

Following Installation

Madico SafetyShield G2 films need time to dry out and allow full adhesion to the mounting surface. Cold and/or cloudy weather conditions can lengthen the dry out time. Warm weather and direct sunlight exposure will shorten the dry out time. Small water beads and a slightly cloudy look is common and may appear during the dry out period. If slow drying occurs, do not be alarmed since it is part of the natural curing process.

SafetyShield G2 Film Care and Maintenance

1. Do not clean the glass during the drying period. The sun acts as a catalyst, ensuring that the adhesive thoroughly bonds the film to the glass. The adhesive withstands condensation, high humidity, and window flexing. Window surfaces that do not receive direct sunlight, like those with a northern exposure or under an exterior covering, may need longer drying times.
2. Water bubbles will disappear. A few small particles or “points” may remain. They are visible only from the outside. Inherent to film adhesives, these points are light reflections.
3. A slightly hazy or milky appearance caused by water between the film and the glass at the outset sometimes appears. Do not be concerned, it will disappear.
4. The barely visible, clear border around the edges ensures that the film is properly bonded to the glass.
5. For best cleaning results, do not clean the film for 30 days after installation. Do not use brushes, pure ammonia, industrial strength cleaners, or solutions that contain abrasive materials. Always use a soft, clean cloth to wash and dry your windows. Avoid coarse paper towels. Windex® or similar window cleaning solutions may be safely used. A rubber squeegee may also be used.

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