# SPETEC® SEAL GT350

## LOW VISCOSITY, FLEXIBLE, HYDROPHILIC INJECTION RESIN FOR SEALING LEAKING CRACKS AND JOINTS

























## **DESCRIPTION**

MDI based hydrophilic, one-component, low viscosity, flexible, phthalate free, polyurethane injection resin for waterproofing. In contact with water the SPETEC® SEAL GT350 will expand and set as a permanent water seal inside the crack or joint.

## **ADVANTAGES**

- 1 Component hydrophilic PU resin, additional waterproofing due to post expansion.
- Fast reaction with immediate increase of viscosity.
- Reaction can be set faster with SPETEC® Gen Acc.
- Can be injected as 1 component or 2 component in combination with water, maximum amount of water = 200%.
- Foam factor 4,5-7V.
- Cured polyurethane is highly flexible, ideally suited for structures where a high degree of settlement and movement can occur.
- Cured polyurethane is harmless for the environment and resistant to biological attacks.

## **FIELD OF APPLICATION**

- Cut off water leaks in concrete, brickwork and sewers where movement and settlement may occur.
- Water cut-off of water leaks in foundations such as diaphragm walls, piling sheets and secant piles.
- Sealing water-carrying cracks and joints in tunnel segments.
- Curtain grouting behind tunnel, concrete, brickwork and sewer walls.
- Injection of failing membranes and liners in tunnels and buildings.

## **APPLICATION**

**Note:** the following are a few typical application descriptions. In case of other jobsite parameters, please contact our technical department.

## PRELIMINARY ANALYSES

For leaking joints, check how the joint runs into the construction. Injection holes have to be drilled into the joint.

For leaking cracks, drill the injection holes in a zig-zag pattern around the crack to make sure that the injection hole intersects with the crack.



#### **REQUIRED TOOLS**

Drill and drill bits of appropriate diameter and length Packers of appropriate diameter and length Injection pump; manual, pneumatic or electric.

#### PREPARATION OF THE SUBSTRATE

Drill under an angle of 45° into the crack or joint. Ideally the injection hole should intersect the joint or crack about half way the thickness of the wall or slab.

Blow the dust out of the injection hole.

Fix a packer of the right diameter into the injection hole.

#### PREPARATION OF THE PRODUCT

Read the technical and safety data sheets prior to commencement of the injection works.

In case of reaction times needs to be faster than the standard, its possible to add accelerator SPETEC® Gen Acc to the resin. Vigorously shake the SPETEC® Gen Acc accelerator before use and add the required quantity (2-10%) into the SPETEC® SEAL GT350 resin. Mix the accelerator homogeneously into the resin and protect against moisture and rain to prevent premature reaction. Only prepare that amount of product that can be processed in one

#### PREPARATION OF THE EQUIPMENT

Depending on the application, injection can be carried out using a hand pump, pneumatic pump or electric pump.

Use a 2-component pump with adjustable ratio for injection of SPETEC  $^{\! \circ}$  SEAL GT350 with water.

Check if the pump is working properly.

Prior to injection, the pump must be flushed with SPETEC® PUMP CLEANER and be completely free of water to prevent pump blockage.

## **INJECTION**

Start the injection at the first packer; for vertical joints or cracks this is usually the lowest packer.

Do not over pressurise while injecting; the correct injection pressure is the pressure that allows to resin to flow into the crack or joint. Avoid injecting at pressures of more than 100 bars.

If unreacted resin comes out of the joint or crack, stop the injection and move on to the next packer.

After the last injection of resin into the packer, shoot a little bit of water into the packer in order to make sure that the last injected resin will react as well.

Only catalyse the resin you will use within the next few hours.

Do not let resin stay in the pump overnight.

## **FINISHING**

After injection, remove the packers from the concrete and fill the holes with a fast setting cement or any other appropriate filler material.

#### **APPLICATION CONDITIONS**

Avoid injecting by temperatures below -20°C. In extreme cold conditions it is recommended to warm the resin and catalyst.



#### **CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE**

After the injection, clean the pump with SPETEC® PUMP CLEANER. If the pump will not be used for several days, put oil into the pump and leave it there until the next usage. Never rinse the pump with water.

#### **COMPLIMENTARY PRODUCTS**

SPETEC® PUMP CLEANER
SPETEC® PACKERS & ACCESSORIES
CERMIPLUG
SPETEC® Gen Acc (optional)

#### **ADVICE / FOCAL POINTS**

Water must always be present during the injection of SPETEC® SEAL G350 as it is a water-reactive resin.

## **TECHNICAL DATA**

#### **APPEARANCE**

SPETEC® SEAL GT350, uncured (Appearance: white liquid)				
Viscosity at 25°C	Brookfield SP4 - 200 rpm	±300 mPa.s		
Density	EN ISO 2811-1	±1,16 kg/dm³		

SPETEC® Gen Acc, Accelerator for SPETEC® SEAL G350 (Appearance: yellow - orange liquid)				
Viscosity at 25°C	Brookfield SP3 - 200 rpm	± 75 mPa.s		
Flash point		156°C.		
Density	EN ISO 2811-1	± 1,05 kg/dm³		

#### **REACTION TIMES**

SPETEC® Gen Acc	20°C		
%	Start	End	
0	45"	135"	7V
2	40"	90"	5V
5	35"	70"	4,5V
10	25"	60"	4,5V

<sup>\*</sup>The above reaction times are measured on a mixture of 1 part resin with 1 part water + a percentage accelerator as described above.

## CONSUMPTION

Consumption has to be assessed on site and is influenced by the amount of water leaking, thickness of the concrete slab or wall, presence of voids in and around the concrete etc.

### **CHEMICAL RESISTANCES**

Cured polyurethane exhibits good chemical resistance, is harmless for the environment and resistant to biological attack. (contact our Technical Service for more information)

## REFERENCE DOCUMENTS





## **PACKAGING**

SPETEC® SEAL GT350	20 kg	Pails	24 pails/pallet
	200 kg	Steel drums	4 drums/pallet
SPETEC® Gen Acc	0.5 kg	Plastic Bottles	12 bottles/box 40 boxes/pallet
	2 kg	Plastic Bottles	4 bottles/box 44 boxes/pallet
	20 kg	Metal Cans	24 pails/pallet

## **STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE**

SPETEC® SEAL GT350 is moisture sensitive and should be stored in a dry area between  $+5^{\circ}$ C and  $+30^{\circ}$ C.

Shelf life of the resin: 24 months in original packaging. Shelf life of the accelerator: 24 months in original packaging Once opened, containers should be used as soon as possible.

## **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

Avoid contact with eyes and skin, always use personal protective equipment in compliance with local regulations.

Read the relevant Material Safety Data Sheet before use. Material Safety Data Sheets are available on www.spetec.com

When in doubt contact SPETEC® Technical Service.



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