



Technical Data Sheet

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Product Code	Product Name	
CUK-	Custom Clear™	

Custom Clear™ is a premium low viscosity 2K clear coat, specially developed for custom spray painting. Ideal for general clear coating, layering, sealing flakes, candies, and flow coating. Used with different hardener speeds, gives excellent curing, good UV protection with glass like finishes. Custom Clear™ can also be used with DNA® candy concentrates to create an easy-to-use 2K urethane candy finishes over suitable DNA® basecoats

Always check the [DNA® website](#) that you have the latest TDS ([Technical Data Sheet](#)) and SDS ([Safety Data Sheet](#))

DETAILED APPLICATION GUIDE:



SDS: Observe all safety precautions in relation such as gloves, spray suit, breathing mask etc.



THEORETICAL COVERAGE: 6~8 sq m per litre approximate.



PREPARATION: If applying over an existing 2K clear coat, sand using P800~1200 wet or P600~800 dry orbital sander. Wipe with suitable Tack Cloth



SURFACE PREP: Thoroughly clean the surface using DNA® Wax & Grease Remover then dry.



SUBSTRATE: For use over DNA® BaZecoats™, Candy ColorZ™ & other DNA® Special FX products as well as previously painted substrates that are properly prepared. Surface must be chemically clean and dry.



MIXING: Mix Ratio:
4: Parts Custom Clear™, 1: Part FX Hardener & mix thoroughly. No reducer required.



SPRAYING VISCOSITY: Ford 4 Cup 16~18 sec.



FILTER: Strain mixed clearcoat into spray gun, use 190-micron filter.



URETHANE CANDY: **Mixing ratio**, add up to 20% DNA® Candy Concentrate prior to Hardening. Apply up to 3-4 coats with 70% overlap. Flash off between coats 15-20 min's minimum. Once cured, lightly sand with a scotch brite pad, and overcoat with DNA® clear coat of your choice.



IMPORTANT: For Urethane Candy Must filter through DNA® Micro Fine filter part: FIL-01 to reduce possible seeding.



HTE GUN SET UP

1.2~1.4 Fluid tip
15~25 cm Spray distance
35~45 psi Air pressure 15~25 cm Fan size



HVLP GUN SET UP

1.2~1.4 Fluid tip
10~15 cm Spray distance
30 psi at the cap 15~25 cm Fan size



SPRAYING: Apply 2 medium wet coats with a 60% spray overlap. Allow flash time between each coat. After baking, allow sufficient time to cure before polishing. Allow 30 days for full cure. Additional time will be required depending on hardener and reducer speed or if cooler temperatures are experienced during the out-gassing period. If air drying much longer periods, 3 or 4 times longer may be required. If needing to bury flakes etc., 3-4 or more coats, may be required with additional 20~30 minutes flash off time between each coat. (Refer notes on Flow Coating.



FLASH OFF@ 25°C:

5~10 min (Fast Hardener)
10~15 min (Medium Hardener)
15~20 min (Slow Hardener)

Note: Longer flash times will be required for subsequent coats to ensure proper solvent outgassing.



CURING TIMES:

Dust Free @ 25°C
45~60 min (Slow Hardener)

Air Dry Touch @ 25°C:
12 Hr. Medium Hardener.

Baking @ 60°C:
40~50 min (Medium Hardener)



POT LIFE:

2 Hr. Medium Hardener



CLEAN UP: Clean equipment with Gun wash, Reducer or Thinners.

Important: For Professional Use Only.

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Always buy enough product to complete the entire job.

If using more than one container of the same colour, always mix all container contents together (boxing) to ensure consistency of colour

Warranty: DNA® will replace any faulty or defective goods.

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