

Technical Data Sheet				
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# Kapci 888 2K MS Clearcoat

## **Product description**

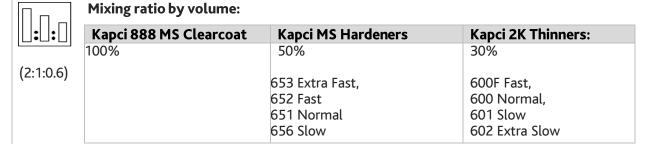
Kapci 888 is a 2K medium solids acrylic clearcoat especially formulated for applying over solvent-based basecoats. It delivers high gloss, high durable and long-lasting finish when used in conjunction with Kapci MS hardeners 651 Normal, 652 Fast, 653 Extra Fast or 656 Slow.

### **Substrates**

Kapci 888 clearcoat should be applied over Kapcibase and Laticobase solvent-based basecoats and properly prepared paint work in solid conditions.

Existing job should be properly sanded and degreased prior to applying the basecoat. For cleaning and degreasing of the surface, it is recommended to use Kapci Degreaser 605.

## **Application**





# **Application viscosity:**

15-18 s (DIN4/20°C)



#### Pot life:

4 h at 20°C



#### Spray gun tips:

Spray Nozzle		Inlet pressure	Atomization pressure	
Compliant	1.2-1.3mm	2 bars (26- 29 psi)		
HVLP	1.2-1.3mm	2 bars (26- 29 psi)	0.7bar (8-10 psi)	
Conventional	1.2-1.3mm	3-3.5 bar (45-50 psi)		

For best overall results, refer to the spray gun manufacturer's recommendation.





### Number of coats:

Apply 2 normal coats.

Total dry film thickness 50-60 microns.



### Flash off time:

5-10 min/20°C between coats; 20 min/20°C before baking



### **Drying time:**

Hardener	20°C	60°C	
656 Slow	16-18h	35	
651 Normal	14-16h	30min	
652 Fast	12-14h	25min	
653 Extra Fast	6-8h	20min	



## **IR Drying:**

Short wave\*: 10-15 min

\*Guideline for IR equipment. Refer to the IR equipment manufacturer's instruction for set up.

#### Choice of hardener

Choice of	Size of repair and temperature						
hardener and thinner	Spot and partial repair			Whole car repair			
Temperature	Up to 20°	,C	Up to 25°C	Up to 30°C	More than 30°C		
Hardener	653		652	651	656		
Thinner	600F		600/600F	600	601 more than 30	602 more than 35	
					more than 50	more than 55	

### Use of accelerator 6510

Kapci 6510 is an additive for acceleration of drying time and may be added in the mixture of the clearcoat and hardener at a level of 4-9 mass % prior to the addition of the thinner. The addition of Kapci 6510 will reduce pot life to 2-3 hours.

**Note**: Kapci 6510 Accelerator must not be mixed with extra fast and fast drying hardeners and is recommended for the temperature range 10°C-20°C.

## **Rectification and polishing**

Kapci 888 clearcoat does not require polishing as it offers excellent gloss. In case that some dirt has occurred, denib with P2000 or finer and polish by machine using Kapci K40 Polish Compound.



## Other tips

- 1. For optimum application, ensure that both spray booth temperature and paint temperature are between 20°C and 25°C.
- 2. Clean the spraygun thoroughly immediately after use of 2K products.

## VOC (2004/42/EC)

2004/42/IIB(e) (840)560

The EU limit value for this product (product category: IIB.e) in ready for use form is maximum 840 g/l of VOC.

The VOC content of this product in ready for use form is maximum 560 g/l.

## **Health and Safety**

- 1. For full Health and Safety information please refer to Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS).
- 2. Observe the precautionary notices displayed on the container.
- 3. Goggles and suitable protective equipment must be worn while using these products.
- 4. Good ventilation must be provided in the working environment.