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QUICK DRY TATTOO INK

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Thank you for your purchase. We consider it a privilege to have you as a customer. If there is anything we can do to help you, please don't hesitate to contact our offices.

Quick Dry temporary airbrush tattoo ink is designed for applications that require speedy results. This ink does not require powder between layers although it is recommended on the final layer to achieve maximum durability. Quick Dry temporary airbrush tattoo ink is waterproof and will last up to a week depending on placement and can be removed with alcohol or baby oil. **IF YOU USE THE SAME AIRBRUSH FOR WATERBASED PAINT AND ALCOHOL BASED INK, BE SURE TO RUN DENATURED ALCOHOL THROUGH THE GUN BEFORE CHANGING OVER FROM WATERBASED PAINT TO ALCOHOL BASED INK. IT WILL CLOG YOUR GUN IF YOU DON'T DO THIS FIRST.**

In order to achieve maximum duration of Quick Dry temporary airbrush tattoos, follow these simple steps:

We recommend using a quality, dual action, siphon feed airbrush with a .8mm or higher tip & needle. Set your air pressure on the compressor to at least 20-25 PSI. If you experience any problems with flow, try slowly adjusting your pressure up to see if that solves the problem.

1. Clean the area of the skin with rubbing alcohol.
2. Lightly attach stencil to the skin. (Follow stencil maker guidelines.)
3. Spray the ink in light layers just as you would with aerosol spray paint. When the desired coverage is achieved, lightly dust cornstarch using a makeup brush. We recommend plain cornstarch because it works great and, unlike most baby powder, has no white pigment in it which can dull your tattoo.
4. Carefully remove stencil.
5. **Clean up ink with Denatured Alcohol. (The ink is waterproof!)**
6. **Do not use rubbing alcohol to clean your gun or thin the ink!!** [it has too much water content and will turn your ink/gun into a goopy mess].

Remember that tattoo placement is critical to the duration. A tattoo that is applied to the lower back at the pants line will rub off sooner than if it is placed just above the pants line. A tattoo placed on an adult will last longer than on a child due to the rapid exfoliation of children.

Tattoo Extender, available on our website, can be used to greatly extend the life of a tattoo when used correctly. To achieve maximum benefit from our Tattoo Extender solution, apply the solution with a Q-Tip over the tattoo area at least once per day. Only apply the extender solution over the inked area taking care to avoid the unpainted skin. After applying the extender solution, lightly dust the area with baby powder to set the solution.

When applying the extender solution, make sure you dab it on over the ink. Don't rub it. The extender solution will dissolve the ink when it is wet.

Think of the extender solution as a clear coat for your airbrush tattoo. When properly applied, the clear coat will wear off leaving the ink to look good for another day. This product is an excellent way for your clients to extend the life of their tattoo. When applied properly, our ink will achieve a long lasting tattoo on its own, but extender will help to make the tattoo last longer than normal when used daily.

We don't recommend extending a tattoo more than a few weeks. Doing so could cause serious skin irritations.

Our ink, paint and extender were developed in our lab from the ground up and are unlike any other temporary tattoo ink in America. Therefore, our formulation is a closely held secret and is for professional use only. Rest assured that we only use ingredients that are FDA approved for use on the skin. If you require an MSDS, please call our office.

Please let us know if you have any questions. Thank you and good luck.

Temporary Tattoo Care:

Avoid applying the tattoo in areas that will be constantly rubbed by tight clothing unless you only want to have it for a few days. Don't scrub the tattoo when bathing. When showering, allow water to run over area without rubbing. Avoid sunscreen, oils, lotions, hot tubs, and extending swimming. Apply a dusting of baby powder to the tattoo after swimming or after a shower. For added durability lightly dab tattoo with clear coat extender solution using a Q-Tip twice daily and powder.

How long will the tattoo last:

With proper care, it can last about 1 week. There are numerous factors that can affect the durability of the tattoo. Placement of the selected stencil is very important. When a tattoo is placed where tight clothing routinely rubs the area, the permanence will be reduced. Oily skin also has a significant effect on the ability of the ink to adhere to the skin. A tattoo applied to a hairy part of the body won't last as long. Tattoo ink durability will vary from person to person. There are reasons to want a temporary tattoo to last as long as possible and there are also reasons to want it to last only a couple of days. When applied properly, clear coat extender spray will significantly increase the time a tattoo will stay on the skin.

Removing Temporary Tattoos:

The best way to remove a temporary tattoo is by letting nature take its course. The body will eventually repel anything on the surface of the skin that doesn't belong. Eventually, as the tattoo begins to naturally fade, crack, or chip you may want to remove it completely. The tattoo can be removed by various solvents such as alcohol, fingernail polish remover, hair spray, body oils or other similar items. Follow all label instructions when using any of these products.

How the temporary tattoo works:

The tattoo ink is a mixture of very sticky ingredients that are individually approved for use on the skin and are used throughout the cosmetic industry. When combined together and applied to the skin, they create a long lasting temporary tattoo. The ingredients are blended with alcohol to be thin enough to spray through an airbrush. When the alcohol evaporates, the ingredients are dry and adhere only to the surface layer of the skin. Nothing is absorbed into the skin. The ingredients are not water soluble. That is why the tattoo stays on, even in the shower.

Stencil Cleaning:

Place used stencil, with the adhesive side down, in a shallow container. Pour Goo Gone or turpentine into the container until the entire stencil is covered. Soak for 30 minutes or until the adhesive is gone. Agitating the stencil will remove the adhesive faster. After the adhesive has been removed, repeat the same procedure placing the stencil, ink side down, in denatured alcohol. After the stencil is clean, rinse with water or place flat on a paper towel and dab dry. Avoid rubbing the stencil too harshly.

Air Brush Cleaning:

Disconnect from the air source. Remove the ink jar from the airbrush. Disassemble the nozzle per the airbrush manufacturer's instructions. Place the gun and nozzle upright in a container of denatured alcohol allowing the alcohol to cover from the tip to the ink bottle port. Don't allow the airbrush trigger to be submerged. This will allow the ink to fall to the bottom of the cleaning container. Soak for 30 minutes or until clean.

Siphon Hose and Cap Cleaning:

Remove hose/cap assembly from ink jar and cover jar with a solid cap. Place the cap and nozzle upright in a container of denatured alcohol to allow the ink to fall to the bottom of the cleaning container. Soak for 30 minutes or until clean.

Air Brush Recommendations:

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