



# Easy Steps to Success

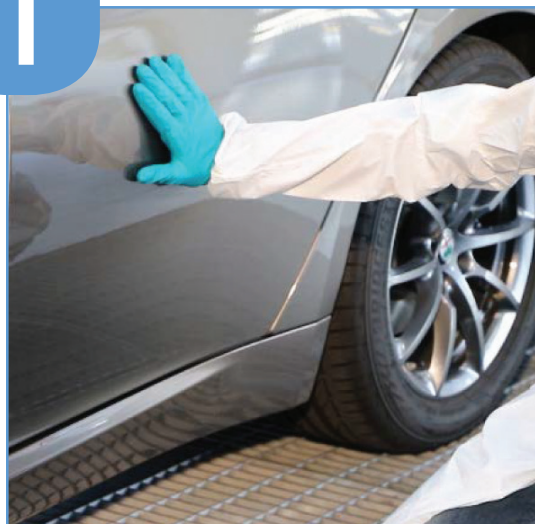
Match Rating		
	Blendable	Check colour
Metallic/ Mica	10 or Less	More than 10
Solid	5 or Less	More than 5
Green = Go      Yellow = Check		

Effect Category	
OK	Effect Pigment in this Effect Category aligns with vehicle reading
C	Effect Pigment in this Effect Category is coarser than the vehicle reading
F	Effect Pigment in this Effect Category is finer than the vehicle reading



## Preparing the surface

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Identify an area close to the repair, free of scratches and as flat as possible

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Prepare the measurement area by cleaning and then polishing

3



Locate and record the Colour Code of the vehicle

## Taking Measurements

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From the main screen press 'Job List' and then 'Add New Job'

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Position and hold the spectro on the prepared area. When all 3 LED's are green, press the measure button or simply tap the screen.

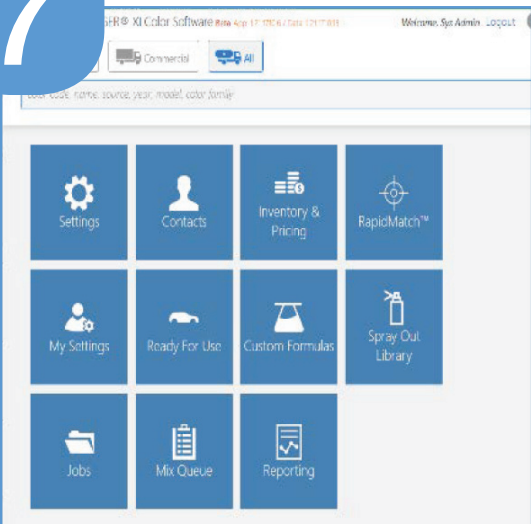
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Measure 5 times by moving the Spectro, maintaining the vertical orientation

## Selecting the Colour

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From the main screen press 'RapidMatch' and then 'Download'

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Enter the Colour Code for optimal Effect Colour matches

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Select a Variant from the list taking into account the Match Rating (MR) & Effect Category (EC)

## Tips and Important Recommendations

**Colour Code** is extremely valuable information. Take time to locate and record it to maximize the use of **PaintManager XI**.

Set **Auto** measurement under **System** for a better user experience. **Dark Mode** increases the reading time for dark colours.

Set **Car Manufacturer Predictor** and **Auto-Sync** under RapidMatch Setting for a better user experience.

For further information and training, visit [www.paintmanagerxi.com/XI/help/Tutorial-Videos](http://www.paintmanagerxi.com/XI/help/Tutorial-Videos)