

Note to Do-It-Yourselfers –

Awlgrip, Awlcraft 2000, and Awlgrip HDT topcoats are intended for professional application only.

The brilliant, mirror-like finishes we have come to expect from Awlgrip topcoats require extensive, detailed preparation as well as technically challenging mixing and application procedures.

Furthermore, Awlgrip topcoats contain hazardous isocyanates, requiring proper training and specialized protection equipment to be used safely.

Non-professional painters typically do not have the equipment, expertise, or continual practice necessary to achieve the exceptional “Awlgrip” results achieved by professional applicators. Don’t shortchange yourself; hire a professional.

- Awlcraft 2000 and HDT topcoats are designed for spray application only. Non-professionals typically don’t own the proper spray equipment (compressor, paint gun, pressure pot, etc.), nor do they have the expertise, to do the job properly.
- Every Awlgrip topcoat contains isocyanates, which help in the flow and curing process. This additive is toxic if inhaled and requires proper training and personal protection equipment to use safely.
- Awlgrip Topcoat is typically applied by spray, but with the proper choice of converter and reducer, Awlgrip Topcoat *can* be applied by rolling and tipping – which is generally more accessible for the non-professional.
However, proper training and advanced PPE are still required.
- ***In addition***, non-professional painters typically don’t have the experience and continuing practice, to apply these coatings competently.
And complicating matters, most DYIers are not prepared to commit to the amount of work and extensive preparation that goes into producing a great paint job.

The results are often disappointing, and not what was expected. Hire a professional.