# Painters Choice

# **PC-1689**

# **BASECOAT CONVERTER**

PC-1689 Basecoat Converter has been formulated to provide similar characteristics of their competitors, including viscosity, solids, weight per gallon, and basecoat compatibility. This product is fast drying, with good fill capabilities, offering excellent metallic stabilization and uniform color holdout. This product offers a comparable product to that of its competitors, at a major savings, without sacrificing quality.



## **Preperation**

Wash area to be primed with soap and water to remove contaminants that solvent based cleaners cannot remove effectively. Wipe area clean with PC-900 Pre Prep Wax & Grease Remover.

Sand surface with 180-220 grit sandpaper to remove corrosion, and clean with PC800 Pre Paint Cleaner.



### **Primer Application**

Mix 1 part PC-50 Epoxy Primer/Sealer with 1 part PC-50A Activator. Mix thoroughly, do not shake. No induction period is required. Apply 1 wet coat. Allow 15 minute flash time followed with a second wet coat. Allow 30-60 minutes dry time @ 77. befor applying additional primers. Allow to dry overnight before applying body filler.



### **Sealer Application**

Mix 4 parts PC-38 High Performance Primer with 1 part PC-38A Activator. Once catalyzed, add 10% to 25% PC870 - PC885 Reducer. Mix thoroughly, do not shake. Apply 2 wet coats. Allow 10-15 minute flash time between coats. May be tinted with up to 10% primer tint or basecoat toner. Allow 15 minute flash time before applying first coat of color. Follow paint manufacturers recommendations.



### Mixing

Mix PC-1689 Basecoat Converter in a similar manner to that of its competitors. Refer to color manufacturers formulas for required amounts. Product must be sealed after each use to prevent moisture and contaminants. Agitate thoroughly before each use.



### **Basecoat Application**

Mix 1 part basecoat with 1 part PC-870 to PC-885 Basecoat Reducer. Apply 2 - 3 medium coats or until uniform hiding and color match are achieved. Allow a flash time of 5-10 minutes between each coat. Allow the final coat of color to flash off for 15-30 minutes before applying PC Clearcoat. PC-1689 Basecoat Converter must be clearcoated within 24 hours.



**Clean** HVLP spray gun and cup in a device that recirculates solvents during cleaning that collects used solvent and minimizes evaporation. Do not leave catalyzed in spray gun longer than 1 1/2 hours.