



## Confirmation of Product Type Approval

**Company Name:** EPMAR CORPORATION

**Address:** 9930 PAINTER AVE. WHITTIER CA 90605 United States

**Product:** Floor Covering

**Model(s):** SynDeck NuFlex Epoxy (SS1286 Series)

**Endorsements:**

Certificate Type	Certificate Number	Issue Date	Expiry Date
Product Design Assessment (PDA)	22-2250156-PDA	28-JUN-2022	27-JUN-2027
Manufacturing Assessment (MA)	25-6805723	23-JAN-2025	22-JAN-2030
Product Quality Assurance (PQA)	NA	NA	NA

### Tier

3 - Type Approved, unit certification not required

### Intended Service

Marine & Offshore Applications - Floor Covering to be applied on an approved primary deck covering.

### Description

SynDeck™ NuFlex Epoxy (SS1286) is a two component, 100% solids, high build self-leveling colored epoxy that meets IMO FTP Code 2010 parts 2 and 5 for floor coverings. This product is a resilient decking material and water barrier and is formulated to be applied directly to metal and other properly prepared substrates or other SynDeck™ leveling underlayments for military and commercial marine specification applications. It is a troweled product, with good flow and leveling properties. The product is not a final finish and will require to be topcoated with approved IMO SynDeck topcoat.

### Ratings

Material meets low flame spread requirements for floor coverings as specified in IMO FTP Code 2010 (Res. MSC.307(88)) Part 5 of Annex 1.

Material is not capable of producing excessive quantities of smoke or toxic products for floor coverings per IMO FTP Code 2010 (Res. MSC.307(88)) Part 2 of Annex 1.

### Service Restrictions

1) Unit Certification is not required for this product. If the manufacturer or purchaser request an ABS Certificate for compliance with a specification or standard, the specification or standard, including inspection standards and tolerances, must be clearly defined.

2) The scope of Type Approval is to comply with MSC.1/Circ.1221 dated 11 December 2006. Continued compliance with the statutory requirements requires maintenance of full Type Approval (PDA+MA) status.

- 3) The product should be installed in accordance with the Manufacturer's instructions.
- 4) The product is to be applied to a approximate thickness of 1 mm per manufacturer's instructions.
- 5) The maximum thickness for the application of the SS1286 should be 0.040inches (1.02mm).
- 6) Any adhesive used other than the one used during testing, has to be tested for low flame spread characteristics according to IMO 2010 FTP Code Part 5.

### Comments

- 1) The Manufacturer has provided a declaration about the control of, or the lack of Asbestos in this product.
- 2) Production items are to be manufactured in accordance with a quality control system which shall be maintained to ensure that items are of the same standard as per tested/approved prototype.
- 3) Production item should be installed/used in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- 4) Unless specially directed by Administration, this approval is not to be construed as a substitute for Flag Administration's approval for the purpose of SOLAS and IMO MODU Code.
- 5) This assessment has not been performed on behalf of any flag Administration.
- 6) This certificate may not be used for EU and US flagged vessels (MED and/or USCG have their own specific requirements).
- 7) Individual review to the intended use on specific vessel, MODU or facility is required.

### Notes, Drawings and Documentation

Intertek Lab, Elemdorf, Texas, Test Report No. 104443641SAT-004, IMO FTP Code Part 5 Testing SS1286-18 (Syndeck NuFlex Epoxy) issue date 23 October 2020.

Intertek Lab, Elemdorf, Texas, Test Report No. 104443641MID-006, IMO FTP Code Part 2 Testing SS1286-18 (Syndeck NuFlex Epoxy) issue date 29 October 2020.

Syndeck Technical Bulletin Syndeck NuFlex Epoxy (221286 Series).

### Term of Validity

This Product Design Assessment (PDA) Certificate remains valid until 27/Jun/2027 or until the Rules and/or Standards used in the assessment are revised or until there is a design modification warranting design reassessment (whichever occurs first).

Acceptance of product is limited to the "Intended Service" details prescribed in the certificate and as per applicable Rules and Standards.

This Certificate is valid for installation of the listed product on ABS units which exist or are under contract for construction on or previous to the effective date of the ABS Rules and standards applied at the time of PDA issuance. Use of the Product for non-ABS units is subject to agreement between the manufacturer and intended client.

### ABS Rules

ABS Rules for Conditions of Classification, Part 1 (2022), 1-1-4/7.7, 1-1-A3, 1-1-A4, which covers the following:

2022 ABS Marine Vessels Rules: 3-4-1

ABS Rules for Conditions of Classification, Part 1 (2022 Offshore Units and Structures) 1-1-4/9.7, 1-1-A2, 1-1-A3, which covers the following:

2022 ABS Mobile Offshore Units Rules: 5-1-1 / 3.5; 5-1-1 / 5.17; and 5-1-1 / 5.23.

### International Standards

2010 IMO FTP Code - Resolution MSC.307(88), 2012 Edition (enter into force 1 July 2012) Parts 2 & 5 of Annex 1.

#### EU-MED Standards

NA

#### National Standards

NA

#### Government Standards

The product complies with the following sections of the Canadian Vessel Fire Safety Regulations (SOR/2017-14): 225, and 327(1)(a)(b) and when produced at a facility with an ABS manufacturing assessment (MA) is approved on behalf of the Minister of Transport in accordance with TP 14612E - Procedures for Approval of Life-Saving Appliances and Fire Safety Systems, Equipment and Products (4th Edition, February 2019 - Chapter 2).

#### Other Standards

NA



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ABS has used due diligence in the preparation of this certificate, and it represents the information on the product in the ABS Records as of the date and time the certificate is printed.

If the Rules and/or standards used in the PDA evaluation are revised or if there is a design modification (whichever occurs first), a PDA revalidation may be necessary.

The continued validity of the MA is dependent on completion of satisfactory audits as required by the ABS Rules. The validity of both PDA and MA entitles the product to receive a **Confirmation of Product Type Approval**.

Acceptance of product is limited to the "Intended Service" details prescribed in the certificate and as per applicable Rules and Standards.

This Certificate is valid for installation of the listed product on ABS units which exist or are under contract for construction on or prior to the effective date of the ABS Rules and standards applied at the time of PDA issuance. ABS makes no representations regarding Type Approval of the Product for use on vessels, MODUs or facilities built after the date of the ABS Rules used for this evaluation.

Type Approval requires Drawing Assessment, Prototype Testing and assessment of the manufacturer's quality assurance and quality control arrangements. The manufacturer is responsible to maintain compliance with all specifications applicable to the product design assessment. Unless specifically indicated in the description of the product, certification under type approval does not waive requirements for witnessed inspection or additional survey for product use on a vessel, MODU or facility intended to be ABS classed or that is presently in class with ABS.

Due to wide variety of specifications used in the products ABS has evaluated for Type Approval, it is part of our contract that; whether the standard is an ABS Rule or a non-ABS Rule, the Client has full responsibility for continued compliance with the standard.

Questions regarding the validity of ABS Rules or the need for supplemental testing or inspection of such products should, in all cases, be addressed to ABS.