## **Surface Preparation - Cleanliness**

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## Elcometer 139 Amine Blush Swab Test Kit

When using amine cured epoxy resin coatings in a multi-layer system, if the original coating cures in a low ambient temperature and/or in a high humidity environment, problems - referred to in the industry as amine blush can develop. The presence of amine blush can lead to inter-coat adhesion failures if the film is recoated.

The Elcometer 139 Amine Blush Swab Test Kit is a rapid colorimetric test designed solely for the use in the quick and immediate qualitative identification of amine blush (carbamates) on the surface of coatings using surface swabs. The presence of amine blush is indicated by a visual change of colour of the test solution when compared with a control sample.



Technical Specification	
Part Number	Description
E139A	Amine Blush Swab Test Kit
Dimensions	172 x 110 x 100mm (6.75 x 4.25 x 4.00") Weight 350g (12.3oz)
Packing List	20 x Polystyrene Sampler Test Tubes of 1.0ml (0.035fl oz) buffer solution, 1 x Test tube of Diluent Part A solution, 1 x Test tube of Diluent Part B solution, 2 x Diluent Transfer Pipettes, 3 x Test Part A dropper bottles - containing ACh-E powder (freeze dried), 3 x Test Part B dropper bottles - containing ATC powder (freeze dried), 1 x Test Part C dropper bottle - containing Chromogen DTNB solution, 1 x Bottle of Swab Solution - containing 25ml (0.89fl oz) of rubbing alcohol (70% IPA), 20 x Cotton Swabs (q-tips), 2 x Swab Templates - 2.54 x 2.54cm (1 x 1"), 1 x Pair of Tweezers, 1 x Re-sealable plastic bag for content disposal 1 x User Guide.