# **CONCEPT® Acrylic Urethane**

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CONCEPT® (DCC) Acrylic Urethane is a premium quality, single stage, two component refinish product designed to offer exceptional gloss and appearance. It is available in conventional single-stage solid and metallic colors and can be used over all properly prepared OEM finishes and cured air dried finishes.

Concept Color is designed with today's high tech, high production shop in mind.



### **Features & Benefits**

- Premium Gloss
- Excellent color match
- Can be air or force dried

# **Required Products**

#### Hardener

DCX9 High Solids Hardener High Temp DCX61 High Solids Hardener General Purpose DFX11 SUPERCHARGER™ Low VOCHardener

### Reducers

DT1565 Fast Thinner (55 to 65°F)
DT1575 Medium Thinner (65 to 77°F)
DT1585 Slow Thinner (77 to 90°F)
DT1595 Very Slow Thinner (95+°F)

# **Compatible Surfaces**

Concept DCC may be applied over:

- Cleaned and sanded OEM finishes
- DPLF Epoxy Primer
- DPLV 2.1 VOC Epoxy Primer
- Deltron Plastic Adhesion Promoter
- Deltron Primer Surfacers and Sealers
- ONECHOICE® Primer Surfacers and Sealers
- OneChoice Etch Primers\*
- OneChoice Plastic Adhesion Promoters

### **Surface Preparation:**



DCC colors are designed to be applied over properly cleaned, sanded and primed surfaces.



- Wash painted surfaces thoroughly with soap and water to remove water-soluble contaminants, then clean appropriate PPG cleaner
- Sand with 400-600 grit sandpaper or equivalent.
  Re-clean with appropriate PPG cleaner.
- Prime or seal as needed.



### **Mix Ratio:**



With DCX9 or DCX61 Hardener

DCX9 or DCX61



With DFX11 Hardener

DFX11 DCC :

### Pot Life:



Pot Life: 1-3 hours at  $70^{\circ}F$  (21°C) for 4:1:2 mixture 1-2 hours at  $70^{\circ}F$  (21°C) for 2:2:1 mixture

#### **Additives:**

Flexing DCC Options:

SL814 Universal Flexibilizer:

Use the following ratio with DCX9 or DCX61 Hardener

SL<u>814</u> DCX9 or DCX61 : **DT Reducer** 

**SL84 Accelerator:** up to 1 oz. per RTS quart (with DCX hardener only) SL87 Extender: up to ½ oz. per RTS quart (with DCX hardener only) up to ½ oz. per RTS quart (when using DFX11) **DXR81 Accelerator:** 

**DX73 Fisheye Eliminator:** up to ½ oz. Per RTS quart

Air Pressure and Spraygun Set-Up:



HVLP: 8-10 psi at the air cap Compliant: 29-40 psi at the gun

Gun Setup: 1.3-1.6 mm or equivalent



Note: For best overall results, refer to spraygun manufacturer's recommendations for inlet air pressures

# **Application:**



Apply:

2 wet coats or until hiding is achieved



**Spray Viscosity:** 18-22 seconds #2 Zahn

**Total Recommended Dry Film:** 2.0-3.0 mils

### **Drying Times:**



Between Coats at 70°F (21°C):

w/DCX9/DCX61 DFX11 5-10 minutes

10-15 minutes



Air Dry at 70°F (21°C):

Air Dry: 6-8 hours 6-8 hours **Dust Free:** 30-50 minutes 10-15 minutes Tape Free: 8-10 hours 8-10 hours



Force Dry at 140°F (60°C):

Purge Time: 0-10 minutes 0-10 minutes Bake: 40 minutes 15-30 minutes



IR (Infrared):

Medium Wave: 10-15 minutes depending on color 8 minutes depending on color **Short Wave:** 



Dry to Recoat:

After 8 hours at 70°F (21°C) Air Dry:

Force Dry: After cool down

DCC Color must be sanded before recoating with primer, color, or clear.

# **Blending:**

DCC Color may also be blended by mixing RTS DCC Color with an equal amount of SX840 Blend-Ease Universal Blending Solvent. (See P-235 for instructions). Apply this "over" reduced material to the dry edges. If additional blending is necessary, reduce the blend mixture with another equal part of SX840. Straight SX840 may also be misted onto the blend edge.

**Note:** Spot repairs cannot be done on OE or Refinish lacquers due to adhesion problems. Lacquer panel repairs must be sanded and sealed prior to applying DCC Color

### Polishing:



After 24 hours at 70°F (21°C) solid colors can be sanded with 1200-2000 grit sandpaper and compounded. In all cases, use a fine compound and polishing pad.

Note: If sanding and/or polishing is required, an extra coat of DCC color is recommended.

### Compatible **Clearcoats:**

DC3000 Deltron High Velocity Clearcoat DC4000 Deltron Velocity Premium Clearcoat

DCU2002 Concept Urethane Clear DCU2021 Concept Urethane Clear DCU2042 Low VOC Speed Clear

### **Equipment Cleaning:**

Spray guns, gun cups, storage pots, etc., should be cleaned thoroughly after each use with any appropriate PPG general purpose solvent.

### Clearcoating Specifics:

To enhance final appearance and improve buffing the following options can be used:

Option 1 - Clearcoat:

Dry time to Clearcoat

Hardener in DCC Color **Solid Color** DCX9 or DCX61 2 hours DFX11 1 hour

#### Option 2 - Clear mixed with the last coat of DCC Color:

- RTS DCU2002, DCU2021, & DCU2042 with DCX Hardeners can be mixed with RTS DCC Color with DCX Hardeners.
- RTS DCU2002 & DCU2021 with DFX11 Hardeners can be mixed with RTS DCC Color with DFX11 Hardeners.

For best results allow 15-20 minutes flash before mixing clears into last coat.

Technical Data:	DCC : DCX9/61 : DT	DCC : DFX11 : DT
Volume Ratio	4:1:2	2:2:1
Applicable Use Category	Single Stage	Single Stage
VOC Actual (g/L)	455-563	455-563
VOC Actual (lbs./ gal)	3.8-4.7	3.8-4.7
Solids vol. %	32.3-39.5%	32.5-37.5%
Solids wt. %	42.2-54.7%	41.2-50.6%
Sq. ft. coverage ./ US gal. (1 mil. At 100% transfer efficiency)	518-634	521-602

#### See Safety Data Sheet and Labels for additional safety information and handling instructions.

Important: The contents of this package must be blended with other components before the product can be used. Before opening the packages, be sure you understand the warning messages on the labels of all components since the mixture will have the hazards of all its parts. Improper spray technique may result in a hazardous condition. Follow spray equipment manufacturer's instructions to prevent personal injury or fire. Follow directions for respirator use. Wear eye and skin protection. Observe all applicable precautions.

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