Etch Primer

SX1071 **Etch Prime**

SX1071 Etch Prime is a 2 component acid etch primer specifically designed to provide excellent adhesion and corrosion resistance to properly prepared steel and aluminum while offering fast dry characteristics.

Features	Required Products		
Fast Dry Formula Adhesion To Most Metal Substrates	• SX1071 Etch Prime • SX1072 Etch Prime Catalyst		
Advantages	Related Products		
Faster Through Put	Recommended PPG brand primer/surfacers and sealers		
Fewer Products Needed	Compatible Products		
Benefits	SX1071 Etch Prime can be appplied over bare steel, aluminum, galvanized metals and GRP / Fiberglass polyester fillers after degreasing and sanding.		
Higher Productivity Lower Finishing Costs			
	Note: When using SX1071 Etch Prime with recommended PPG brand primer surfacers and sealers, please refer to the products specific technical bulletin for proper application.		
	Do Not apply topcoats directly over etch primer. Do Not apply polyester filler directly over etch primer.		



- In all cases, wash all surfaces to be painted with soap and water, then apply the appropriate systems cleaner. Ensure that the substrate is thoroughly cleaned and dried both before and after application work.
- Sand the bare metal areas completely with 80-180 grit abrasive.
- Wash off residue and dry thoroughly before recleaning with appropriate systems substrate cleaner. The use of a tack rag is recommended.
- Etch Prime aluminum substrate as soon as possible and no later than 8 hours after cleaning steps.
- Etch Prime carbon steel immediately after cleaning.



Application:		SX1071:SX10721:1Pot life is 24 hours at 70°F (21°C). Pot life is shortened as temperatures increase. V_{1} V_{1} V_{1} V_{1} V_{1} V_{1} V_{2} V	
Spraygun Set-up		Viscosity is 11 – 14 seconds Apply: Fluid Tip: Air Pressure:	 DIN 4 @ /0°F (21°C) 2 medium coats Do not apply excessive film builds to avoid poor adhesion and drying. HVLP: 1.3 – 1.5 mm (.050" – .059") or equivalent 10 PSI at the cap for HVLP guns (maximum) For compliant or conventional equipment, refer to the gun manufacturer's reccommendations.
Dry Times:		Between Coats: Dry to Prime: Recoat: 70°F (21°C)	2 – 3 minutes 15 minutes minimum @ 70°F (21°C) SX1071 must be topcoated with a compatible surfacer or sealer before applying a topcoat. If left uncoated for more than 24 hours, lightly scuff and apply an additional coat. <i>Do not apply topcoats directly over SX1071.</i>
Technical Data:		RTS Combinations: Volume Ratio: Applicable Use Category VOC Actual VOC Regulatory (less water less exempt) Density (g/L) Volatiles wt. % Water wt. % Exempt wt. % Water vol. % Exempt vol. % Solids, wt.% Solids, vol%	SX1071 : SX1072 1 : 1 Pretreatment Coating 288 (g/L) 2.40 (lbs/gal) 657 (g/L) 5.48 (lbs/gal) 1095 (g/L) 9.14 (lbs/gal) 84.1 0.2 57.6 0.2 55.9 15.9 9.0
Important:	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.		

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

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