

## DPLV 2.1 Epoxy Primer

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DP48LV (White)  
 DP50LV (Gray)  
 DP90LV (Black)

DPLV 2.1 VOC Epoxy Primer provides excellent adhesion and corrosion resistance to many types of properly prepared steel, aluminum, and fiberglass substrates. DPLV Epoxy Primer may also be used as a sealer and top coated with many of PPG's two component urethane undercoats and topcoats as well as waterborne basecoat.

DPLV 2.1 Epoxy Primer is available in 3 colors, DP48LV White, DP50LV Gray and DP90LV Black and can be blended together to achieve the full range of gray shades, G1 - G7.



### Features

Direct to Metal  
 Primer / Sealer  
 Three Colors  
 Quarts and Gallons

### Advantages

Anti-Corrosion  
 Multi-Purpose  
 Mix and Match  
 Does Not Require The  
 Use of an Etch Primer

### Benefits

Excellent Adhesion  
 Fewer Products to Stock  
 Faster Hiding of Topcoat

### Compatible Surfaces

#### DPLV may be applied over:

- Properly cleaned and sanded steel
- Properly cleaned and sand blasted steel
- Properly cleaned and sanded galvanized steel
- Properly cleaned and sanded aluminum
- Properly cleaned and sanded fiberglass
- Properly cleaned (un-sanded) E-Coat
- Various cleaned and sanded Rigid Plastics: ABS, Nylon, Polycarbonate, Noryl, PBT SMC
- Properly cleaned and sanded OEM and fully cured refinish paints.
- OneChoice® Plastics System

**NOTE:** DPLV is direct to metal and **MUST NOT** be applied over etch or wash primers.



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## Directions For Use

### Preparation:



Wash the area to be painted with soap and water, then clean with SWX350 *H<sub>2</sub>O -So-Clean* Wax and Grease Remover, DX393 0.6 Low VOC Cleaner or DX394 1.4 Low VOC Cleaner.

Sand the bare metal areas completely with 80-180 grit abrasive. Sand old finishes with 320-400 grit dry by hand or machine or 600 grit wet.



Re-clean with SWX350 *H<sub>2</sub>O -So-Clean* Wax and Grease Remover, DX393 0.6 Low VOC Cleaner or DX394 1.4 Low VOC Cleaner.

Prime aluminum substrate within 8 hours.  
Prime carbon steel immediately after cleaning.

### Mixing:



**DPLV 2.1  
Epoxy Primer**

**DP401LV 2.1  
Epoxy Hardener**

**D 87xx / DT18xx  
Reducers**

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### Additives:

None



Pot life: 8 hours @ 70°F (21°C).

**Note:** Thoroughly mix primer, catalyst and thinner. Mechanical agitation is recommended. No induction period is necessary.

### Spray Gun Set-up:



#### Standard

#### Flexible Parts\*

Apply:	1-2 wet coats	1 full wet coat
Fluid Tip:	1.4-1.6 mm	1.4-1.6 mm
Air Pressure: HVLP	8-10 PSI at the cap	8-10 PSI at the cap
Conventional:	40-50 PSI at the gun	40-50 PSI at the gun

\* Note: Un-primed plastics will require the use of the OneChoice Plastics system and adhesion promoter prior to the application of DPLV 2.1 Epoxy Primer.

### Dry Times:



#### Standard

#### Flexible Parts

Between Coats:	10-15 minutes	Between Coats:	N/A
To Topcoat:		To Topcoat:	
1 Coat	30 minutes	1 Coat	30 minutes
2 Coats	60 minutes		



#### To Apply Body Filler:

1 Coat	1 hour
2 Coats	Overnight Dry



Note: DPLV Epoxy Primer may be recoated any time up to 1 week.

After 1 week:

- It must be cleaned, sanded and re-cleaned.
- Reapply 1 additional coat of DPLV Epoxy Primer.

## DPLV Gray Shade Mixing Chart

This chart can be used to mix the DPLV 2.1 Epoxy Primer. The G1 - G7 ratios will help to achieve better hiding when used as a guide for mixing the DPLV 2.1 Epoxy Primer.

