

# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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3.5 VOC Intermix System Basecoats
Normal Solids

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**Product Description** Prospray 3.5 VOC Basecoat utilizes existing Prospray solvent toners and a special system of thinners and binders to provide a VOC compliant solvent basecoat that is durable, easy to use and easy to apply.

### **Components**



Basecoat Thinner 3.5 VOC Basecoat Color (mixed)

PCR-1463™ (Normal) or PCR-1464 (Slow)™ Thinner

NOTE: These thinners are designed specifically for use with the Normal Solids Prospray color formulas only. Use of of these thinners in any other low VOC Prospray product will cause the VOC's to be over the threshold limit.

### **Typical Substrates**

- Prospray 2.1 VOC Sealers
- 2.1 VOC DTM Primers
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- 2.1 VOC Epoxy Primers

## **Surface Preparation**



Finish sand with P600—P800. Clean area with ICR-0020™ and dry thoroughly.

Use of Prospray 2K A-540™ (Gray) or A-542™ (White) Sealer (Low VOC mix ratio option) is recommended.

### **Mix Ratio**

Basecoat Thinner



1 Part 1 Part

NOTE: up to 5% activator added to the ready to spray base coat is recommended to increase durability.

# Pot Life @ 72°F / 22.2°C



4 hours when activated.

14-15 secs DIN4

Viscosity @ 72°F / 22.2°C

### **Gun Set Up**



High Efficiency

HVLP

1.2 mm—1.4 mm 1.2 mm—1.4 mm

### **Air Pressure**



High Efficiency H

HVLP

15–29 psi

6–10 psi max

@ the gun

@ the cap

**NOTE:** Refer to individual gun manufacturer for proper spray gun setting.

### **Application**



- Apply medium coats until full coverage is achieved.
- Allow 5—15 minutes flash between coats.
- Use of drop coats on metallics is acceptable.

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## Dry Times to Clear @ 72°F / 22.2°C



**Flash** 5–15 minutes between coats, 20–25 minutes before clear application

**Baking** N/A **Short Wave** N/A

### **Sanding**



**Dry & D.A.:** N/A

Water Sanding: N/A

#### Recoat

- Before clearcoating, air dry at 72°F/22.2°C for 20–25 minutes until uniformly dry.
- Apply clearcoat within 8 hours.

## **Topcoats**

When dry, topcoat with:

Prospray Clearcoats (PSC-4500™, PSC-4700™)

## Special Notes / Clean Up



<u>Clean Up</u> Clean equipment after use with a VOC compliant cleaning solvent. Dispose of solvent according to state, local and federal regulations.

**Important!** Shake all new toners for a minimum of five minutes before inserting mixing lid and placing on machine.

## **Physical Data**

**VOC (RTS) per U.S. Gal Recommended Dry Film Thickness**3.5 lbs (maximum)
1.0-1.5 mils

### **Health and Safety**



For professional use only. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. WARNING! CONTENTS ARE FLAMMABLE. VAPOR AND SPRAY MIST IS HARMFUL. SKIN AND EYE IRRITANT.

Do not handle the Prospray products until the Safety Data Sheets have been read and understood in their entirety. Ensure that all employees are trained on using the Safety Data Sheets and all chemicals with which they come into contact. The manufacturer recommends the use of an air-supplied respirator when exposed to vapors or spray mist. Wear protective clothing, gloves and eye safety with a side shield.

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Follow all warnings on product labels.