# PREMIUM Automotive Coatings



**Undercoat** 

8816

METALUX® 8816 Etch Primer was designed for use on aluminum, galvanized, and steel surfaces for its anti corrosive properties. This product is chromate-free and meets the most stringent VOC regulations.

#### Features & Benefits:

- Mix 1:1
- Excellent Adhesion
- Superior Corrosion Properties
- Excellent Durability
- Long Pot Life

# Available Package Sizes:

• 1 Gallon (3.75 Liters)







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#### Components & Additives:

METALUX® 8816 2K Etch Primer METALUX® 8817 2K Etch Primer Activator

## Mix by Volume:

1 part METALUX® 2K Etch Primer to 1 part METALUX® 2K Etch Primer Activator. Maximum RFU VOC = 5.5

#### Spray Gun Settings:

**HVLP Gravity** 1.3 - 1.4 mm 1.0 - 1.5 (Bar) 6-8 PSI \*At the cap **High Efficiency** 1.3 - 1.4 mm 1.0 - 1.5 (Bar) 17-19 PSI At Gauge

Note: Refer to spray gun manufacturer for further information regarding HVLP Inlet Pressures.

#### **Surface Preparation:**

Degrease then sand with P180 - P320 grit sandpaper. Abrade steel with P80 - P180 grit sandpaper. Dry sand with P360 - P400 grit sandpaper. Existing surfaces (Featheredge) - use P180 - P400 grit sandpaper; Aluminum - use P320 grit sandpaper or finer.

## Application:

Apply 1-2 single coats with 5-10 minute flash off between coats @77°F/25°C. **Note:** Must be coated with a Primer or Sealer prior to Top Coating. DO NOT APPLY TOPCOAT DIRECTLY TO ETCH PRIMER

#### Film Thickness:

± 18 microns / 0.7 mils per coat

#### Compatible Substrates:

- Thoroughly sanded OEM finishes adjoining metal
- Thoroughly sanded and cured paint adjoining metal
- Properly prepared steel, aluminum, and galvanized steel
- · Cured body filler
- ED Primer

## Dry Times:

Hand Slick 5 Minutes @77°F/25°C **Dust Free** 10 Minutes @77°F/25°C Dry to Overcoat 30 Minutes @77°F/25°C Dry to Nib Sand 30 Minutes @77°F/25°C Recoat Window 24 Hours @77°F/25°C Note: METALUX® 8816 2K Etch Primer must be over-coated within 12 hours. After 12 hours, scuff sand prior to applying additional primer.

#### **Physical Data:**

VOC as Applied 2.1 lbs/gallon (RFU) Mixed Volume Solids 50-55% (Average) Theoretical Coverage Approx. 800 SqFt @

1 Mil DFT/mix gallon

Recommended Coats

DFT per Coat Approximately 1.0 mil ZAHN #3 Viscostiy 10-18 seconds

#### Performance Properties:

2 (x1)

Solvent Resistance N/A Chemical Resistance N/A Film Hardness N/A Impact Resistance N/A Flexibility

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