

# SEM<sup>®</sup> PRO-TEX™ CHIP GUARD KIT

## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET



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### DESCRIPTION

**Pro-Tex Chip Guard** is a two-component urethane textured coating for the ultimate protection of lower panels prone to chipping and corrosion.

### FEATURES

- Tintable to match OEM colors
- Paintable
- Duplicates all OEM textures
- Top coat with solvent or waterborne systems
- Best in class protection
- Excellent gloss retention
- Course, heavy texture

### SUITABLE SUBSTRATES

- Properly prepped, primed and painted surfaces
- SMC
- Fiberglass

### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Part:	Product Name:	Color:	Container:
40820	Pro-Tex Chip Guard Kit	Opaque Gray	Quart Kit
<b>Kit Contents:</b>	One quart Pro-Tex Chip Guard		
	Two 1/2 pints Pro-Tex Chip Guard Catalyst		
<b>Actual VOC:</b>	122 g/l		
<b>Regulatory VOC:</b>	148 g/l		
<b>Pot life:</b>	20 minutes @ 70°F (21°C) and 50% R.H.		
<b>Coverage:</b>	29 ft <sup>2</sup> per qt. @ 8-10 mils DFT		

Use VOC calculator to determine VOC of mixtures.

### HANDLING AND APPLICATION



#### PREPARATION:

1. Clean surface with **Scuff & Clean** and a gray scuff pad. Rinse with water and dry.
2. Clean thoroughly with **SEM Solve** or **XXX Universal Surface Cleaner** and sand with 180-220 grit sandpaper.



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If rust is present, grind or sandblast until all rust is removed.

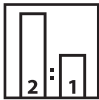
3. Blow off and clean again with **SEM Solve** or **XXX Universal Surface Cleaner**.
4. Mask off areas not to be coated to protect from overspray. Coat any bare metal areas with **Metallock™ DTM High Build Primer** or **World Class™ DTM Primer** according to instructions.



## MIXING:

### TINTING:

Mix 8 parts of **Pro-Tex Chip Guard** with 1 part of unreduced solvent based colorant and hand stir thoroughly. (Use only automotive solvent based paint without any binders or reducers – color only. Do not use water based or lacquer based colorants).



## CATALYZING:

Catalyze tinted resin with **Pro-Tex Chip Guard Catalyst**. Mix 2 parts of tinted resin to 1 part of **Pro-Tex Chip Guard Catalyst**. Hand stir thoroughly for 1-2 minutes.

**Note:** Do not catalyze more than 1 quart at a time. Pot life is 20 minutes at 70°F (21°C). High heat and humidity may significantly reduce pot life.

**Note:** **Pro-Tex Extender** is available to extend the pot life. This will help applicators achieve increased working times in high heat or humidity. Add 1 oz. of **Pro-Tex Extender** per sprayable quart of **Pro-Tex Chip Guard**. At 85°F (29°C) and 50% relative humidity, this addition will result in a pot life of approximately 45 minutes.



## APPLICATION:

Pour contents into desired spray equipment.

### OEM TEXTURES:

- Spray gun equipped with 2.2 mm tip  
Clean the applicator gun between coats.

### HEAVY TEXTURES:

- Schutz gun  
Clean the applicator gun between coats.

<b>Air Pressure:</b>	45-90 psi.
<b>Coats:</b>	2
<b>Flash Time (between coats):</b>	10-20 minutes
<b>Top Coat Time (with solvent based paint):</b>	30 minutes
<b>Top Coat Time (with water based paint):</b>	2 hours
<b>Dust Free Time:</b>	60-90 minutes



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## IMPORTANT:

Remove all masking tape while the final coating is still wet. Allow to dry 8 hours prior to delivery.

**Note:** Spray a test panel to verify desired color before use. Adjust color as necessary.



## CLEANUP:

Use appropriate cleaning materials compliant with VOC regulations in your area.



## STORAGE:

**Pro-Tex Chip Guard Kit** should be stored between 60-80°F (16-27°C). The shelf life for **Pro-Tex Chip Guard Kit** is 5 years when stored under normal conditions.

## RELATED PRODUCTS:

Part:	Product Name:	Size:
38371	SEM Solve	Gallon
38373	SEM Solve	20 oz. Aerosol
38374	SEM Solve	Quart
38375	SEM Solve	5 Gallon
38391	Scuff & Clean	Gallon
38398	Scuff & Clean	16 oz. Tube
40688	Pro-Tex Extender	Pint
50121	World Class DTM Primer	Gallon
50124	World Class DTM Primer	Quart
50134	World Class DTM Primer Activator	Quart
50136	World Class DTM Primer Activator	Half Pint
77771	XXX Universal Surface Cleaner	Gallon
77774	XXX Universal Surface Cleaner	Quart
ML010	Metalock DTM High Build Primer Kit	Kit
ML014	Metalock DTM High Build Primer	Quart
MLH16	Metalock Hardener	Half Pint



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