Technical Data Sheet

Product Group

Polyurethane Top Coat

Characteristics



Product Information

Eclipse Clearcoat is a 3-component, low VOC (High Solids) topcoat designed to provide premium gloss and distinctness of image (DOI). This coating has a balanced formulation to provide superior chemical and stain resistance, and flexibility.

Eclipse topcoats provide a durable, long lasting, protective and decorative finish that exceed typical OEM requirements for exterior aircraft performance.

Components



Base	ECL-G-2
Base	ECL-G-7
Base	ECL-GC-6
Curing Solution	Curing Solution PC-233
Thinner	Thinner TR-113
Thinner	Thinner TR-109
Thinner	Thinner TR-111
Thinner	Thinner TR-112
Thinner	Thinner TR-141

Surface Conditions

Surface Preparation/ Cleaning

Eclipse Clear topcoat is designed to be used over Eclipse Special Effects topcoat.

Minimum overcoat time of Eclipse Special Effects topcoat with Eclipse Clear topcoat is 1 hour.

Ensure the special effect layer is free from contamination from layout, scuffing, and masking by cleaning the surface. Use an appropriate mild cleaning solvent such as Akzo Nobel Ultra Prep Surface Cleaner or isopropyl alcohol.

Remove dust and debris with a clean tack rag or equivalent just prior to the application of Eclipse Clear topcoat.

Instruction for Use



	Volume
ECL-G-2	2 parts
ECL-G-7	2 parts
ECL-GC-6	2 parts
Curing Solution PC-233	1 part
Thinner*	1 part

* Thinner options: Thinner TR-113, Thinner TR-109, Thinner TR-111, Thinner TR-112, Thinner TR-141

-ECL-G-2 meets the performance of BMS 10-72. ECL-G-7 is the qualified clear for BMS 10-72 Type IX.

-ECL-G-2 meets BAMS 565-002. ECL-G-7 meets BAMS 565-009.

-Allow products to acclimatize to ambient conditions before use.

-Stir or shake the base component thoroughly to a homogeneous state prior to the addition of the curing solution. -Add curing solution PC-233 and stir the catalyzed mixture thoroughly.

-Add the thinner and stir the catalyzed mixture again thoroughly prior to application.

-ECL-GC-6 is formulated for roller application and no additional thinner is needed.



Application Recommendations

Conditions





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Number of Coats

59 – 95 °F **Relative Humidity:** 35 - 75 %

Eclipse Clear topcoat may be applied in conditions outside the limits shown above. Care must be exercised to ensure a satisfactory result. Please contact your local AkzoNobel Aerospace Coatings representative to determine the appropriate application techniques when environmental conditions fall outside of the recommended range.

15 – 35 °C

Spray gun type	Product supply	Fluid Pressure	Nozzle orifice	Product flow	Dynamic air pressure at gun-inlet *
Conventional	N/A	N/A	1.2-1.4mm	N/A	3-5 bar / 43-73 psi
HVLP / Next Generation	N/A	N/A	1.2-1.4mm	N/A	2-2.5 bar / 29-36 psi**
Air Atomizing (electrostatic)	N/A	N/A	1.2-1.5mm	230-250 ml/min	4-5 bar / 58-73 psi
Pressure Atomizing (electrostatic)	N/A	75-90 bar / 1- 1.3k psi	0.009-0.013 in / 60°	260-300 ml/min	4-4.5 bar / 58-65 psi

*Measured with an open trigger.

Temperature:

**General advice to meet the HVLP / next-generation spray gun requirements. Please validate with your local authorities.

Apply Eclipse Clear topcoat in two to three full wet coat applications to a recommended dry film thickness of 50-75 μm (2-3 mils). Apply a single wet coat. Allow sufficient flash-off time between coats at ambient conditions in accordance with the table below. Apply a second wet coat. Repeat this if additional coats are needed.

Thinner/Reducer	Recommended Flash-Off Time
TR-109	45-120 minutes
TR-111	30-60 minutes
TR-112	20-40 minutes
TR-113	15-30 minutes
TR-141	45-120 minutes

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Flash-off time refers to the elapsed time between the start of the first coat application and the start of the second coat application. Paint should have very little transfer when touched to indicate the paint is ready for application of the next coat.

