

Andy Sephton produced this guide to using Aerokote.



# AEROKOTE

## FUEL PROOFING AND FINISHING YOUR MODEL

ANDY SEPHTON WORKED WITH JOHN BRISTOW OF DELUXE MATERIALS TO PUT TOGETHER THIS GUIDE TO USING 2-PART MIX AEROKOTE FUEL PROOFER

Obtaining a high-quality gloss or authentic matt finish can be the make or break final stage of a model build. Aerokote is a tough, high gloss, 2 pack, fuel resistant lacquer. It's designed for brush or spray application, primarily over bare balsa or hardwood. The finish is so good that it is used in the jewellery trade but this product has been developed for modellers. It is touch dry in 5-10 minutes to deliver a high gloss, dust free finish. The product fully cures to a resistant

finish to repel hot alcohol, gasoline or kerosene containing high nitro methane, as well as mineral, castor, synthetic ester, or poly-glycol synthetic oils.

In this article we hope to answer some typical questions by taking you through the main stages of application:

- How can it be applied for best results?
- Will it work over paint?
- Will it work over covering film?
- What thinners should I use?

