

# SUPER SHIELD™ Silver-coated Copper Epoxy Conductive Paint

843ER is a 2-part epoxy-based conductive paint, pigmented with highly conductive silver-coated copper flake. The cured paint is smooth and extremely hard. It is abrasion, scratch, and mar resistant. It adheres very strongly to plastics, including chemically resistant and low energy plastics, as well as metal, glass, ceramic and wood.

843ER is generally used to provide extremely durable EMI/RFI shielding for applications in harsh environments.

#### **Features & Benefits**

Provides excellent EMI/RFI shielding across a broad range of frequencies

Extreme durability and adhesion

Strong chemical resistance—except acids

#### **Cure Instructions**

Allow to sit at room temperature for 3 minutes and then cure the paint in an oven using one of these options:

Temperature  $65 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$   $80 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ Time  $4 \,^{\circ}\text{h}$   $2 \,^{\circ}\text{h}$ 



#### **Available Packaging**

Part #	Packaging	Net Vol.	Net Wt.
843ER-800ML	2 Can Kit	810 mL	895 g
843ER-3.25L	2 Can Kit	3.25 L	3.59 kg

### **Storage and Handling**

Store between 16 and 27  $^{\circ}$ C in a dry area, away from sunlight (see SDS).



# **Liquid Properties**

Chemistry	Ероху	_
Density	1.0 g/mL	ASTM D1475
Viscosity @ 25 °C	35 cP (A) 9.0 cP (B)	Brookfield Engineering labs Inc. IPCTM-65- Method 2.4.24.4
Mix Ratio	100:36 (Volume) 100:28 (Weight)	_
Recoat Time	3 min	_
Film Thickness	90 µm (Recommended) 50 µm (Minumum)	_
Percent Solids	30 %	_
Calculated VOC	779 g/L	_
Theoretical Coverage @ Recommended Thickness <sup>a</sup>	27 000 cm <sup>2</sup> /L	Calculated
Shelf Life	3 y	_

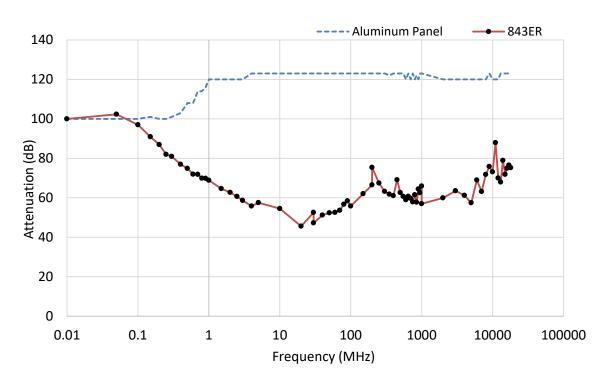
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Based on 99% transfer efficiency

# **Cured Properties**

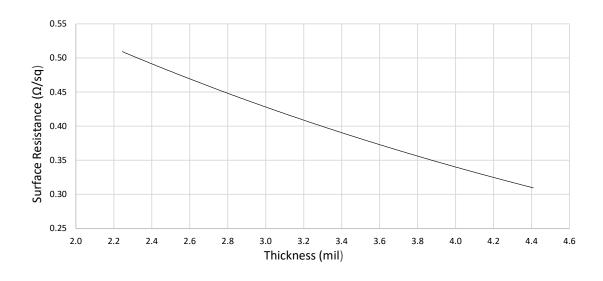
Color	Metallic brown	_
Magentic Class	Diamagnetic (non-magnetic)	_
Service Temperature Range	-40–120 °C	_
Resistivity	$1.8 \times 10^{-3}  \Omega \cdot \text{cm}$	MIL-STD-883J
Surface Resistance @ 50 µm	0.31 Ω/sq	Calculated
Adhesion	5B (ABS) 5B (Aluminum) 5B (Copper) 4B (Polycarbonate) 5B (Polyamide) 5B (Glass) 3B (PVC) 5B (FR4) 5B (Stainless steel)	ASTM D3359
Pencil Hardness	6H, 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.

#### **Mixing**

Ensure each part is mixed individually before they are mixed together. Scrape settled material from the bottom and sides of each container and stir contents until homogenous. Next, thoroughly mix parts A and B together, in a 100:36 ratio by volume.

#### **Paint Roller and Brush**

Use a standard paint roller, foam brush or MG #855 horse hair brush. Use long even strokes to minimize streaking.

### **Manual Spray Guns**

Use a standard fluid nozzle gun to spray the paint. The settings listed below are recommendations; however, performance will vary with different brands:

	LVMP	HVLP
Nozzle tip diamter	1.2–1.8 mm	1.4-1.8 mm
Inlet pressure	5–15 psi	5–15 psi
Air flow	10-15 SCFM	8.3 SCFM
Air cap	5–10 psi	5–10 psi

When using a pressure pot and agitator, keep the agitator at low mixing speed with air pressure of 20–50 psi. Use the lowest pressure necessary to keep the particles suspended.

### **Selective Coating**

For higher volume applications, paint can be applied via selective coating equipment. Use a system with constant fluid recirculation to keep the particles from settling in the lines. The fluid nozzle must be 1.2 mm to 1.8 mm in diameter and 5–10 psi fluid pressure is recommended.

#### Clean-up

Clean spray system and equipment with MEK or acetone, MG # 434.

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