Matthews Paint Amazing Pearls Application Directions

Base Color:

Apply Base Color of MAP®, Satin MAP, SVOC, MAP-LVS and MAP-LVG as detailed in the Matthews product bulletins. Follow the standard application directions and surface preparation.

Pearl Coat:

Mix clear of choice MAP®, Satin MAP, SVOC, MAP-LVS and MAP-LVG per technical bulletin. Add up to 1/2 ounce of pearl powder per sprayable quart of mixed clear. Apply 2-3 medium coats to achieve the selected color, allowing proper flash time between coats. Extreme care must be taken to avoid uneven pearl or color effect. Always make a sprayout panel to determine the best spray technique for a particular color. It is extremely important to check the fan pattern on your spray gun before applying pearl.

Clear Coat:

Apply the Matthews gloss clear per the technical bulletin.

The Matthews amazing pearls are an additive powder that creates a dramatic effect of color that shifts at various angles. The amazing pearl collection performs best when incorporated into a clear as a topcoat, over white or another color. For example, a gold or bronze pearl over a patina green will yield a film that at an acute angle will look just generally green and as you rotate it, you will get more of a gold or bronze effect. Even different base colors using the same topcoat will look much different. The most dramatic color shifts are produced over darker base colors. Pearls can also be incorporated directly into any topcoat solid color or metallic. A gold metallic will sparkle more and have a lighter down flop when gold pearl is added to it.

Care must be taken in spraying pearl topcoats to get an even look. The look can also be influenced by the amount of pearl added to the clear and how light or heavy it is applied. *The pearls will give a new dimension for experimentation of color! You have to see these pearls for yourself!*

To request the amazing pearls color cards and for more information, please call us at 1.800.323.6593.

Please note the MP23556 Aquamarine Pearl has been discontinued.

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