Mix Ratio By Volume			Mix Ratio By Cumulative Weight							
			Grams				Parts			
	Mix Ratio		¼ Pint	½ Pint	Pint	Quart	¼ Pint	½ Pint	Pint	Quart
G1	DP48LV	2	90	180	360	720	102	203	406	812
	DP401LV	1	122	243	486	971	137	274	548	1095
	D87xx / DT18xx	1	157	314	628	1256	177	354	708	1416
G2	DP48LV	1.6	72	144	288	576	81	162	325	650
	DP50LV	.4	89	177	354	708	100	200	399	798
	DP401LV	1	120	240	480	959	136	271	541	1082
	D87xx / DT18xx	1	156	311	622	1244	176	351	702	1403
G3	DP48LV	1.5	92	185	270	540	76	152	304	609
	DP50LV	.5	88	176	353	706	99	199	398	796
	DP401LV	1	120	239	478	957	134	269	539	1079
	D87xx / DT18xx	1	155	310	621	1242	175	350	700	1401
G4	DP48LV	.5	23	45	90	180	26	51	102	203
	DP50LV	1.5	84	169	338	676	95	190	381	762
	DP401LV	1	116	232	463	927	130	261	522	1045
	D87xx / DT18xx	1	152	303	606	1212	171	342	684	1367
G5	DP50LV	2	83	166	331	662	93	186	373	746
	DP401LV	1	114	228	456	913	129	258	515	1030
	D87xx / DT18xx	1	150	300	599	1198	169	338	676	1351
G6	DP50LV	1	42	83	166	331	46	93	186	373
	DP90LV	1	82	164	328	656	92	185	370	740
	DP401LV	1	114	227	454	907	128	256	512	1023
	D87xx / DT18xx	1	149	298	596	1192	168	336	672	1344
G7	DP90LV	2	81	162	325	650	92	183	366	733
	DP401LV	1	112	225	450	901	127	254	508	1016
	D87xx / DT18xx	1	148	296	593	1186	167	334	669	1338

**Tinting:** DPLV Epoxy Primer cannot be tinted.  
DPLV Epoxy colors may be blended together.  
**Note: Do Not** blend DPLV and DPLF together.

**Equipment Cleaning:** Thoroughly clean after each use with All Purpose Clean Up Solvent.

**Technical Data:**

<b>RTS Combinations:</b>	<b>DP48LV : DP401LV : D87xx/DT18xx</b>	<b>DP50LV : DP401LV : D87xx/DT18xx</b>	<b>DP90LV : DP401LV : D87xx/DT18xx</b>
Volume Ratio:	2 : 1 : 1	2 : 1 : 1	2 : 1 : 1
Applicable Use Category	Primer	Primer	Primer
VOC Actual (g/L)	146	149	143
VOC Actual (lbs/gal)	1.22	1.24	1.19
VOC Regulatory (less water less exempt) (g/L)	248	250	250
VOC Regulatory (less water less exempt) (lbs/gal)	2.07	2.09	2.09
Density (g/L)	1293-1362	1231-1300	1219-1288
Density (lbs/gal)	10.79-11.37	10.27-10.85	10.17-10.75
Volatiles wt. %	45.2-48.0	47.4-50.2	48.8-51.6
Water wt. %	0.0-0.1	0.0-0.1	0.0-0.1
Exempt wt. %	33.7-37.1	35.1-38.5	36.8-40.2
Water vol. %	0.0-0.1	0.0-0.1	0.0-0.1
Exempt vol. %	40.7	40.2	42.4

**Important:**

The contents of this package must be blended with other components before the product can be used. Before opening the packages, be sure you understand the warning messages on the labels of all components, since the mixture will have the hazards of all its parts. Improper spray technique may result in a hazardous condition. Follow spray equipment manufacturer's instructions to prevent personal injury or fire. Follow directions for respirator use. Wear eye and skin protection. Observe all applicable precautions.

**See Material Safety Data Sheet and Labels for additional safety information and handling instructions.**

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