

ADVANTAGES & HINTS TO USE

etchIDENT™ etch cream dabber bottle

This etchIDENT dabber is a great improvement over the open bottle and brushon approaches.

Not only is the application of the etch cream faster and smoother, but also the risk of spillage accidents with open jars is absolutely eliminated. Keep the dabber applicator tip tightly capped and in your pocket between uses and worry no more about a curious child getting into the etch cream.

Here are a few hints regarding the best way to use the etchIDENT™ etch cream dabber bottle.

First and foremost, always replace the bottle cap tightly between each use. This will prevent the etchIDENT™ etch cream from drying out and clogging the dabber applicator tip. If the dabber applicator tip seems to be clogged or encrusted with cream, wipe and clean it with a damp handy wipe.

Before removing the bottle cap for use, shake the bottle vigorously. This gets the cream in contact with the dabber applicator in preparation for application.

With the top removed, but before actually applying the etch cream to the stencils, squeeze the bottle gently dabbing (tapping) the applicator tip head against a scrap stencil until the dabber applicator tip is moist with cream. The dabber tip contains a "spring loaded" safety stopper to prevent leakage. DO NOT SQUEEZE BOTTLE WITHOUT DABBING (TAPPING) HEAD BECAUSE HARD SQUEEZING COULD POP THE APPLICATOR TIP OFF THE etchIDENT DABBER BOTTLE. Obviously, do this away from the vehicle glass to be etched so as to prevent accidents.



The actual application of the etchIDENT™ etch cream may require a little experimentation until you develop the technique that works best for you. We have found that it helps to dab several times on the stencil while giving the bottle a gentle squeeze, in order to get the dabber applicator tip flowing nicely and depositing the etch cream on the etchIDENT stencil. Once you have enough cream on the stencil, gently swipe the dabber applicator tip across the stencil in one smooth motion to smooth out the cream.

VERY IMPORTANT – As you swipe across the stencil, be gentle and do not apply excessive force, as this action could tear the stencil. The idea is to just even out the application of the etch cream. If the stencil appears to be tearing, immediately remove the stencil and rapidly flush the glass area with water or glass cleaner to remove any cream.

Be certain to immediately replace the bottle cap when you are done with each vehicle.

DO NOT leave this etchIDENT bottle in your van or vehicle overnight or expose to temperatures below 70°, as cold temperatures will affect the consistency of the etchIDENT™ cream.

Any feedback, questions, or comments regarding the new dabber-top etch cream applicators will be appreciated. You may call the etchIDENT™ phone number at (803) 584-7315 with your comments, or for technical assistance.