger films as chemical cross-linking requires this time period to complete.

## **SURFACE PREPARATION**

Surface preparation should include blast cleaning to a minimum of 1-mil anchor profile. For lathe applications, NCSI recommends Nukote automated lathes. For complete application information or technical and quality assurance proposals, please contact a Nukote technician.

## **MIXING**

Nukote ST might not be diluted under any circumstance. Use appropriate solvent for purge line and flushing of equipment and if spraying stops for a period of time in excess of the pot life of the material. Thoroughly mix Nukote ST part B resin material with air driven power equipment until a homogeneous mixture and color is obtained.

## **APPLICATION**

This material must be applied utilizing high-pressure, heated plural component spray proportioning equipment, such as those manufactured by GlasCraft®, Gusmer® and Graco®. The proportioning equipment utilized must be capable of supplying correct pressure and heat for the appropriate hose length on a consistent basis.

For optimum performance, the substrate should be hydro or sand blasted. Concrete substrates should be allowed to cure a minimum of 30 days. On concrete, Nukote ST should always be applied over a suitable primer for maximum adhesion. For some steel applications, a primer may not be necessary—please review your specific project with Nukote technicians. For all submerged applications, a primer is absolutely essential.

After proper preparation, Nukote ST should be applied in a cross directional (North, South, East, and West) method. Recommended DFTs are a function of the project, please contact a Nukote technician. On horizontal surface applications, a texture “stipple” coat can be applied for non-skid purposes, after reaching the initial desired film thickness.

## **EQUIPMENT CLEAN UP**

Cured product may be disposed of without restriction. The un-cured isocyanate and resin portions should be mixed together and disposed of in a normal manner. “drip-free” containers should be disposed of according to local environmental laws and ordinances.

## **STORAGE**

Twelve to eighteen months in factory delivered, unopened drums. Keep away from extreme heat, freezing, and moisture. The use of drum heaters is encouraged to reduce material viscosity at low temperatures.

## **LIMITATIONS**

Do not open until ready to use, and store in a sealed container after opening. Adding a nitrogen blanket is strongly recommended.

## **WARNING**

This product contains isocyanates and curatives.

## **CHEMICAL RESISTANCE**

Each Nukote product formulation has varying levels of resistance to specific chemicals. Please review the chemical immersion test data included in the Nukote Test Book for general resistance to specific chemicals at specific concentration levels. Chemical concentrations are complex and when combined with temperatures above ambient levels this complexity increases exponentially. Contact Nukote technical personnel for specific recommendations for chemical resistance prior to specifying these products in this application type.

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### **LIMITED WARRANTY**

**NCSI warrants its products to be free of manufacturing defects. Polyurea and other multi-component products are technically manufactured at the time they are mixed. When mixed in accordance with NCSI guidelines, NCSI warrants the product will meet NCSI's technical specifications. NCSI warrants its products, when properly installed over a properly prepared substrate, will perform as designed and specified.**

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