

# Tips & Troubleshooting Guide

- 1) Select the Correct ClearMax Plus™ for each application's conditions...
  - a) Cool-Temp Up to 50 degrees and application up to 2 hours before precipitation.
  - b) Hi-Temp Above 50 degrees and no precipitation forecasted for next 24 hours from application.

#### 2) Freshly Painted, Ceramic Coatings...

- a) If you notice the *ClearMax Plus™* is not sticking to and leveling properly in an area of a vehicle, this could be a sign that the area has been repainted, or possibly has an incompatible coating already applied.
- b) Remove the *ClearMax Plus*<sup>™</sup> with *KLN* and do not continue to *ClearMax Plus*<sup>™</sup> in that area of the vehicle. *NOTE: If KLN does not work use T-Max*.

#### Streaking on Panels...

- a) If streaks are noticed right away, add a substantial amount of *FINISHFIRST ClearMax Plus*<sup>TM</sup> to a towel and wipe over the streaks.
- b) If the steaks have already dried remove with *FINISHFIRST KLN* and start the vehicle or area over. *NOTE: If KLN does not work use T-Max.*
- c) If the steaks are cured, you can buff them out.

#### 4) Rainbows on Panels...

- a) The "Rainbow Effect" usually disappears within 12 hours.
- b) If rainbows still show up after curing, you can buff-out the area where you applied the *ClearMax Plus*<sup>TM</sup> product.

## **5)** Hazing of finish...

- a) If hazing appears in the *ClearMax Plus*<sup>TM</sup> application areas, wipe off affected areas with KLN.
- b) Reapply ClearMax to affected areas.
- c) If KLN does not solve the problem, buff the ClearMax application areas until hazing is removed.

### **6)** Water, Rain, Moisture...

a) If water gets onto an area of the vehicle you are clearcoating, put a substantial amount of *ClearMax*Plus™ on the towel and re-wipe that area.

## 7) Debris & Dust...

- a) If debris gets an area of the vehicle after clearcoating, and the clearcoat is still wet, you can re-wipe the area with ClearMax Plus™.
- b) If the *ClearMax Plus*<sup>™</sup> has somewhat dried and are unable to wipe on more product you need to remove this with *KLN* and re-do that section.

## 8) Extreme Heat & Sunlight...

- a) If you have noticed the *ClearMax Plus*<sup>TM</sup> is drying and streaking too quickly due to extreme heat, remove *ClearMax Plus*<sup>TM</sup> with *KLN*. *NOTE: If KLN does not work use T-Max*.
- b) if possible, move the vehicle to a shaded area and/or cool down with window cleaner (i.e. Windex) or water before proceeding.

Check out the ClearMax Plus™ How To Guide on our website for more information.

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