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WET APPLICATION METHOD:

When dealing with larger pre-spaced and pre-masked decals, the wet application method can be used to avoid air bubbles. Follow these instructions to get the desired look when going large.

#1

Use a mixture of one teaspoon of mild detergent to one gallon of water. (Some mild detergents that work well are Dreft, Joy, and Ivory. Do **not** use Dawn soap!)



#2

Make sure the application surface is clean and free of any grease, oil, wax, or dirt.



#3

Apply the detergent/water solution to the application surface using a spray bottle, sponge, or cloth.



#4

With the top edge taped down, flip the hinged graphic away from the intended surface to remove the back liner paper. Starting from the upper right corner, slowly remove the liner paper at a 180° angle across the decal, revealing the adhesive side of the decal. Be careful not to allow the exposed adhesive to touch the surface.



HINT: If graphics try to lift, lay backing sheet down and rub total decal vigorously to build up the heat so adhesive will release, then remove the backing sheet.

#5

Make sure decal is positioned correctly. Once decal is positioned on the wet surface, squeegee it down starting in the middle of the decal and working outward to the edge.



#6

Dry the surface with a soft cloth.



#7

Check the decal after 24 hours. If any lifting occurs, especially along the edges, simply re-squeegee those areas.



Voilà!

Your large pre-spaced decal is complete.

CAUTION!

Clean all surface's of dirt and wax from area where the decal(s) are being applied. Make sure surface area is at least 68°F before starting application. Do not wash or power wash over newly applied decal(s) for at least 72 hours.