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PROTECTIVE LENS FILM

Film is intended to protect the lens from sand blasting and small rock chips. It acts like a pad and cushions as well as deflects sand and other debris that commonly pits and chips lenses.

Follow the basic installation steps below and remember that the film can be carefully removed if you need to reposition it. Small sizes can be installed dry with no problem. If you are installing larger sizes over 8 inches, you can use mild soapy water to help the film move and be aligned. You will need to work out all the moisture using a plastic applicator covered with cloth.

1. Clean the lens thoroughly with a lint free cloth and common glass cleaner. Allow it to stand for several minutes to let the cleaner completely evaporate.
2. Using the small tabs, hold the film and remove the paper backing. Do not let the film fold over on itself or touch anything.
3. Align the film over the glass and starting from one side of the lens, apply about 1/3 of the film first, moving across the entire lens, working out any trapped air as you go. Small air bubbles will clear up over time as well as the cloudy look from the adhesive. In most cases, it will clear up in just a few hours of use.
4. Using a razor or sharp cutting tool, you can carefully trim off the tabs after you have completed the installation.

Care is simple. A mild soap and water will keep the film clean and clear. If you decide to run a different tint/clear film or if it becomes damaged it can be removed as easily as it was installed.

To protect the film and prolong its UV protection, it should be cleaned, and waxed with a standard carnauba type wax about every 3 months.