

# General Rules for Shelf Life Statements

	Product	Shelf Life	Storage Conditions
1	<b>Semi-Finished Goods</b> (Materials or products sold in a bulk or semi-finished state.)	Not determined	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
2	<b>Hard Goods inside of kits</b> (metals, plastics, glass components and tools)	Not determined	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
3	<b>OEM Tapes</b>		
	All (except 40)	5 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
	40 Tape	2 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
4	<b>Vinyl Tapes, Rubber Tapes</b>	5 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
5	<b>Heat Shrink</b>		
	BBI-A, EPS, FP, HDT, MDT, MFP, MW, SFTW, VFP	10 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
	Molded Shapes, VTN, NST, HDBB	5 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
	PSTH	4 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
6	<b>Adhesives, Cleaning Products</b>	2 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
7	<b>EPDM Products</b> (including Cold Shrink)	5 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
8	<b>Silicone Cold Shrink Products</b>		
	Low and medium voltage	3 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
	69 kV Splices	1 year from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
	69kV Terminations	3 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
	145 kV Termination and Splices	2 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
9	<b>Neoprene Cold Shrink Products</b>	2 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
10	<b>Cable Ties</b>	5 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
11	<b>Terminals, Connectors</b>	5 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
12	<b>Mastics</b>	5 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
13	<b>Insulating Sealers</b>	1 year from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
14	<b>Wire Marking and Identification Products</b>	2 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
15	<b>Portable Labeler cartridges</b>	18 months from date of shipment	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)

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<b>16</b>	<b>Resins</b>		
	Electrical Insulating Resins: 4, 2131, 2136, CRC  2100, 2104, 2123, 3570G-N, 5136N	3 years from date of mfg  2 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
	OEM Liquid Resins: 3, 5, 8, 9, 10, 208, 209, 210, 226, 235, 241, 250, 251, 252, 253, 255, 280, 281, 282, MR283FO75	2 years from date of mfg	Humidity controlled storage (10C/50F to 27C/80F & <75% RH)
	Pipe Coatings: 206N*, 207R, 226N+, 626, 6171*, 6233, 6233P, 6258, 6259, 6352*, 6352HF  134, 135	12 months from date of mfg *24 months from date of mfg  18 months from date of mfg	Maintain < 80F *Maintain < 65F
	Liquid Coatings: 345*  323/323i, 328, 352, 324, 346  226P	3 months from date of mfg *12 months from date of mfg  24 months from date of mfg  60 months form date of mfg	Maintain < 70F *Maintain < 50F  Maintain < 80F  Maintain < 95F
	Rebar Coatings: 413  413 SG, 426  413/215	6 months from date of mfg  12 months from date of mfg  24 months from date of mfg	Maintain < 80F
	OEM Powder Resins: 5555  260, 262, 263, 265  5230N, 5400	18 months from date of mfg  24 months from date of mfg  24 months from date of mfg	Maintain < 70F  Maintain < 80F  Maintain < 60F