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Brand: CERAKOTE | **Model:** MC-156 PRO High Gloss Ceramic Clear

1. INTRODUCTION

The CERAKOTE MC-156 PRO High Gloss Ceramic Clear is a high-performance, air-cured ceramic clear coating designed to restore and protect various surfaces. This product offers industry-leading hardness, chemical resistance, wear performance, and UV stability. It is formulated for easy application and can be used as a top coat over metals, paints, composites, plastics, PVD, and more, providing exceptional gloss and durability.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: Statements regarding this product have not been evaluated by the FDA and are not intended to diagnose, treat, cure, or prevent any disease or health condition. This product is intended for automotive and industrial coatings. Always use in a well-ventilated area. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, including gloves and eye protection, when handling and applying the product. Keep out of reach of children. Refer to the product's Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for detailed safety information.

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The CERAKOTE MC-156 PRO High Gloss Ceramic Clear is a lower viscosity version of MC-160, allowing for application at lower film thicknesses (0.25 mil) where tolerance is critical. It provides a high-gloss finish with color stability up to 300°F. This air-cured ceramic clear coating is ideal for paint protection, removing scratches, water spots, grease, and oxidation.



Figure 1: CERAKOTE MC-156 PRO High Gloss Ceramic Clear Product Bottle.



Figure 2: Overview of CERAKOTE MC-Series, highlighting its air-cure properties and versatility across various materials.

4. PREPARATION

Proper surface preparation is crucial for optimal adhesion and performance of the ceramic coating. Ensure the application is performed in a clean environment, out of direct sunlight.

- Surface Correction:** The vehicle's paint should already be corrected. This typically includes steps like clay barring to remove contaminants and paint correction (polishing) to eliminate swirls and imperfections.
- Final Wipe:** Finish the preparation by wiping the paint with isopropyl alcohol. This step removes any residue from the paint correction process, ensuring a clean surface for coating application.

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Video 1: Professional Ceramic Paint Coating Application Video. This video demonstrates the preparation and application process for CERAKOTE ceramic paint coatings.

5. APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps for applying the CERAKOTE MC-156 PRO High Gloss Ceramic Clear:

- 1. Shake Bottle:** Shake the product bottle for approximately 30 seconds to ensure proper mixing.
- 2. Prepare Applicator:** Use a microfiber application pad. Generously wet the surface of the pad with the ceramic clear coating. The pad should feel slick and glide across the surface.
- 3. Apply in Sections:** Work in manageable sections, typically 3-foot areas. Apply the coating using a cross-hatch application method, ensuring even coverage.
- 4. Finish Edges:** After covering the main area of the section, carefully finish off the edges.
- 5. Inspect:** Inspect the section to ensure there are no missed areas and touch up as needed.
- 6. Buffing:** Start a timer for 5 minutes. After 5 minutes, begin buffing the surface using new, high-quality microfiber cloths. A two-towel buffing method is recommended: one towel to level and remove excess coating, and a second towel to buff to a deep shine.
- 7. Rewet Applicator:** For each new section, rewet your application pad with additional coating to maintain proper saturation.

6. CURING & POST-APPLICATION

Adhere to the following curing guidelines for best results:

- Ready to Return:** Allow the coating to cure for a minimum of 2 hours at 65°F (18°C) or higher before returning the vehicle to the customer or exposing it to moisture.
- Ready to Wash:** Allow the coating to cure for a full 24 hours at 65°F (18°C) or higher before washing the vehicle.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

- Item Weight:** 4 ounces
- Item Model Number:** MC-156 PRO High Gloss Ceramic Clear
- Brand:** CERAKOTE
- Item Form:** Liquid
- Specific Uses For Product:** Automotive and industrial coatings
- Recommended Uses For Product:** For Paint Protection, Removes Scratches, Removes Water Spots, Removes Grease, Removes Oxidation
- Key Features:** Industry-leading hardness, chemical resistance, wear performance, UV stability, color stability to 300°F, easy application.

8. SUPPORT

For any questions or comments regarding your CERAKOTE product, please contact our customer service or technical support team:

- Customer Service:** 1-866-774-7628
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