



TECH TIP: Topcoat Thinners

The Importance of Using Pro-Spray® Thinners vs Commodity Thinners

Looking for a beautiful finish? Pro-Spray Thinners are specially formulated for use with Pro-Spray® European Automotive Finishes Topcoats. Using Pro-Spray Thinners gives you ultimate performance. Many problems may arise when using commodity-grade or alternative solvents, such as:

1. **Poor Hiding**, especially in white and pastel colours, can result from using thinners other than Pro-Spray Thinner. Most cheap thinners do not properly dilute automotive grade pigments, creating a cloudy film that takes several extra coats to cover. In some instances, certain toners may not dilute properly resulting in a colour change.
2. **Dark / Dirty Metallics and Pearls**. Cheap thinners inadequately dilute the paint film and also dries this film too fast. As a result, Pro-Spray basecoat metallics and pearls do not have time to orient properly in the film, causing dark and dirty colours.
3. **Rough Edge Blends**. Have you noticed a rough blend edge or halo when using cheap thinner? You get what you pay for. Cheap thinners contain high levels of acetone and other inexpensive fast solvents that do not allow the basecoat to lay down properly.
4. **Aggressive Basecoats / Lifting**. Cheap thinners utilize inexpensive and aggressive solvents that, in some cases, can cause improperly cured 2K primer or sensitive substrates to lift.

Why risk losing your reputation and time for a few pennies?

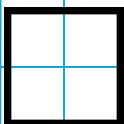
The first time any of these situations occur, you have cost your shop more than the savings on 20—30 jobs using commodity thinners.

Use Pro-Spray Thinners for proven results time after time.

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