

# TIMBATECH 08 PREMIUM MDF ADHESIVE - YELLOW

#### **DESCRIPTION**

TimbaTech08 is a unique high solids, fast setting, sandable Crosslinking Adhesive which develops exceptional bond strength when laminating MDF to MDF when dried at normal or elevated temperatures.

# **FEATURES AND BENEFITS**

- Very High Bond Strength
- UNIQUE in that it is a crosslinking MDF Adhesive
- Good Water / Humidity Resistance
- Excellent where relatively short clamp times are required.
- Excellent sandability
- Clear non staining glue line
- Single pack water based adhesive

#### **RECOMMENDED USES**

Assembly and Joining of MDF Board
Laminating of MDF
Bonding a variety of timbers for furniture and cabinetry

# **SURFACE PREPARATION**

Wood surface to be glued must be clean, dry, and free of dust, oils, grease and all finishes. Substrates should be freshly machined to maximize the glues wetting out of the timber. Joints should be close fitting.

The work area, glue and substrates for bonding should be a minimum of 15°C.

The moisture content of the wood should be between 8 to 12%.

# **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

TimbaTech08 is used as supplied.

Ensure surface to be bonded are clean, dry and free from oil, dust and any other contamination. Joints should be close fitting .Apply glue to one surface at a coverage rate to ensure wetting out of both surfaces to be joined. Press/clamp while adhesive is still wet.

TimbaTech08 has a relatively short assembly time, so pressure needs to be applied to the joint assembly within the 'open' time .This will vary with the density, 'wet-out' characteristic, moisture content of the substrates, and the atmospheric conditions occurring when gluing. Low temperature, damp conditions will extend the clamp time required considerably.

# **ASSEMBLY CONDITIONS**

Apply at a coverage rate of 5-10m<sup>2</sup> per litre of glue according to the substrate characteristics and working



#### conditions.

- Open Assembly Time 3 minutes at 20°c
- Closed Assembly Time 8 to 10 minutes (depending on timber density ) at 20°c

Clamp Times (Minimum)

Temperatures Low Density MDF High Density MDF

20°c 30 minutes 60 minutes

Glue lines should show glue squeeze out on application of pressure.

# **PRECAUTIONS**

Use of adhesive in very cold conditions may result in poor film formation with powdery glue line. Store adhesive off concrete floors and preferably is a warm environment during winter months.

Trials are recommended to confirm suitability.

# **CLEAN UP**

Wipe excess glue from joints with clean wet cloth before glue has set.

#### STORAGE AND HANDLING

- TimbaTech08 should be stored in a cool environment off concrete floors.
- Shelf Life is 12 months at 25°C in unopened containers.
- Always reseal container after use.

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Typically 12 months at 25°C in the original sealed plastic container.

# **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Please refer to Material Safety Data Sheet available on our Website www.timbatechsolutions.com

# OTHER TECHNICAL INFORMATION SPECIFIC TO THIS ADHESIVE

Adequate tests should be carried out on any new or unfamiliar applications to ensure this product is suitable for the specific task.

Samples are available free of charge to assist this procedure.

Material Safety Data Sheet available on request.

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