

# Progressive Epoxy Polymers, Inc. Newsletter

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**PROGRESSIVE EPOXY OFFERS MULTI VENDOR EPOXY SOLUTIONS.** Largest selection of two part LPU urethanes, epoxy fillers, NSF 61 approved epoxies, pipe wraps products, low temp winter epoxies, barrier coats, and more! Home of: WET/DRY 700™ Kevlar™ underwater epoxy paste and the low cost Basic No Blush™ marine epoxy.

## WHAT'S NEW AT PROGRESSIVE EPOXY POLYMERS, INC.

Our last newsletter was last Jan. This new newsletter has been a long time in the making! We're back with our 2 part LPU marine paint (white only - (we also have a clear loaded with UV blockers and protectors) - LPU marine - \$165 per 1.5 gal unit (about 1/3 the price of our leading competitor's product). Also a super light weight epoxy putty - aircraft quality - 4 pounds per gallon - Super Light - \$20 per quart. Check out our new 'traditional' oil based varnish - India Spar Varnish (quarts only) \$18.75 - not for sale in California. We also offer pigments for our epoxies in 5 or 6 colors. Our aluminum filled MCU (moisture cured urethane) really took off this year. See pictures and case studies at:

[epoxyproducts.com/aluthane.html](http://epoxyproducts.com/aluthane.html)

New too: our wood veneer paper sheets (make that plywood deck look 'classic!'). We have a novolac epoxy and a cold weather epoxy paint in our clearance section of our website. Save big \$! Bio Vee Gloss is our low cost, waterbased acrylic clear coat, an inexpensive way to seal your concrete floor



## Cold Weather Epoxies

Winter means cold weather for most of us and most epoxies become too thick and too slow to use in temperatures under about 50 degrees F. We have several epoxies that you can use in 40 degree temperature. Our signature Basic No Blush epoxy comes with a fast (winter) curing agent. In the 1.5 gal kits, it is the same price as our regular curing agent version. Our Kevlar (tm) reinforced Corro Coat FC 2100 industrial epoxy paint (for pits, tanks, sumps, etc.) also comes with a fast winter curing agent.

Our green colored Cold Coat (tm) epoxy paint is especially formulated for cold weather. Because epoxies get thicker in cold weather, this epoxy is made 'thin' so that it is just the right viscosity at lower temps. Last winter's, 'still too thick' version can be found in our clearance section (at a very good price!).

While our aluthane product (mentioned to the left) is not an epoxy, but rather an aluminum filled moisture cured urethane, it too can be used in temperatures in the 40s. It is a wonderful product with lots of sales this year. See

(works on wood too).

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## Joint Link™ Expansion Joint (and crack/seam) Filler and Sealer

Our poly-ether, Joint/Link™ sealer is a weather resistant crack filler and construction sealant. It is packaged in standard 10 oz caulking tubes. Unlike most other caulking tube sealers, Joint Link is noticeably thinner and self leveling. It is ideal for filling expansion joints in garages and work spaces while still allowing them to function as expansion joints. It is nearly odorless and solvent free, with no shrinkage and 300% elongation. Bonds to most surfaces including wood, metal, plastic and foam. Paintable. \$11.50 per tube.

Currently available in light gray and tan.

## Introducing DECK PLUS™ Water-based Deck Coating

Deck Plus™: rubber texture coating

This water based deck/patio one part coating gives a 'sidewalk' type texture that is both attractive and very functional.

Used on the decks of NYC Police Harbor Petrol Boats, it is



also at home rejuvenating your weathered home patio deck.

Recommend application is by hopper gun (\$30-\$70 at a hardware store) and air compressor (coverage about 35 square feet with two thin coats), however it can also be applied with a squeegee or dry wall float at about 25-30 sf per gallon. Mix two parts of Deck Plus with one part latex paint and brush on. You'll get that 'fine grit it paint' look in the exact latex paint color you want.

CANNOT BE FROZEN - ORDER ASAP - BEFORE IT IS TOO COLD TO SHIP!

Available in light gray or tan. \$65 per gallon/\$20 quart

## Bio Clear 810 Epoxy

Bio Clear is our 'tabletop' epoxy. It is a big seller. Most of our customers are one time home-owners, but we also have a few professionals that do commercial bartops, airport floor logos etc. We have some really nice customer pictures of tables and the like on the website. Also we have a link to one of those professionals that travel around the country doing poured epoxy projects (including an entire poured floor in a music studio in Hawaii. See our page on Bio Clear at: [www.epoxyproducts.com/bartop.html](http://www.epoxyproducts.com/bartop.html)

## Marine Barrier Coat Epoxies

Our FC 2100 epoxy and our Waterguard 300 epoxy has been our barrier coat epoxy for many years. They are traditional commercial grade epoxies. Like all epoxies they are hard and brittle in relative terms. That works great on most hulls. Racing hulls and other performance hulls, on the other hand, tend to flex a great deal. That can cause adhesion issues with epoxies and other coatings. For these types of hulls we suggest our CM15 epoxy paint which has lots of flex and a long potlife (in other words, it's a warm weather epoxy). We also recommend CM15 over wood surfaces (like boat and home decks). Wood expands and contracts with moisture, epoxies and other materials expand and contract with temperature. So, they are not expanding/contracting together. Thus, a coating that has

lots of 'give' is the way to go.

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