



AUTOMOTIVE

TAMCO PAINT

2 Hour Clearcoat HC7600

HC7600 2 Hour Dry Clearcoat is a medium to high solids clearcoat that has excellent flow, leveling and gloss retention, but dries to handle in only 2 hours. This clear has the gloss of OEM finishes, which makes it an ideal product for general collision or even mobile repair.

At 45% solids it still provides plenty of film build for the custom and collision industry. As with many of the other Tamco® clears **HC7600** is manufactured from direct to metal resins. This means clear can be applied directly over properly sanded and cleaned metal where protection from the elements is required. Outstanding gloss and durability at a reasonable price.



Features & Benefits

- Spot/Panel
- 2 hour dry
- Very fast dry and cure
- Ideal for collision and mobile repair
- Out of dust quickly
- OEM finish
- 45% solids content
- Easy to spray / User friendly
- Direct to metal and aluminum
- 97-99% on gloss meter
- High UV resistance
- Durable (excellent weathering)
- Water white clarity

Compatible Surfaces

- Sanded metal or aluminum
- All Tamco® Basecoats, HC895 & CC3000
- Other premium basecoats, but no warranty implied

Required products

- Tamco® HH76XX series hardeners.
 - HH7603
 - HH7605
 - HH7607

Optional

- HR1370
- HR1380
- HR1390
- Pot Life Extender
- 1010 Fisheye Eliminator
- HR900 Retarder
- HP Flat
- Flo N Go

(See our "What Temperature should I choose PDF" for a guideline on which suits your current job)

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Surface Preparation:

Thoroughly clean with HR397 Wax and Grease Remover and wipe dry with clean cloth.
Plastics: Clean with HR397 Wax and Grease Remover using a Scotch-Brite pad, wipe dry with clean cloth.

Mix Ratio:

	Component		Volume
	HC7600 Clear	Clear	4
	HH7603/7605/7607	Activator	1

Note: Use only Tamco® Reducers. Our reducers are completely moisture free. Moisture in reducer will kill the shine of our clears.

Additives:



HR900 Retarder, Pot-Life Extender, HP1001 Accelerator, HH1010 Fisheye Eliminator, Flo N Go: 1-2 oz per spray able Quart.

HR Reducers: up to 10%

HP Flat: Refer to our HP Flat TDS sheet for mixing instructions.

Air Pressure & Gun Setups:



Gun Setups:

HVLP

Siphon Feed: 1.2 mm – 1.3 mm

Gravity Feed: 1.2 mm – 1.3 mm

Conventional

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Gravity Feed: 1.2 mm – 1.3 mm

25-29 PSI at the gun

5-10 PSI at the cap

Air Pressures Conventional: Always refer to your gun manual for their advice in using our products.

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Application:



1. Allow Tamco basecoat to dry from 30 minutes to 8 hours.
2. Apply first medium-wet coat.
3. Allow 10-15 minute flash at 78°F between coats
4. Apply second wet coat. (Two coats are generally sufficient, unless you plan to cut and buff.)
5. Apply a 3rd coat (if needed) and let sit for 2-3 Hours. (3rd coat will increase dry times)
6. Apply over Tamco® Base, HC895 Intercoat & Clearcoat or CC3000 Candy Carrier.

On Metal:

- Clean substrate first with soap and water.
 - Use Tamco® HR397 (or HR397W) Wax and Grease remover.
 - Dry sand substrate using 180 Grit to remove rust, or surface damage.
 - Dry sand substrate with 320 grit to remove your 180 grit scratches.
 - Finish with 400-600 grit.
- Clean the substrate again with HR397 (or HR397W) Wax and Grease remover.
 - Final Clean: Clean the substrate for the last time with HR398 Final Wipe.

Drying Times:



Air Dry: 2-3 hours @ 78°F

Tape Time: 1-2 hours

Baking: Do not bake

Wet Sanding:



Sand with 400-600 grit if re-coat is needed.

Polishing:



Finish sanding. After 2 hour cure time, dry or wet sand adding a small amount of dish soap to water and wet sand with 800 grit and work your way to 1500-2000 grit then 3000 grit before buffing.

Follow the recommendations on the polish you use.

For best results use Tamco's® 2 step polish.

Do not wax for 120 days



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Tamco® Tips:



Tips:

1. To increase air dry time, a minimum temperature of 60°F must be maintained. Sanded surface should be re-sanded if not top-coated within 8 hours.
2. In 90°F + using HR900 retarder or pot life extender will help slow it down, prevent dry spray, control your flash times, and helps prevent die back.
3. When using hardeners, be sure the mixture is stirred thoroughly.
4. Apply over Tamco® Base, HC895 Intercoat & Clearcoat or CC3000 Candy Carrier.

Flow Coat: Add 5-10% HR1390 Very Slow Reducer and apply 1 wet coat, followed by second wet coat with 30-40 minute flash times between coats.

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Equipment Cleaning:

Lacquer Thinner or HR1360 is an excellent cleaner.

Cold Shop Conditions:

Do not spray under 65°F or above 90°F.



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TECHNICAL DATA & PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Colors: Clear

Mix Ratio: 4:1

Viscosity: (RTS) 18-22 sec. EZ Zahn #2

Pot Life: 1-4 hours depending on temperature

Mix Ratio: 4:1

Theoretical Dry Film: 420 ft² @ 1 Mil Weight Solids (RTS) 45%

Color & Gloss Holdout: Excellent

Volume Solids (RTS): 41%

Humidity Resistance: Good

Weight Per Gallon: 7.50 lbs.

Solvent Resistance: Good

Topcoat Times: 30 min. at 1 mils or less

Repair Ability: Excellent

Florida Exposure: Good

Package VOC: 3.6 # / gal

Chip Resistance: Good

RTS VOC: 3.6 # / gal

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

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.

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