Basecoat WB MAZ46G Machine Grey

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DESCRIPTION

Machine Grey 46G is one of Mazda's state of the art finishes to compliment Kodo design using its Takuminuri paint technology.

The repair of this color is based on the standard 2 stage TDS application with an additional 2-3 overthinned basecoat layers to achieve its specific fine effect and finish of this color.

Mazda's description of this color:

"This color gives the impression that the vehicle's body has been sculpted from a solid steel ingot"

COLOR CHECK

Correct color match needs to be done by producing a number of color spray-out samples. Prepare a set of 4 spray out panels applied with a black filler sanded with a minimum of P1000 grit and position them side by side.

- Apply Basecoat WB GT MAZ46G according to TDS L1.09.02 (including mist coat) to all panels. Remove and store one panel marked as number 1.
- Add 200% of Activator WB to the Basecoat WB GT MAZ46G color. Apply this mixture at increased distance as a standard mist coat to the remaining 3 panels. Remove one panel and mark it as **number 2**
- **3**. Again, apply this mixture at increased distance as a standard mist coat to the remaining 2 panels. Remove one panel and mark it as **number 3**
- Apply this mixture at increased distance as a standard mist coat to the remaining panel. Mark this panel as number 4

Note: Ensure to use the same application technique on the vehicle!

After the final mist coat leave the basecoat to flash off completely, or cure for 10 minutes at 60°C and leave to cool down before applying the clearcoat

Complete the sprayout collection as painting the repair / vehicle

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SURFACE PREPARATION

Black Filler area Final sanding step P500 Initial sanding steps may be executed with a coarser sanding grit (P320 – P400)
Preparation blending area WB GT 02 or 02/04 Final sanding step P1000 Initial sanding steps may be executed with a coarser sanding grit (P600-P800)
Surface cleaning Remove any surface contamination using an appropriate surface cleaner

BASECOAT WB GT PRECOAT / WET BED

	100 10	Basecoat WB GT 02 or WB GT 02:04 (mixing ratio 60:40) Activator WB
	Apply one fl	owing coat the entire area under repair.
$\frac{1}{1}$		increasing airflow and or heat until completely dry. , allow the surface to cool down

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	10	Activator WB		
	Spray gui	n set-up:	Application pressure:	
	1.3 mm		1.7 bar at the air inlet	
			HVLP max 0.6-0.7 bar at the air ca	р
	2 x 1 + mi	st coat		



Allow to flash-off until completely matt and dry.

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	Spray gun set-up:	Application pressure:		
	1.3 mm	1.7 bar at the air inlet		
		HVLP max 0.6-0.7 bar at the air cap		
	Application effect layers*	1-3 mist coats*		
	*Increase distance,	*Due to the low viscosity, shake spray gun		
- F	apply coats in even layers	prior to application of the next coat		
<u>/†/†/</u>	Between coats:	Before clearcoat:		
	Until completely matt and dry	Bake for 10 minutes at 60°C.		
	Clearcoat application			
	See clearcoat T.D.S.			
	With the application of the clearcoat, apply a thin closed 1st layer			
	Use suitable respiratory protection			
	Akzo Nobel Car Refinishes recommends the use of a fresh air supply respirator.			

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