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# **Autoprep Pretreatment Wipes**

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#### **Health & Safety**

- Use suitable personal protection.
- When exposed to paint or solvents, the use of a fresh air supply respirator is suggested.



#### **Surface Preparation**

- Steel (Hot / Cold Rolled)
- Galvanized / Zinc Coated Steel
- Stainless Steel
- Aluminum alloy

### **Final Dry Sanding Steps**

- #P120 or red scuff pad
- #P180-#P220 or red scuff pad
- #P180
- #P180-#P220 or red scuff pad



### **Surface Cleaning**

 Use appropriate surface cleaners and proper cleaning technique to ensure a clean, contaminantfree substrate.



#### Apply by Hand

- Hand apply the pre-treatment solution using a tight, 50- 75% overlap motion.
  - Personal protection: The use of safety goggles, rubber gloves, and skin protection must be considered when using this product.



#### Application

- Apply a double wipe application, this could be a vertical and then immediately with a horizontal stroke motion.
- Complete wetting (sheeting) of the metal surface is necessary to allow the solution to react with the base metal.
  - Full wetting with fluid for 1 minute is necessary.



#### **Drying**

- Allow to dry at ambient air temperature
- You may accelerate the drying with low-velocity, warm, clean air.



\*Note:

### **Recoatable With**

- All AkzoNobel undercoats.\*
  - **Do not** recoat with polyester bodyfiller, including sprayable polyester.
  - > **Do not** recoat with Sikkens Autosealer WB or Autosurfacer Rapid.
  - > **Do not** expose object to outside weathering before recoating.
    - Maximum recoat time is 8 hours.
      - ✓ Use a tack cloth before applying subsequent coatings.

Read the complete TDS and the product Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for detailed product information.



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# Description

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#### **Product Assortment**



#### **Product**

- **Autoprep Pretreatment Wipes** 
  - Also known as Henkel, IDH#1406619

Item Number 1014570

Quantity 25 wipes



#### **Product Storage**

- Stock unopened or used products in approved closed containers with proper labeling.
- Store in moderate temperatures between 40°F 95°F (5°C 35°C). Avoid too much temperature fluctuation. Optimum storage temperature is approximately 70°F (21°C).
- Protect from freezing. If frozen, will be irreversibly damaged and should not be used.
- Keep container vertical. If exposed to extended storage duration, rotate container vertically.
- Wipes which dry out completely cannot be rejuvenated and should not be re-moistened by adding water to the package.
- Shelf life: 12 months. Refer to price sheet for the most up-to-date shelf life information.



#### **Notes**

Once the towels are completely dry, they may be disposed of through regular solid waste services. Once dry, the chemicals become inert and cannot be regenerated.

### **Product Characteristics**



#### Product

- Raw Material
- **Autoprep Pretreatment Wipes** Fluoride compounds and additional reactive ingredients.



# Theoretical coverage

1 pre-saturated towel

 $9 - 12 \text{ ft}^2 (0.8 - 1.1 \text{ m}^2)$ 

### **Surface Cleaning**



- Surfaces must be clean and free of surface contamination before coating. Use suitable cleaners and technique to ensure a clean surface.
  - Refer to specific surface cleaning TDS for detailed information.

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# **Suitable Substrates and Preparation**



Substrate	Sanding	Additional Information
Steel, Cold Rolled	<ul> <li>#P80 then #P120 dry or Red Scuff Pad</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>A 6" Scuffing Disc, Maroon (07467) on a Hook it back up pad with a random orbit sander is optional for large surface areas.</li> <li>Media blasting; #80 to #120 grit aluminum oxide at air pressure between 40 – 75 psi; option for part specific situations.</li> </ul>
Steel, Hot Rolled	<ul> <li>#P80 then #P120 dry or Red Scuff Pad</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Remove all mill scale.</li> <li>A 6" Scuffing Disc, Maroon (07467) on a Hook it back up</li> </ul>



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Galvanized Steel	o #P180 - #P220 dry or Red Scuff Pad	<ul> <li>A 6" Scuffing Disc, Maroon (07467) on a Hook it back up pad with a random orbit sander is optional for large surface areas.</li> </ul>	
Stainless Steel	o #P180, dry		
Aluminum	o #P180 dry or Red Scuff Pad	A 6" Scuffing Disc, Maroon (07467) on a Hook it back up pad with a random orbit sander is optional for large surface areas.	
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- Final clean the surface. Use suitable cleaners and proper technique to ensure a clean surface.
- The surface must be dry and free from grease, oil, and other foreign matter contaminants.
  - Refer to specific surface cleaning TDS for detailed information.

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# **Application**

Remove AutoPrep Pre-Treatment Wipes from sealed lidded dispenser.



 To avoid drying out of the towels. Please make sure the lid is tightly closed on the container immediately after dispensing.



- Hand apply the pre-treatment solution using a tight, 50- 75% overlap motion.
- Personal protection; the use of safety goggles, rubber gloves and skin protection must be considered when using this product.



- Apply a double wipe application, this could be a vertical and then immediately with a horizontal stroke motion.
- Complete wetting (sheeting) of the metal surface is necessary to allow the solution to react with the base metal.



- This wet layer should be on the surface for 1 minute to form a conversion coating with the bare metal.
- Bare substrate color change indicates proper application once drying periods have been completed.

# **Drying / Curing Time**



- Allow complete drying of the pretreated surface at ambient air temperature.
- If desired the use of warm, clean forced air (at low velocity) can be used to accelerate drying.

# Recoating



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- > **Do not** expose object to outside weathering before recoating.
  - ✓ Maximum recoat time is 8 hours. After 8 hours, scuff, clean and re-apply pretreatment before proceeding with subsequent coatings.
    - ✓ Use a tack cloth before applying subsequent coatings.

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# **VOC / Regulatory Information**



- Refer to the Henkel Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for AutoPrep Pretreatment Wipes, <u>IDH#1406619</u> to review the most current safety and regulatory information including VOC data. Accessible on the web at:
  - https://www.henkel-adhesives.com/us/en/search.html

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