



MOONWALK™ a giant leap for refinishing

PPG's paint mixing tool offers much in the way of savings for the body repair market

OVERVIEW

The refinishing industry is facing a challenging time, as technology helps reduce the risk of accidents, and cost competition becomes more prevalent. But despite this, the sector is shaking off the negative perceptions and being seen by the public in a new light, one of professionalism and laboratory cleanliness. New technologies are being developed that can help propel the industry even further, by streamlining certain processes that are undertaken on a day-to-day basis. When these technologies can help bodyshops to tackle certain challenges, then they must be given serious consideration for implementation.



Developed for the industry...

PPG's *MoonWalk* paint dispenser is a tool that can help bodyshops save both money and time, helping technicians to focus more on their work, and less on the paint-production process. Workshops incorporating *Moonwalk* can increase profitability with a short-term return on investment adding to cost savings further down the line. The development cycle for *MoonWalk* began in 2016, and PPG has taken its time to perfect the technology before bringing it to market in 2019. Since then, hundreds of bodyshops around Europe have been able to realise the benefits the machine brings, and invest the savings it creates in other areas.

FEATURES

1. **Touchscreen computer with smart onboard software**
2. **Bottle scanning system**
3. **Ultra-precise moving scale**
4. **Self-contained solution**
5. **Automatic product ordering and management reporting**



ABOUT PPG

PPG: WE PROTECT AND BEAUTIFY THE WORLD

At PPG, we work every day to develop and deliver the paints, coatings and materials that our customers have trusted for more than 135 years. Through dedication and creativity, we solve our customers' biggest challenges, collaborating closely to find the right path forward. With headquarters in Pittsburgh, we operate and innovate in more than 70 countries with reported net sales of \$15.1 billion in 2019. We serve customers in construction, consumer products, industrial and transportation markets and aftermarkets. To learn more, visit www.ppg.com

BENEFITS

1. **Eliminate Waste & Mess**
2. **Automate Process**
3. **Maximise Accuracy**
4. **Generate Profit**
5. **Improve workplace aesthetic**
6. **Build business sustainability**

By reducing paint waste, bodyshops are able to use product more efficiently, saving time and money while promoting sustainability.



MoonWalk Van

PPG is taking the revolutionary collision repair technology on the road.

Having already provided demonstrations all across EMEA, with our system typically sweeping customers of their feet in just 30 minutes, the start of the pandemic saw the *MoonWalk Van's* mission expand and accelerate - quickly stretching the idea to include even more countries.

The *MoonWalk Van* is now making it's way across the UK, taking the time to stop at each corner of the British Isles to demonstrate it's revolutionary innovations in a socially distanced manner. Interested in arranging a demo? Contact moonwalkuk@ppg.com

"The swift adoption of *MoonWalk* by our refinish customers and the accelerating demand for further installations has been immediately supported by the PPG technicians who have been trained to proceed with the installation and the training on *MoonWalk*. We are excited to continue to introduce the new era of refinish mixing technology to the UK & Ireland market as well as the rest of the globe, *MoonWalk* is truly a game changing innovation that is perfect for businesses that are looking to future proof and innovate."

Tim Nevell, Business Solutions Manager - North Europe

SUMMARY

With a non-disruptive installation and training programme, PPG's *Moonwalk* machine emphasizes the professional nature of the refinishing industry. With the ability to offer a 100% accurate colour match, while saving the business both costs and time (up to 128 minutes a day), *Moonwalk* represents a giant leap for paint mixing.



You can find out more about MOONWALK™ by visiting www.moonwalkrefinish.com

For more information visit

www.autoresource.co.uk

BROUGHT TO YOU BY:

automechanika