



Care and Maintenance Instructions

↪ FOR LLUMAR, VISTA & SOLAR CONTROL AND SECURITY WINDOW FILMS

(Please Read Before Cleaning)

You may notice that your freshly installed Solar, Decorative or Security window film has a dimpled, textured or "lumpy" appearance when looking at or through it. (This is especially true of multi-layered sputtered metal films and thicker security films).

Depending on your Geographic location and weather, the film will have a milky or clouded look in spots. This is very common and is a normal part of window film's drying process. The lumpiness and/or cloudiness is a result of pooling mounting solution that will slowly diminish with time with the heat of the sun. This can take between two to ten weeks and should vanish entirely, depending on the film product, the Mil thickness, daily temperatures, and humidity of your locale. Windows facing North that do not receive direct sunlight may take even longer to completely dry.

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®, Glass Plus®, or silicone cleaner/polishing compounds specifically made for window films. These latter compounds are generally available through your Vista dealer. Follow label instructions for such products. Or...

Another excellent and inexpensive window cleaner may be mixed and used as follows:

1. In a pint or quart spray bottle mix ½ part distilled or mineral free water, ½ part rubbing alcohol (isopropyl), and 3 drops of liquid dish detergent. Shake well.
2. 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.
3. 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.

Warranty: If your residential or commercial window film is provided with a warranty, see that form for details, which may vary according to product type. Neither CPFilms nor the installation dealer can be responsible for damage that neither is the result of improper cleaning, physical impact, or abuse, nor for glass breakage subsequent to installation from any cause except as expressly provided for by CPFilms or the installing Dealership.