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100 parts Autobase Plus Interior color
50 parts Autobase Plus Reducer

Use the Sikkens Measuring Stick #1 (Black)

2x1
HVLP–Gravity 1.3–1.5 mm
HVLP–Siphon 1.8–2.2 mm
Max 10 psi (air cap)

3-5 minutes at 70°F (20°C)

Parts will be dry and ready to handle in 15–20 minutes at 70°F (20°C).

Use suitable respiratory protection
Contains vinyl/polyester resins and other ingredients. When mixed, may also contain polyisocyanate.

Read complete TDS for detailed product information
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Product and additives

| Products:         | - Autobase Plus Interior Converter Gloss Item #049090 (Toner #Q090)  
|                  | - Autobase Plus Interior Converter Mat Item #049091 (Toner #Q091)   
| Hardeners:       | Sikkens Standard Hardener, Sikkens XP Hardener or Autoclear II LV Hardener 
| Reducers:        | Autobase Plus Reducers                                           

Basic raw materials
Autobase Plus Interior Converter: Vinyl/polyester resins and pigments

Suitable surfaces
- Existing interior parts.
- New OEM interior parts (ABS, RIM)
- Primer PO (any polyolefin type plastic, i.e., PP, PE)

Note: Do not paint Air Bag Covers

Surface preparation
Degrease existing finishes and new parts with Anti-static or Autoclean Surface Cleaners. Removal of owner-applied waxes (Armor-All, etc.) is crucial for adhesion.

Mixing ratio
Mix: 100 parts by volume of Autobase Plus Interior Color
50 parts by volume of Autobase Plus Reducer

Unavailable colors
If a desired color is not available in the color documentation, use the color map to pick the Autobase Plus formula closest to the original.

Note: When mixing this color, eliminate the Q065 Connector from the formula.

Then mix 100 parts of the Autobase Plus color to 50 parts Autobase Plus Interior Converter Q090 Gloss/Q091 Mat to achieve the desired gloss level. Use the Sikkens Measuring Stick #1 (Black). Stir thoroughly, reduce and apply as normal.

Gloss level
The amounts of Autobase Plus Interior Converter mixed or blended will change the desired sheen depending on the ratio of Gloss Converter Q090 or Mat Converter Q091 intermixed. The total of Autobase Plus Interior Converter should not exceed 2 parts Autobase Plus color to 1 part Autobase Plus Interior Converter.
Below is a chart describing the gloss level.

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<th>Interior Converter</th>
<th>Gloss Description</th>
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<td>100 parts 0 parts</td>
<td>Semi Gloss</td>
<td>20 GU</td>
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<td>50 parts 50 parts</td>
<td>Low Gloss</td>
<td>12 GU</td>
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<tr>
<td>0 parts 100 parts</td>
<td>Mat</td>
<td>3 GU</td>
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**Hardener selection**

10% Sikkens Standard Hardener, Sikkens XP Hardener or Autoclear II LV Hardener can be added to the Interior coating prior to reduction. The hardener will improve resistance to harsh solvents. Use of the hardener is optional. Hardener use will increase the gloss level of the coating. The balance of Gloss and Mat Interior Converter should be adjusted accordingly.

**Clearcoat**

While not necessary or recommended, the interior finishes can be clearcoated as desired. In this case, treat the Interior coating as Autobase Plus for flash-times (20 minutes before clearcoating).

**Note:** The interior coating with or without clearcoat should not be used on exterior parts.

**Spraying viscosity**

13–15 seconds DIN cup #4 at 70°F (20°C).

**Pot life**

After the components have been mixed, the pot life is 3–5 days without hardener, 4–6 hours with hardener. The reduced paint should be mixed periodically and before use.

**Spray gun & pressure**

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<th>Fluid Tip</th>
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<td>Siphon Feed</td>
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<td>Gravity Feed</td>
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<td>Gravity HVLP</td>
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**Application method**

Apply one single closed coat. Allow the coat to flash 3–5 minutes or until completely flashed-off. Apply a second closed coat as necessary for coverage.

**Flash time**

3–5 minutes at 70°F (20°C)

**Drying**

The interior coating will be dry to handle in 15–20 minutes at 70°F (20°C).

**Recoating**

The interior coating can be recoated with itself at any stage.
Cleaning of equipment

Clean equipment with Sikkens Cleaning Solvent 790 or lacquer thinner.

Stock keeping

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Safety aspects

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<th>VOC Content:</th>
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<td>Ready to spray VOC:</td>
<td>Autobase Plus Interior color, Autobase Plus Reducer. 100:50: 5.9–6.3 lbs/gal (708–756 g/l).</td>
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Notice: Do not handle until the Material Safety Data Sheets have been read and understood. Regulations require that all employees be trained on Material Safety Data Sheets for all chemicals with which they come in contact. The manufacturer recommends the use of an air supplied respirator when exposed to vapors or spray mist.