**Sanifiber**

**High Build Fiber Reinforced Wall and Ceiling System**

**General Polymers SANIFIBER** is a fiber reinforced epoxy resin system designed for application to walls and ceilings in demanding environments such as food processing and pharmaceutical facilities. This unique resin combines the toughness expected of a fiber reinforced epoxy with the ease of application using a brush, roller or spray. The SANIFIBER system provides excellent performance properties including light (UV) resistance not typical of epoxy based systems.

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**Advantages**

- Light stipple texture
- Easy to apply using brush, roller, or spray
- Highly washable surface
- Impact resistant
- Color stable
- Resists cracking
- Chemical Resistant
- Acceptable for use in USDA inspected facilities

**Uses**

- Commercial kitchens and service corridors
- Pharmaceutical facilities and laboratories
- Healthcare and clean rooms
- Animal holding
- Food and beverage facilities
- Locker rooms and restrooms
- Packaging and storage areas
- Cage and skid wash areas

**Limitations**

Avoid gypsum based substrate or repair materials in continuously wet areas

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**Typical Physical Properties**

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<td>Hardness, Shore D</td>
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<td>Tensile Strength</td>
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<td>Resistance to Elevated Temperatures</td>
<td>No slip or flow at required temperature of 158°F</td>
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<td>Fungus &amp; Bacteria Resistance</td>
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ASTM D = Resin only
Installation

General Polymers materials shall only be installed by approved contractors. The following information is to be used as a guideline for the installation of the Sanifiber High Build Reinforced Wall and Ceiling System. Contact the Technical Service Department for assistance prior to application.

Surface Preparation — General

General Polymers systems can be applied to a variety of substrates, if the substrate is properly prepared. Preparation of surfaces other than concrete will depend on the type of substrate, such as wood, concrete block, quarry tile, etc. Should there be any questions regarding a specific substrate or condition, please contact the Technical Service Department prior to starting the project. Refer to Surface Preparation (Form G-1).

Surface Preparation — Concrete

Consult the Surface Preparation (Form G-1) for surface preparation for gypsum board, concrete block, plywood, or concrete masonry unit (CMU).

CMU WALLS: For dense block 3462 can be used as a block filler. Add one part of fumed silica (GP9001) to a kit (3:1 part fumed silica). Adjust as needed for proper hang. Do not apply in bug holes or grout joints over ¼ inch in depth. For block with rougher texture, more voids and deeper joints contact Technical Service Department for additional information.

Temperature

Throughout the application process, substrate temperature should be 50ºF – 90ºF. Substrate temperature must be at least 5ºF above the dew point. Applications on concrete substrate should occur while temperature is falling to lessen offgassing. The material should not be applied in direct sunlight, if possible. Protect material from freezing prior to installation. DO NOT ALLOW MATERIAL TO FREEZE.

Application Information

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Primer
Mixing and Application
* 3462 Sanifiber Wall Coating should only be used on unpainted, porous surfaces. If the surface is painted with latex or an epoxy coating, clean and abrade the surface then apply the 3462 as primer.

1. Premix 3462A (resin) and 3462B (hardener) separately, using a low speed drill and Jiffy blade. Mix for one minute and until uniform, exercising caution not to entrain air into the materials.

2. Add 3 parts 3462A (resin) to 1 part 3462B (hardener), mix with low speed drill and Jiffy blade for three minutes and until uniform. Up to 5% potable water can be added to lower viscosity. Apply material via airless spray or a 1/4” short nap roller at a spread rate of 300-350 sq. ft. per gallon to yield 5 mils WFT.

Body Coat / Intermediate Coat
Mixing and Application
1. Premix 3462G (resin) and 3462B (hardener) separately, using a low speed drill and Jiffy blade. Mix for one minute and until uniform, exercising caution not to entrain air into the material.

2. Add 3 parts 3462G (resin) to 1 part 3462B (hardener), mix with low speed drill and Jiffy blade for three minutes and until uniform. To insure proper system cure and performance, strictly follow mix ratio instructions.

3. Apply using a 3/8” roller in two coats at 10-12 mils per coat. 3462G is a fiber reinforced material.

4. After overnight cure of the first intermediate coat a second coat can be applied if additional thickness is a project requirement.

5. Prior to topcoat application, the cured intermediate coat should be abraded to remove runs, drips, or other surface imperfections.

Recommended Spray Unit:  (May not be practical for small rooms.) The spray data in this document was based on a 45:1 airless unit, smaller pumps may prove more than adequate but should be tested and proven prior to starting a project.

Graco Mastic Flo-Gun with pistol grip
Model #224991 series A without defuser
Graco TexSpray 5900 HD (convertible gas or electric spray unit)

Other airless spray pumps of equal configuration can be used
Tip size: GHD Reversible Tip Holder with 517/521 or larger orifice
Spray pressure: 3/8” ID high pressure spray hose
3,500 PSI or higher

Topcoat
Mixing and Application
1. Premix 3462A (resin) and 3462B (hardener) using a low speed drill and Jiffy blade. Mix for one minute and until uniform, exercising caution not to introduce air into the material.

2. Add 3 parts 3462A (resin) to 1 part 3462B (hardener), mix with low speed drill and Jiffy blade for three minutes and until uniform. To insure proper system cure and performance, strictly follow mix ratio instructions.

3. 3462 may be applied via spray, roller or brush. Apply using a 1/4” nap non-shedding, enamel roller cover at a spread rate of 400-500 sq. ft. per gallon to yield 6-8 WFT mils evenly with no runs.

4. Allow 48 hours to cure for water exposure and 7 days for chemical exposure.

• TOPCOAT SPRAY APPLICATIONS for 3462

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Tip size: GHD Reversible Tip Holder with 517/521 or larger orifice
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Finish Coat
Mixing and Application
1. Premix 4410/4411A (resin) using a low speed drill and Jiffy blade. Mix for one minute and until uniform, exercising caution not to introduce air into the material.

2. Add 4 parts 4410/4411A (resin) to 1 part 4410/4411B (hardener) by volume. Mix with low speed drill and Jiffy blade for three minutes and until uniform. To insure proper system cure and performance, strictly follow mix ratio recommendations.

3. 4410/4411 may be applied via spray, roller or brush. Apply using a 1/4” nap non-shedding, urethane enamel roller at a spread rate of 400-500 sq. ft. per gallon evenly with no runs. Note: Roller application will leave a stipple finish. A final roll with a sponge roller will reduce but not eliminate stipple.

4. If a second coat of 4410/4411 is required, recoat at 4-18 hours and no additional prep is required. If the first coat has cured more than 18 hours; abrade the first coat with 100 grit paper or screens to remove gloss then solvent wipe prior to application of the second coat.

The filters/screens in both the spray unit and spray gun must be removed prior to spraying the 3462G. The spray unit and lines should be flushed with water until clear and then flushed with Isopropyl Alcohol (IPA).
Cleanup
Clean up mixing and application equipment immediately after use. Use toluene or xylene. Observe all fire and health precautions when handling or storing solvents.

Safety
Refer to the MSDS sheet before use. Federal, state, local and particular plant safety guidelines must be followed during the handling and installation and cure of these materials. Safe and proper disposal of excess materials shall be done in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local codes.

Material Storage
Store materials in a temperature controlled environment (50°F – 90°F) and out of direct sunlight.

Keep resins, hardeners, and solvents separated from each other and away from sources of ignition. One year shelf life is expected for products stored between 50°F – 90°F.

Maintenance
Occasional inspection of the installed material and spot repair can prolong system life. For specific information, contact the Technical Service Department.

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