

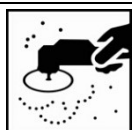
Autoprep Ultraprep Surface Cleaner

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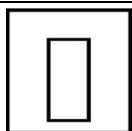
Health & Safety

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



Suitable Substrates

- Existing finishes
- Steel
- Galvanized steel
- Zinc coated steel
- Aluminum
- Plastic substrates



Mixing

- Mixing is not required. Autoprep Ultraprep Surface Cleaner is ready to use.



Step #1 – Pre-Cleaning

- Wash the repair with warm soap and water then dry.



Step #2 – Surface Cleaning

- Use a two-towel method incorporating clean, lint free towels.
- With the 1st towel, wet the surface and scrub to loosen contamination.

Note: Do not allow the surface cleaner to evaporate on the substrate or the contamination on the surface will remain. Do not use any colored wipes as the cleaner may remove the dye from the cloth and may cause surface contamination.




Step #3 – Dry the Surface

- With the 2nd towel wipe to dry until the surface is completely dry.



Recoatability

- Do not leave cleaned surfaces exposed for extended times before painting.

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Description

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Product Assortment

Product		Item Number	Container
• Autoprep Ultraprep Surface Cleaner		# 509927	– 1 Gallon

Surface Cleaning Technique



- Wash the repair area with soap and water.
- Then wet a clean cloth with the UltraPrep Surface Cleaner and clean the surface.
- Immediately thereafter, wipe the surface thoroughly dry with high quality absorbent cloths. Always use two cloths, as one cloth will merely shift rather than remove dirt and grease. Dry the surface thoroughly before the surface cleaner evaporates

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Surface Cleaning – Prior to Paint Application

- The purpose of surface cleaning is to remove residual grease, oil, wax, silicones, sand, etc. If this is not done, residual contaminant will remain in scratch marks during sanding. Adhesion of the paint system subsequently applied to the contaminated surface will be poor and could delaminate.
- Replace cloths being used for cleaning regularly by clean ones. Instead of placing used (wet) rags in a sealed container place them on the floor grating so that the solvents can evaporate, then place the dried cloths in the regular dustbin.

Points of Attention




Salt residue and blistering:

- Once the surface under treatment has been cleaned, it must never be touched with the bare hands. Salts, moisture and oils can be transferred to the prepared surface which may result in delamination or blistering problems. It is particularly important that hand protecting barrier creams never be used near an automotive that is being refinished.

Truck body constructions:

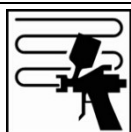
- It is important to prevent dirt residues from getting into construction joints of vans, semi-trucks, etc. during cleaning. They might cause adhesion problems when the paint is applied. Vertically fitted parts should, therefore, first be cleaned from the bottom upwards and subsequently from the top downwards.

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Condensation on metal surfaces:

- After a surface has been cleaned, solvent will evaporate. Heat needed for evaporation is withdrawn from that surface, making it colder than the surrounding atmosphere, which results in (often not visible) condensation on the surface. Allow the moisture sufficient time to evaporate. The first coat of paint can be applied as soon as the surface has regained the temperature of the surrounding atmosphere. Earlier application of the coat may lead to adhesion problems. The same problem may arise if a vehicle is transferred from a cold room to a warm one or from outdoors to indoors. Allow vehicles to acclimatize a minimum of one hour. Double-walled vehicles (and certainly insulated ones) require some hours to acclimatize.

VOC / Regulatory Information



Notice: Do not handle until the Safety Data Sheets have been read and understood. Regulations require that all employees be trained on Safety Data Sheets for all chemicals with which they come in contact. The manufacturer recommends the use of an air-supplied respirator when exposed to vapors or spray mist.

Autoprep Ultraprep Surface Cleaner VOC:

- AkzoNobel Autoprep Ultraprep Surface Cleaner – 8 g/L (0.07 lbs/gal)

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. Optimal storage temperature is approximately 70°F (21°C).
- If the product arrives in a frozen state due to shipping, thaw and use as recommended.
- Refer to the Product Shelf-Life Overview TDS or the current price list for the most up-to-date shelf-life information.

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