



Architectural Coatings

GLIDDEN MAX-FLEX®

GMF30XX Series

Glidden Max-Flex Clear Topcoat Interior/Exterior Topcoat

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Glidden Max-Flex Clear Topcoat interior/exterior spray paint provides a final coat of protection for exceptional results and coverage on a wide range of surfaces like wood, metal, plastic, carpets, and even leather and other fabrics. It covers surfaces with fewer spray passes and dries within 5 minutes with a flawless, durable clear finish, so your projects can be completed quickly and with ease.

RECOMMENDED SUBSTRATES

Fabrics/Leather	Vinyl
Ferrous Metal	Wood
Plastic	

FEATURES / BENEFITS

Dries Within 5 Minutes
Maximized UV protection
Interior/Exterior

PRODUCT INFORMATION

GMF3040	Clear Semi-Gloss
GMF3041	Clear Matte

PACKAGING

Aerosol Net Wt. 12 oz. (340 g)

PRODUCT DATA

PRODUCT TYPE:	Lacquer
SHEEN:	Matte, <5 @ 60° Semi-Gloss, 14-20 @ 60°
VOLUME SOLIDS*:	9% +/- 2%
WEIGHT SOLIDS*:	14% +/- 2%
WEIGHT/GALLON*:	6.5 lbs. (2.9 kg) +/- 0.2 lbs. (91 g)
MAX PWMIR*:	< 1.50

*Product data calculated from GMF3040.

COVERAGE: One can covers approximately 25 sq. ft. (2.3 sq. meters). Coverage figures do not include material loss due to surface irregularities and porosity, or material loss due to application method.

DRYING TIME: Dry time @ 70°F (21°C); 50% relative humidity.
To Touch: 5 minutes
To Recoat: 5-10 minutes
Put In Use: 24-48 hours

Drying times listed may vary depending on temperature, humidity, film build, and air movement. Heavier application may take longer.

CLOGGING: If valve clogs, twist and pull off spray tip and rinse in a solvent, such as mineral spirits. Do not stick a pin or other objects in the stem.

CLEANUP: When finished spraying, hold can upside down and spray until clear gas appears, then wipe off tip before storing. Clean up wet paint with mineral spirits or paint thinner.

DISPOSAL: Contact your local environmental regulatory agency for guidance on disposal of empty can. Do not burn or place in home trash compactor.

FLASH POINT: -139°F (-95°C)

LIMITATIONS OF USE

Use outdoors or in a well-ventilated area, such as an open garage. Cover surrounding area to protect from overspray. Apply when no precipitation is expected for 24 hours, and when temperature is 50°F (10°C) to 90°F (32°C) and will remain above 50°F (10°C) for the next 24 hours. Avoid spraying in windy, dusty conditions.

Not recommended for use on polyethylene.

GENERAL SURFACE PREPARATION

Surface must be clean and dry. Remove all loose, peeling paint, dirt, grease, and any other surface contaminants. Putty all nail holes and caulk all cracks and open seams. Sand all glossy, rough, and patched surfaces.

WARNING! If you scrape, sand, or remove old paint, you may release lead dust or fumes. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST OR FUMES CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a properly fitted, NIOSH-approved respirator and prevent skin contact to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the USEPA National Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to www.epa.gov/lead. Follow these instructions to control exposure to other hazardous substances that may be released during surface preparation.

FABRICS and LEATHER: The surface must be cleaned thoroughly to remove any dust, dirt, and surface contaminants, and then painted.

FERROUS METAL: The surface must be cleaned thoroughly to remove any dust, rust, and surface contaminants, and then painted.

WOOD: Countersink all nails, putty flush with surface. Unpainted wood or wood in poor condition should be sanded smooth, wiped clean.

VINYL and ARCHITECTURAL PLASTIC: Vinyl and similar architectural plastics may present potential adhesion problems. Some plastics made of polyethylene, such as plastic storage bins, are manufactured in a way that may hinder paint adhesion. Product is not recommended for use on polyethylene due to its adhesion properties. For other plastics, test in a hidden area first. Product should be spot applied, allowed to cure overnight, then evaluated for adhesion. If adhesion is good, the application may proceed. Check adhesion by applying a piece of masking tape. When the masking tape is removed, if the coating peels off, the surface must be scuff sanded prior to proceeding to ensure mechanical adhesion. Exterior vinyl and similar plastic composites should not be painted with a color darker than the original color. Painting exterior vinyl or plastic composites with a darker color may cause them to warp.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Shake can vigorously for 1 to 2 minutes and often during use. Hold can upright 6" to 10" (15 to 25 cm) from the surface and spray in a steady back-and-forth motion, slightly overlapping each stroke. Maintain the can the same distance from the surface. Keep the can in motion while spraying. Apply light coats over the entire surface until hiding is achieved, allowing 5 to 10 minutes between coats. Do not saturate surface.

Permissible temperatures during application:

Material: 50 to 90°F (10 to 32°C)

Ambient: 50 to 90°F (10 to 32°C)

Substrate: 50 to 90°F (10 to 32°C)

PRECAUTIONS

DANGER! AEROSOLS EXTREMELY FLAMMABLE. MAY CAUSE FLASH FIRE. CONTENTS UNDER PRESSURE. VAPOR HARMFUL. HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. HARMFUL OR FATAL IF SWALLOWED. CAUSES RESPIRATORY TRACT, EYE AND SKIN IRRITATION. In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst or explode. Can enter lungs and cause damage. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Keep away from flames, such as a pilot light, and any object that sparks, such as an electric motor. Do not puncture or incinerate container. Do not expose to heat or store at temperatures above 120°F. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Do not swallow. Do not get on skin or clothing. Avoid contact with eyes. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Wash thoroughly after handling. Provide fresh air ventilation during and after application and drying. Avoid the inhalation of dust, particulates, spray or mist arising from the application of this preparation. Use personal protective equipment as required. **Note: These warnings encompass the product series. Prior to use, read and follow product-specific SDS and label information. FIRST AID:** If swallowed, rinse mouth with water (only if the person is conscious). Call physician immediately. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. If in eyes, rinse with water for 15 minutes. Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention immediately. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If experiencing respiratory symptoms call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Keep out of the reach of children. For workplace use, an SDS is available from your retailer or by calling (412) 492-5555. EMERGENCY SPILL INFORMATION: (412) 434-4515 (U.S.).

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