# **Technical Data Sheet**



# **Guard Style E H**

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Guard Style E H is a range of TGIC-free powder coatings developed with good appearance and colour consistency in mind. It is available in a wide range of colours and finishes (smooth and texture). The product meets the industry standard with regard to mechanical and chemical properties.

# **Application areas**

This product is recommended for exterior use.

Typical application areas:

Outdoor electrical cabinets
Outdoor industrial racking
Air-conditioning units
Exterior lighting fixtures
Fences
Garden furniture
Garden tools
Machinery enclosures
Street and garden furniture
Security cameras
Fences
Satellite dish antennas
Telecom enclosures
Steel doors

### **POWDER PROPERTIES**

Property	Standard	Result
Specific gravity	Calculated	Typically, 1.6±0.2 g/cm <sup>3</sup>

### **Storage**

Keep in a dry cool area. Maximum temperature 25 °C. Maximum relative humidity 60 %. If stored longer than 12 months a quality test must be performed.

## **APPLICATION**

### **Pretreatment**

The overall performance of the coating system is largely dependent on the nature of the substrate and the type and quality of the pretreatment. For optimal results, it is recommended to follow the pretreatment supplier's instructions and recommendations.

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# **Powder application**

Curing schedule	Object temperature	Time
Guard Style E6	160 °C	10 minutes
Guard Style E8	180 °C	10 minutes
Guard Style E9	190 °C	10 minutes

Recommended film thickness (µm):> 50

# **Equipment**

Suitable for Corona charging equipment. Products for Tribo charging equipment available upon request.

## **APPEARANCE**

**Colour** The product is available in a variety of colours.

**Gloss** EN ISO 2813 (60°)

Smooth:

E6H 60-89 E8H 50-89 E9H 20-49

Textured: Visual check against master panels

Finish Suitable for Smooth, Fine Texture, Coarse Texture

If the significant surface is too small or unsuitable for the gloss to be measured with the glossmeter, the gloss should be compared visually with the reference sample (from the same viewing angle).

Other gloss levels are available upon technical approval.

### **PERFORMANCE**

The technical data provided below are typical for this product when applied as follows:

Substrate

Zinc-phosphated cold rolled steel panels

Substrate thickness (mm) 0.8
Film thickness (µm) 50-70

Typical values when tested.

Property	Standard	Result
Adhesion	EN ISO 2409	Cross-cut rating Gt0 (100 % adhesion)
Cupping test	EN ISO 1520	Indentation depth in excess of 5 mm without film cracking
Impact resistance	ASTM D2794 (5/8 " ball) (inch-pounds, front and reverse)	More than 60 / 60 inch-pounds without film cracking
Resistance to neutral salt spray	ISO 9227 ISO 4628-2 ISO 4628-8	No blistering and maximum 2 mm corrosion creep from scribe after 504 hours
Resistance to humid atmospheres	ISO 6270-2 ISO 4628-2 ISO 4628-8	No blistering and maximum 2 mm corrosion creep from scribe after 504 hours
Accelerated weathering	ISO 16474-3	Cycle: 4 hours at 50 °C UV and 4 hours at 40 °C condensation. No chalking, excellent gloss retention and colour stability after 200 hours testing.

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# Sustainability

Powder coating is applied in air-and-powder mix in a strictly controlled factory process using electrostatic gun and a high temperature curing oven to create film. Virtually no VOCs are released in the process compared to traditional liquid paints. Unused or oversprayed powder can be recycled with minimal wastage. In addition, all Jotun Powder Coatings' products do not contain intentionally added lead.

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