



Technical Data Sheet

CrystalCoat™ PR-765

Water-Based Primer

DESCRIPTION

CrystalCoat™ PR-765 is a water-based primer designed to impart adhesion to polycarbonate.

FEATURES

- Adhesion promotion for various coatings on polycarbonate
- Low VOC content
- Impact resistance
- Can be applied by dip or flow

STORAGE CONDITIONS

The recommended storage temperature for PR-765 is 20 - 23°C (60—80°F). When stored at this temperature in the original closed container, it is recommended to start use of PR-765 within six (6) months of the date received.

SOLUTION PROPERTIES

PROPERTY	TYPICAL VALUES
Solids	5.5 - 6.5 %
Viscosity @ 25°C	< 10.0 cP
Density @ 25°C	0.985 - 1.010 g/mL
Solvents: Water, EB Glycol Ether	

CURED FILM PROPERTIES

PROPERTY	TYPICAL VALUES
Adhesion	100 %
Primer Thickness	0.3 - 1.0 µm
Refractive Index	1.50

RECOMMENDED OPERATING GUIDELINES

PROPERTY	TYPICAL VALUES
Solids	4.5 - 6.5 %
Viscosity @ 25°C	< 10.0 cP
Environmental Conditions	20 - 25°C, 35 - 60% RH
Air Flow	Filtered, Laminar (Class 100)
Primer Temperature	20 - 23°C
Primer Filtration	1 - 5 µm absolute
Extraction Speed	1.7 mm/sec (4 in/min)
Dry Time/Temperature	3-5 min with IR or 30 min @ 20-25°C



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EQUIPMENT PREPARATION

Equipment Cleaning: Coating equipment should be cleaned prior to use of PR-765 in order to avoid any possible contamination problems. The cleaning process should include multiple solvent rinses (utilizing a solvent compatible with the material in prior use with the equipment) followed by a thorough methanol rinse. DI water should also be used for cleaning equipment after the use of PR-765.

Equipment Materials: All equipment surfaces that are exposed to PR-765 should be constructed of stainless steel, polypropylene or Teflon®. Other materials should be tested for compatibility with PR-765 prior to use. Materials made with polyvinyl chloride (PVC) should not be used under any circumstances with PR-765 or other primers or coatings that contain glycol ethers.

PRETREATMENT AND CLEANING OF SUBSTRATE

Prior to coating with PR-765, parts should be clean and free of any surface residues. Substrate should be cleaned in a 3-10% aqueous solution of sodium or potassium hydroxide detergent at 25 - 50°C for 1 - 10 minutes. This cleaning should be followed by city water rinsing, then DI water rinsing, and finally drying. Lenses should be completely clean, dry, and cooled before application of PR-765.

SOLUTION MANAGEMENT

For optimum performance, PR-765 should be maintained in a % solids range of 5.5-6.5%. Higher or lower solids can cause appearance problems or lead to a coating deposition that is either too thick or too thin, respectively. The % solids should be measured on a regular basis and adjusted as needed by the addition of SM-319 or a 93:7 mix of DI water and EB glycol ether.

HEALTH & SAFETY INFORMATION

Before using this product, read and understand the Safety Data Sheet, SDS, which provides information on health, physical, and environmental hazards, handling precautions and first aid recommendations. For a copy of an MSDS, contact a sales or customer service representative.

WARRANTY & LIABILITY LIMITATIONS

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PRODUCT SHIPPING & AVAILABILITY

Typical lead-time for shipment of PR-765 is four (4) weeks from confirmation of a purchase order. SDC provides several shipping options. Please contact an SDC representative to determine which option best fits your needs. All orders are shipped ex-works (freight collect). Additional shipment charges including customs clearance and fees (if applicable) are the responsibility of the customer.