

SUPER SHIELD™ Silver Conductive Spray Paint

842AR consists of a 1-part, solvent-based acrylic lacquer, pigmented with an extremely conductive silver flake. It is smooth, hard, and abrasion resistant. It has a quick dry time, with no heat cure necessary. It adheres strongly to most injection-molded plastics, such as ABS, PBT and PVA. It provides superior high frequency shielding. It also provides strong corrosion resistance, and is suitable for use in marine environments.

842AR provides a conductive coating for the interior of plastic electronic enclosures that suppresses EMI/RFI emissions. Also, its thin minimum layer height makes it suitable for board level applications.

Features & Benefits

Provides superior EMI/RFI shielding over a broad frequency range

Strong corrosion resistance

Can be applied very thin, 0.2 mil minimum coating thickness

Mild solvent system, safe on polystyrenes

Does not contain toluene, xylene, or MEK

Also available in liquid and pen formats, see separate TDSs

Cure Instructions

Allow to dry at room temperature for 24 hours, or after letting sit for 3 minutes, cure the paint in an oven for 30 minutes @ 65 $^{\circ}$ C.



Available Packaging

Part #	Packaging	Net Vol.	Net Wt.
842AR-140G	Aerosol	132 mL	140 g

Storage and Handling

Store between -5 and 27 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ in a dry area, away from sunlight (see SDS).



Uncured Properties

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Density 1.4 g/mL ASTM D1475	
Viscosity @ 25 °C 80 cP Brookfield Engineering labs Inc. IPCTM-65- Method 2.4.24.4	
Recoat Time 3 min —	
Film Thickness 50 µm (Recommended) 25 µm (Minumum)	
Percent Solids — —	
Calculated VOC 361 g/L —	
Theoretical Coverage @ Recommended Thickness ^a 680 cm ² /L Calculated	
Shelf Life 5 y —	

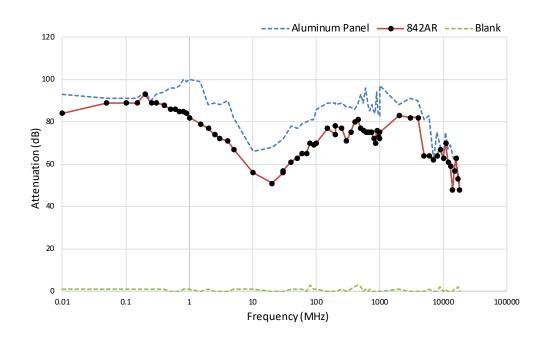
^a Based on 50% transfer efficiency

Cured Properties

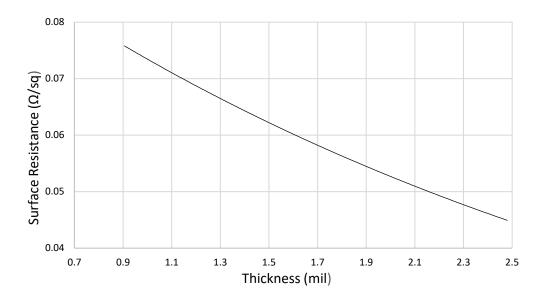
Color	Metallic silver	_
Magentic Class	Diamagnetic (non-magnetic)	_
Service Temperature Range	-40–120 °C	_
Resistivity	$1.2\mathrm{x}10^{\text{-4}}\Omega\cdot\mathrm{cm}$	MIL-STD-883J
Surface Resistance @ 50 µm	0.050 Ω/sq	Calculated
Salt Fog @ 35 °C, 96 h	Excellent	ASTM B117
Adhesion	5B (ABS) 0B (Aluminum) 0B (Copper) 5B (Polycarbonate) 4B (Polyamide) 0B (Glass) 5B (PVC) 5B (FR4) 2B (Stainless steel)	ASTM D3359
Pencil Hardness	F, hard	ISO 15184



Shielding Attenuation



Surface Resistance by Paint Thickness





Application Instructions

Read the product SDS and Application Guide for more detailed instructions before using this product.

Recommended Preparation

Clean the substrate with Isopropyl Alcohol, MG #824, so the surface is free of oils, dust, and other residues

Aerosol

- 1. Shake the can vigorously.
- 2. Spray a test pattern to ensure good flow quality.
- Tilt the board at 45° and spray a thin, even coat from a distance of 20–25 cm (8–10 in). Use spray-and-release strokes with an even motion to avoid paint buildup in one spot. Start and end each stroke off the surface.
- 4. Wait 3 min before applying another coat, to avoid trapping solvent.
- 5. Rotate the board 90° and spray again to ensure good coverage.
- 6. Apply additional coats until desired thickness is achieved (go to step 3).
- 7. Let dry 3 min at room temperature before applying heat cure.
- 8. After use, clear the nozzle by inverting the can and briefly spraying until clear propellant comes out.