

AEROSPACE COATINGS

PRODUCT DATA

SKYscapes® Clearcoat Spot Repair Hardener

CM0850180 / CM0850CH8 / CM0850CR9

DESCRIPTION

SKYscapes® **CM0850CH8** Clearcoat Repair Hardener has been developed for small Clearcoat spot repairs. It is designed to be used on exterior surfaces previously painted with SKYscapes® Clearcoat. It is ideal for a small repair area without having to go to the nearest seam.

COATING PROPERTIES

Solids:	<u>Sprayable</u>
By weight	51.9%
By volume	45.2%

Density: 1.01

Viscosity-Sprayable

Gardner Signature #2 Zahn Cup 14-18 seconds

Mixed V.O.C.

U.S. Exempt Solvent <3.5 lbs./gal (420 g/L) Non-Exempt Solvent <4.5 lbs./gal (535 g/L)

Useable Pot Life

At 77°F / 25°C 3 Hours

Theoretical Coverage

Per dry mil 725 ft.² / gal. Per 25 microns 17.8 m² / L

Dry Film Weight

Per dry mil 0.0061 lbs. / ft.² Per 25 microns 29.5 g / m²

SHELF LIFE

Shelf life is applicable only for materials stored in unopened and undamaged original factory filled containers.

Minimum Storage Temp: 40°F / 4°C Maximum Storage Temp: 100°F / 37°C

CM0850180: 3 Years CM0850CH8: 7 Years CM0850CR9: 7 Years

ADVANTAGES

- Designed for spot repairs on Clearcoat.
- Quick drying
- No baking required. Dries quickly at ambient temperatures
- Easy to mix
- Polishes easily
- Polished Clear coat repair will not fade back over time





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FADE OUT AREA SURFACE PREPARATION

To remove runs or dirt within the Clear coat use a razor blade, 320-grit D/A papers and or (600+) wet and dry papers.

To obtain adhesion for the clearcoat feathered edge, abrade the immediate and surrounding area using P800 D/A and or (600) wet and dry papers to remove all gloss.

Note: The fade out repair has to be contained within the finely sanded area to prevent peel back when polished

SURFACE CLEANING PRIOR TO CLEARCOATING

Use **CM0110120** Pre-paint Wipe cleaning solvent to remove dust or light contamination. Employ the wipe on wipe off technique. Use clean cloths regularly. Allow CM0110120 to flash off for a minimum of 15 minutes before re-applying Basecoat or clear coat.

MIXING INSTRUCTIONS

Admix by Volume:

1 Part SkyScapes™ Clear coat Base

CM0850180

1 Part SkyScapes™ Clear coat Hardener

CM0850CH8

1 Part SkyScapes™ Basecoat Activator / Reducer

CM0850CR9

Stir thoroughly.

Note: Use immediately:

It is recommended to filter strain the admixed clearcoat before placing material in containers for spraying.

EQUIPMENT

This product can be applied using conventional air spray or HVLP

TYPICAL FLUID TIP SIZES

HVLP / compliant guns. Fluid Tips 1.3 or 1.4 mm

REPAIR METHOD

Apply two singular coats 10 minutess apart. Extend the second coat out past the1st coat layer feathering the edge.

Recommended dry film thickness is $1.2-2.0 \ \text{mils} \ (30\ \text{-}50\ \text{microns}).$

DRYING SCHEDULE

DRY TIME TO TAPE: 2- 3 hours @ 75°F / 25°C and 50% RH

DRY TIME TO POLISH: 4 hours @ 75°F / 25°C and 50% RH

with a 2-3 mil (50-75 micron) film thickness.

DRY TO FLY TIME: 4 hours

NOTE: Lower temperatures, heavy film thickness, and poor air flow / movement will extend the dry time.

POLISHING

- Use P1500 or 2000 Abrasive papers using water if required to abrade the newly repaired/original Clear coat burn in edge to remove the gloss.
- Wipe the area dry on a regular basis to check that the oran ge peel / profile represents the original profile of the surrounding area.
- Apply appropriate compound / polishing products: Apply onto the surface by hand over the sanded / surrounding area.
- Spray on clean water. (Polish type dependant)
- Use an Electric Polisher/Buffer @ 1500 / 1800 rpm fitted with a 100% lamb's wool head to apply light pressure to the surface, keep the pol isher moving in sweeping motions across the repair.

Note: Do not excessively polish the fe athered edge of the localized paint repair

Note: Do not allow the panel to get too hot to the touch

- Remove any excess polish by hand on a regular basis and observe the gloss recovery.
- · Repeat as necessary.

EQUIPMENT CLEANUP

Use clean Ketone–type solvents such as CM0110308. Do not allow material to cure inside equipment.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

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- Mix by volume.
- Add in order shown below. The Hardener and Reducer should be mixed into the clear component. Stir as components are added.

Order of Addition		Volume	U.S. Large Small		Metric Large Small	
SKY scapes	CM0850180 Clearcoat	1 Part	1 Gal.	1 Qt.	3.8 L	.95 L
SKYscapes	CM0850CH8 Clearcoat Repair Hardener	1 Part	1 Gal.	1 Qt.	3.8 L	.95 L
SKY scapes	CM0850CR9 Clearcoat Repair Reducer	1 Part	1 Gal.	1 Qt.	3.8 L	.95 L

- 3 Use mix immediately.
- 4 Typical use of this product is for clearcoat spot repairs without having to go to the nearest edge or seam.
- 5 Filter strain and apply.

