

# QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE

## Grey coverage

Colours 1 to 8 are designed to cover grey hair.

To cover grey hair with a fashion colour, mix with an equal amount of the corresponding base shade.

## Activators

0% (0 vol) – Designed to dilute 3% to make 1.5% to use as a colour wash.

3% (10 vol) – For use as a semi-permanent or as a toner.

6% (20 vol) – For staying on the same base, for going darker and for coverage of grey hair.

9% (30 vol) – Lifts 1 to 2 shades and will achieve coverage on grey hair.

12% (40 vol) – Gives the maximum lift of 2 to 3 shades.

12% (40 vol) Cream Activator - Gives 3 to 4 shades of lift with the Hi-lift colours.

## Mixing

For normal colouring techniques mix the colour gel and the activator in equal quantities.

For maximum coverage on grey hair mix 50ml colour gel with 40ml activator 6% 20 vol.

For Hi-lift colours mix 1 part colour gel with 2 parts cream activator 12% 40 vol.

## Developing

Apply the colour and place a plastic cap over the hair.

Apply gentle heat for the first 10 to 15 minutes.

Do not use excessive heat; a temperature of around 40°C is recommended.

For normal colouring techniques a developing time of 30 to 45 minutes is recommended.

For Hi-lift colour the development time should be extended to 50 minutes.

N.B. All colours can be left on longer.

## Removing the Colour

IT IS ESSENTIAL TO USE ORGANIC CARE SYSTEMS SHAMPOOS AND CONDITIONERS AT THE BACKWASH, AS THIS COMPLETES THE COLOURING PROCESS, CLOSING THE CUTICLE AND RETURNING THE HAIR TO pH 5.

At the backwash add warm water to the colour and gently massage into a lather.

The longer you massage the better the coverage on grey hair will be. This will also ensure that all colour residues are removed from the scalp.

Rinse thoroughly until the water runs clear.

Apply Organic Care Systems Status Quo Shampoo, lather and rinse, towel blot and spray

Organic Care Systems Scalp Sensation onto the scalp. Then apply Organic Care Systems

Status Quo Conditioner, ensuring that you leave on for 5 minutes.

This will close the cuticle and return the hair and scalp back to pH5.

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