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Cleaning of Equipment

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Solvent Cleaning C28/15 (electrostatic equipment). Solvent Cleaning C28/15 or TR-19 for other spray equipment.

The quality of the application of all coatings will be influenced by the spray equipment chosen and the temperature, humidity, and air flow of the paint application area. When applying the product for the first time, it is recommended that test panels be prepared to identify the best equipment settings to be used in optimizing the performance and appearance of the coating.

Physical Properties



(25°C / 77°F, 50% RH)		
Dry to touch	3.25 hours	TR-109
	3.25 hours	TR-111
	1.75 hours	TR-112
	45 minutes	TR-113
	3.25 hours	TR-141
Dry to tape	10 – 12 hours	TR-109
	7 – 8 hours	TR-111
	5 – 6 hours	TR-112
	2 – 3 hours	TR-113
	10 – 12 hours	TR-141
(32°C / 90°F. 40% RH)		
Dry to tape	8 – 9 hours	TR-109
5	4 – 5 hours	TR-111
	2 – 3 hours	TR-112
	1 – 2 hours	TR-113
	7 – 9 hours	TR-141
(48°C / 120°F. 10% RH)		
Drv to tape	4 – 5 hours	TR-109
5	3 – 4 hours	TR-111
	1 – 2 hours	TR-112
	<1 hours	TR-113
	4 – 6 hours	TR-141

At standard temperature and humidity conditions, TR-109 will provide the indicated dry to tape times with a wet edge time of 30-60 minutes. At standard conditions, TR-111 will provide a wet edge time of 20-40 minutes. TR-141 is formulated to optimize wet edge performance at elevated temperatures, 30°C-38°C / 85°F-100°F.

TR-112 is suggested for roller application and TR-113 is recommended for touch-up and markings only. Both are pre-adjusted to meet specific dry times. No additional accelerator should be added.

TR-109, TR-111, TR-112 and TR-113 are Boeing approved per BMS 10-72 and BMS 10-60.

ECL-GC-6 has a dry to tape time of 3 hours at standard temperature and humidity conditions.

Eclipse Clear topcoat may be recoated within 24 hours with no reactivation if TR-109 or TR-141 was used in the undercoat. Max recoat time with no reactivation is 12 hours if TR-111 was used in the undercoat. If the allotted drying time is exceeded, reactivate with P400 grade sandpaper or an aluminum oxide non-woven abrasive pad, type very fine to a uniform matt surface. Clean sanded areas with AkzoNobel Ultra Prep Surface Cleaner or isopropyl alcohol prior to reapplying the topcoat.

Dry times and recoat times will vary depending on combinations of temperature, humidity, and airflow.

16.5 m² per liter ready to apply at 25 μ m dry film thickness. 672 ft² per gallon ready to apply at 1 mil dry film thickness.



M² Theoretical Coverage

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Kg I μm	Dry Film Weight	1.16 g/m²/µm 0.0060 lbs/ft²/mil	
voc	Volatile Organic Compounds	US guidelines	ECL-G-2 503g/l (4.2 lbs/gal) ECL-G-7 496g/l (4.1 lbs/gal) ECL-GC-6 420g/l (3.5 lbs/gal)
GU	Gloss (60°)	Minimum 90 GU	
, du	Flash Point	ECL-G-2	25°C / 77°F
		ECL-G-7	25°C / 77°F
		ECL-GC-6	27°C / 80.6°F
		Curing Solution PC-233	166°C / 330.8°F
		Thinner TR-113	34°C / 93.2°F
		Thinner TR-109	36°C / 96.8°F
		Thinner TR-111	36°C / 96.8°F
		Thinner TR-112	34°C / 93.2°F
		Thinner TR-141	34°C / 93.2°F
	Shelf life 5 - 38°C (41 - 100°F)	ECL-G-2	24 months
	,	ECL-G-7	24 months
		ECL-GC-6	24 months
		Curing Solution PC-233	24 months
		Thinner TR-113	24 months
		Thinner TR-109	24 months
		Thinner TR-111	24 months
		Thinner TR-112	24 months
		Thinner TR-141	24 months

Safety Precautions

Comply with all local safety, disposal and transportation regulations. Check the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) and label of the individual products carefully before using the products. The MSDS's are available on request.

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IMPORTANT NOTE

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