

Plastic Sheets Care and Cementing

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Acrylic Scratch Removal

Hairline Scratches on Acrylic • Remove hairline scratches either with the **Novus Plastic Polishing System** or, follow any of the procedures for removing scuffs and minor scratches explained in the following paragraph.

TAP stocks **Wet or Dry Ultra-Fine Sandpaper**, which ranges in grits from 800 to 2000. Sand acrylic piece with Ultra-Fine Sandpaper and water until scratch disappears. Use the 2000 grit abrasive paper to create a uniform dull finish, then buff to its original luster with **Buffing Compound**.

The **Ultra-Fine Sandpapers** we carry were originally developed to remove defects from computer microchips. Their precise uniform grit particles eliminate sandpaper scratches and also the need for coarse buffing compounds. Ultra-Fine's uniform grit also extends the life of sandpaper.

Note: Use caution with motorcycle windshields. Most have a coating that prevents scratch repair. TEST FIRST!

Dry Masking Adhesive or Paint Removal

Use **CleanUp Solvent 22** (a fast drying solvent, sold at TAP stores) to remove aged masking tape adhesive, grease, crayon, and other marks.

Follow instructions on label and test Safety Solvent 22 on a piece of acrylic before applying to problem area. Rinse acrylic with mild soap and water. Crazing can result if used on flame-polished edges and heat formed pieces.

Because we have no control over working conditions or methods, products should be tested to establish suitability for your individual application. Our liability is limited to the price of the product.

Caring For Acrylic Sheets

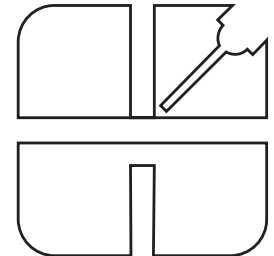
Remove dust from acrylic by wiping gently with **Brilliance®** or **Novus Plastic Polish 1** and a soft cloth, chamois, or **Lint-Free Wipes**. Never use a paper towel! Do not use cleaners containing abrasives, solvents, alcohol, or ammonia. Before using plastic cleaner, remove excess dust and grit with a wet towel or spray of water. A periodic cleaning with **Brilliance®** protects acrylic surfaces.

TAP carries several polishes and the proper Lint-Free Wipes and MicroFiber Cleaning Cloth to clean and maintain plastics.

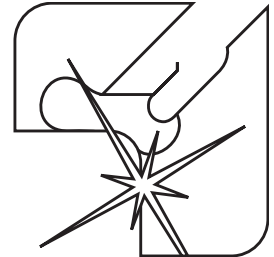
Note: Various methods of manufacturing acrylic sheets result in slightly different gluing techniques. Your TAP sales person will be happy to give you small acrylic pieces for practicing gluing techniques.

Check our website and the video
How to glue Acrylic at: tapplastics.com

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