## **Non-Chrome Self Etching Primer**

# **DPX171**

DPX171 Non-Chrome Self Etching Primer is specifically designed to provide excellent adhesion and corrosion resistance to properly prepared steel and aluminum, while offering fast drying characteristics.



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#### **Features & Benefits**

- Fast drying
- Excellent adhesion to steel & aluminum substrates
- Pigmented
- Strong corrosion resistance

#### **Compatible Surfaces**

DPX171 may be applied over:

- Properly cleaned and sanded steel •
- Properly cleaned and sanded galvanized metal
- Properly cleaned and sanded aluminum

#### Not recommended for fiberglass

If applying DPX171 to clean, bare metal substrates, SX metal treatment are NOT required or advisable.

Note: DPX171 may be used for spot repairs involving existing cured OEM and refinish systems. Slight overlap of DPX171 onto painted surfaces and body filler is acceptable, but should be kept to a minimum.

#### **Required Products**

Catalyst DPX172 Etching Primer Catalyst DPX173 Slow Etching Primer Catalyst



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#### DPX171 Surface Preparation Wash the area to be painted with soap and water, then clean with appropriate PPG cleaner. Sand the bare metal areas completely with 80 - 180 grit abrasive. Re-clean with the appropriate PPG cleaner. Prime aluminum substrates as soon as possible and no later than 8 hours after cleaning steps. Prime carbon steel immediately after cleaning. DPX171 DPX 172/173 Mix Ratio: 1 : 1 Note: DPX173 Slow Catalyst is intended for application on large surfaces or in high temp high humidity conditions. 24 hours at 70°F (21°C) Pot Life: Pot life is shortened as temperatures increase. HVLP: 8-10 psi at the air cap Air Pressure and Compliant: 29-40 psi at the gun Spraygun Set-up: Gun Setup: 1.3-1.6 mm or equivalent Note: For best overall results, refer to spraygun manufacturer's recommendations for inlet air pressures. 1 coat for small areas **Application:** Apply: 2 coats for large areas Dry film build per coat: 0.5-0.9 mils Avoid excessive film builds. This may result in poor adhesion and drying characteristics. 10-15 minutes at 70°F (21°C) **Drying Times:** Between Coats: Dry to Topcoat: 1 Coat: 20 minutes at 70°F (21°C) 2 Coats: 30 minutes at 70°F (21°C) Dry to scuff: 60 minutes at 70°F (21°C)

**Note:** After 24 hours, lightly scuff DPX Primer. Maintain 0.5 mil minimum. Recoat with additional DPX Primer, if necessary.

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Compatible Topcoats:	DELTRON <sup>®</sup> Sealers <i>Deltron</i> Primer Surfacers DZ KONDAR <sup>®</sup> Acrylic Primer Surfacers ONECHOICE <sup>®</sup> Primer Surfacers	
	OneChoice Sealers	
	Note: Do not apply DP Epoxy Primer over DPX171. *When applying a sealer over DPX171, insure a minimum 1.0 mil of sealer is applied over the DPX171. The optimum sealer dry time to topcoat is 15-45 minutes at 70°F (21°C). If the sealer is allowed to dry beyond this period, an overnight dry is recommended.	
Equipment Cleaning:	Spray guns, gun cups, storage pots, etc., should be cleaned thoroughly after each use with any appropriate PPG general purpose solvent.	
Technical Data:		
Package		DPX171
VOC Actual (g/L)		627
VOC Actual (lbs./ US gal.)		5.23
VOC Regulatory (less water, less exempt (g/L)		637
VOC Regulatory (less water, less exempt (lbs./ US gal.)		5.31
RTS Combinations		DPX171 : DPX172/DPX173
Volume Ratio		1:1
Applicable Use Category		Pretreatment Wash Primer
VOC Actual (g/L)		715
VOC Actual (lbs./ gal)		5.97
VOC Regulatory (less water, less exempt (g/L)		723
VOC Regulatory (less water, less exempt (lbs./ US gal.)		6.03
Density (g/L)		967
Density (lbs./ US gal)		8.07
Solids vol. %		11.6%
Solids wt. %		25.0%
Sq. ft. coverage / US gal. (0.6 mil. At 100% transfer efficiency)		310

#### 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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