

Care and Maintenance Instructions

for Security & Solar Control Window Films *(Read Before Cleaning)*

You may notice that your freshly installed window film has a dimpled, textured or "lumpy" appearance when looking at or through it. (This is especially true of sputtered metal films.) Sometimes the film will have a milky or clouded look in spots. This is quite common and a normal part of the drying process. The lumpiness and/or cloudiness will slowly diminish with time and within two to eight weeks should vanish entirely, depending on the film product, temperature, and humidity.

Recommended Cleaning Compounds and Procedures:

For best results, clean your windows with a soft, clean, rubber squeegee or cotton cloth and common household-strength glass cleaners such as Windex®, GlassPlus®, or silicone cleaner/polishing compounds specifically made for window films. These latter compounds are generally available through your dealer. Follow label instructions for such products.

- Mist the window lightly and uniformly with your cleaner. Use a CLEAN, SOFT COTTON CLOTH (such as a diaper or T-shirt) or SOFT PAPER TOWEL to gently stroke dry the window, turning the cloth/towel often. Pure rubbing alcohol on a cotton cloth will quickly dissolve the heaviest smudges and greasy fingerprints. If smudges remain, re-spray pane and use a soft rubber squeegee to stroke-dry the glass in horizontal passes, from top to bottom. Towel-dry the film borders.
- Residual glue or adhesive from masking tape, Scotch tape, or decals that have been applied to (and removed from) the filmed window may be quickly and completely removed by very gently stroking the affected area with a soft cotton cloth dabbed with pure ACETONE (nail polish remover). Acetone in small amounts is harmless to polyester films but immediately dissolves adhesives and most paint over-spray, evaporating completely.
- **AS WITH ANY WINDOW FILM, DO NOT USE A SCRAPER TO CLEAN.**

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