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Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to match vehicle or component direct gloss solid paint colours using original equipment manufacturer (OEM) paint codes. This unit involves preparing for the task, selecting and using specialist tools and equipment, identifying paint codes, preparing colour matching test cards, mixing and spraying paint and conducting a visual colour match, and completing workplace processes and documentation.

The unit applies to those working in the automotive refinishing industry.

No licensing, legislative, regulatory or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.

Unit Sector

Vehicle Body Technical - Paint

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENTS	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
<i>Elements describe the essential outcomes.</i>	<i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>
1. Prepare for work	1.1 Identify job requirements from workplace instructions 1.2 Identify hazards associated with the work, assess potential risks and implement control measures in line with workplace policies and procedures 1.3 Identify tools, equipment and chemicals required for repair activity and establish serviceability according to workplace procedures
2. Mix direct gloss solid paint colours	2.1 Set up and operate paint mixing system according to manufacturer specifications and workplace procedures 2.2 Mix paint according to manufacturer specifications,

ELEMENTS	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
	approved colour matching method, workplace procedures, workplace health and safety and environmental requirements
3. Prepare colour test card and perform visual matching	3.1 Prepare and spray colour matching test cards according to workplace procedures 3.2 Carry out visual matching, make comparisons between matched and original paint, and record paint codes according to workplace procedures, OEM paint codes, workplace health and safety and environmental requirements 3.3 Remix paint for further matching prior to application if first mix does not match original paint
4. Complete work processes	4.1 Conduct final inspection according to workplace procedures and confirm vehicle is ready for use 4.2 Clear work area and dispose of or recycle materials according to workplace procedures 4.3 Complete documentation according to workplace procedures

Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential to performance but not explicit in the performance criteria.

SKILL	DESCRIPTION
Learning	Locates required sources of information efficiently.
Reading	- Interprets workplace instructions such as job cards - Organises and interprets technical information from workplace procedures, manufacturer specifications, industry standards and paint technical data sheets (TDS) and safety data sheets (SDS).
Oral communication	- Clarifies instructions and procedures - Reports quality issues and job outcomes clearly.
Numeracy	- Interprets OEM paint codes and formulas - Sets and use paint mixing system - Sets painting equipment air pressure - Uses basic mathematical operations, including addition, subtraction, multiplication and division to: - determine ratios - calculate quantities of paint and materials.
Planning and organising	Plans own work requirements

SKILL	DESCRIPTION
	• Prioritises actions to achieve required outcomes • Ensure tasks are completed within workplace timeframes.
Technology	• Uses specialist tools • Uses computerised system and equipment.

Unit Mapping Information

Supersedes and is equivalent to AURVTP015 Match direct gloss solid paint colour on vehicles or components.

Links

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Performance Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate the ability to complete the tasks outlined in the elements, performance criteria and foundation skills of this unit, including evidence of the ability to:

- perform visual paint colour matching on at least three different vehicle panels.

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must be able to demonstrate knowledge to complete the tasks outlined in the elements, performance criteria and foundation skills of this unit, including knowledge of:

- methods to locate and interpret information required to match direct gloss solid paint colour on vehicles or components, including:
 - original equipment manufacturer (OEM) paint colour codes and formulas
- workplace procedures required to match direct gloss solid paint colour on vehicles or components including:
 - establishing the serviceability of tools and equipment
 - documentation procedures
 - housekeeping procedures including:
 - examination of tools and equipment
 - storage of equipment
 - identification, tagging and isolation of faulty equipment
 - disposal of excess materials
 - recycling procedures
- workplace health and safety (WHS) requirements relating to matching direct gloss solid paint colour on vehicles or components, including procedures for:
 - selecting and using personal protective equipment (PPE)
 - using technical data sheets (TDS) and safety data sheets (SDS) for paint materials
 - handling and storing paint materials
 - using tools and equipment
 - using approved drying area

- environmental requirements relating to matching direct gloss solid paint colour on vehicles or components, including procedures for trapping, storing and disposing of waste materials
- types and application methods for automotive paint
- types and use of painting tools and equipment, including:
 - tinting system
 - paint measuring scales
 - paint strainers
 - spray guns
 - approved spray area
 - polishing and cleaning equipment
 - metal or cardboard colour matching test cards
- types and use of paint materials, including:
 - direct gloss two-pack enamels
 - paint hardeners
 - paint reducers
 - cleaning materials
- types and use of paint colour matching equipment, including:
 - paint mixing systems
 - spray gun set-up, use and maintenance
 - paint drying equipment and methods
 - correct use of positive air feed masks
- colour matching methods and techniques for solid colour paints, including:
 - mixing system set-up and operation
 - colour test cards
 - visual colour matching tests, including opacity and film build, texture and peel
 - wet to wet matching
 - edge to edge matching
 - hard line matching
 - dabbing
 - paint mixing techniques
 - using paint codes when matching
 - spraying techniques
 - drying procedures
 - paint mixing methods
 - paint thinning methods
 - appropriate light sources
- procedures for protecting vehicle and components when colour matching
- procedures for final inspection of completed solid colour matching.

Assessment Conditions

Competency is to be assessed in the workplace or a simulated environment that accurately reflects performance in a real workplace setting.

Assessment must include direct observation of task.

Where assessment of competency includes third-party evidence, individuals must provide evidence that links them to the direct gloss solid paint colour they have matched to vehicles or components, e.g. repair orders.

Assessors must verify performance evidence through questioning on skills and knowledge to ensure correct interpretation and application.

The following resources must be made available:

- automotive repair workplace or simulated workplace
- workplace instructions
- OEM paint codes and specifications
- TDS and SDS for paint materials
- PPE required to colour match direct gloss solid paint colours
- colour test cards
- paint and materials to colour match solid paint colours
- three different painted vehicle panels requiring colour matching of direct gloss solid paint
- tools, equipment and materials appropriate for matching direct gloss solid paint colour on vehicles or components.

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.

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