

Number Five Gloss Clearcoat 2K Set enhances the finish and gloss of your scale models.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

The target surfaces must be clean, dry and properly prepared: if necessary, sand, clean and dry them thoroughly before coating. We recommend using the **Number Five Surface Cleaner**.

Mix TWO (2) measures of the **Gloss Clearcoat 2K Lacquer** bottle with ONE (1) measure of the **Hardener** bottle in a new and unused mixing cup.

It is not necessary to add solvent to the mix, but if you prefer a more fluid mixture you can add a few drops of the **Number Five Lacquer Thinner**.

Blend both components with a glass or metallic rod, stirring the mix for at least 2 minutes, and let it settle down for at least 5 minutes.

Fill the airbrush with enough mixture to suit your needs and apply it in thin layers, using your airbrush as usual.

When finished, clean your airbrush with **Number Five Airbrush Cleaner**.

Observe a minimum drying time of at least 5 hours (dry-to-touch time).

Discard the mixture surplus: do NOT store it or pour it back into the bottles.

The unused product deteriorates with time, light and humidity. We always recommend using fresh products and discarding the jars within a maximum period of six months.

IMPROVE YOUR RESULTS:

This product can react with your model plastic materials. Always make use of a plastic primer to protect them.

Glossiness and quality of the final result depend significantly on the overall thickness of the applied layers. If the overall thickness is too thin, it will show a low gloss and the surface will get a "wet" effect. If it's too thick, it will look too shiny and the surface will get a "candy" effect.

Let the **Gloss Clearcoat** dry two days before sanding or applying polishing compounds.

TROUBLESHOOTING:

- Veiling on transparent zones: the components of this product may react on transparent pieces. NEVER varnish these pieces.
- Decals: your decals must be thoroughly stuck to your model surface and completely dry. If there's any remaining air under the decals, it could bulge up during the application or drying of the varnish. For aged decals, we recommend to protect them first with a thin layer of acrylic varnish before applying this product.
- Craters: if small craters develop on the surface while applying this product, it's often caused by the existence of dirt, grease, unmoulding compounds, silicones or polish remains, either on the target surface or in any of the tools used in the mixing or painting process (rods, mixing cup, airbrush cup, etc...). If that happens, we recommend you to stop the process at once, leave the surface dry for at least 24 hours, and restart the varnishing process from the top once the source of contamination has been removed.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS:

This product is highly flammable. Make sure you keep it away from fire, sparks or heat sources. It is harmful for water organisms, and may cause long-term adverse effects in the water environment. Follow these instructions carefully. Don't use this product for anything other than its intended use.

Avoid skin contact. Use gloves to protect your hands and safety glasses to protect your eyes. Use this product only in a well ventilated environment, and wear a protection mask with active carbon filters. This product is toxic by inhalation, and vapours may cause drowsiness and dizziness.

This product is not a toy. Keep away from children. Usage is forbidden for people under 18 years old. In case of fire, spray with water, anti-alcohol foam, dry chemical dust or carbon dioxide.

