

50 046 transparent gel, solvent-free

product name:

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contains:

- stand oil, safflower oil

basic information:

- solvent-free, gel-like medium to improve transparency of oil colours

characteristics:

- increases transparency
- decreases the viscosity of the colour
- improves the colour transfer from the brush to the painting ground
- increases the gloss depending on the dosage
- increases the amount of binder
- not suitable for underpaintings

handling:

- Any mixing ratio with all Schmincke oil colours is possible (attention should be paid on the rule "fat-over-lean").
- The product is ready to use and should be added purely to the pure oil colour. It can be thinned with *turpentine substitute (50019)*.
- Please clean tools directly after use with e.g. *brush cleaner 50051, 50052, turpentine substitute 50019* or *oil of turpentine 50024 / 50102*.
- Close immediately after use.
- Store in a cool and dry place.
- Individual pre-tests are required (see footer).

general hints for painting in oil:

- Ideally, oil colours should be applied in thin layers. When working with oil colours in a pasty putty-knife or prima technique, we strongly recommend the addition of *megilp 50034*. It accelerates the through-drying of thicker oil paint layers, thus reducing the risk of cracking or other damage.
- If a picture consists of several thin coats of paint, the bottom coats must be completely dry before applying further layers. Please follow the rule "fat-over-lean".
- Dried oil colours and oil painting mediums with oils and/or alkyd resins tend to yellow especially in the dark.
- Before applying varnish on oil paintings please allow to dry at least 8 to 12 month.

general hints for working with drying vegetable oils:

- Colours with a binder based on vegetable oils tend to yellow especially in the dark.
- Materials such as cleaning rags, paper wipes and protective clothing, which are contaminated with the product may spontaneously self-ignite some hours later. To avoid the risk of fires, all contaminated materials should be placed in a close metal container soaked with water or washed out well with warm soapy water before disposal. Contaminated materials should be removed from the workplace at the end of each working day and be stored outside.

product labeling:

- Please refer to the individual safety data sheet on our website www.schmincke.de.

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