

**DaPlus Dry Erase Film Applied to MarkaSteel from [www.ahutton.com](http://www.ahutton.com)**  
**DaPlus has a strong permanent pressure sensitive adhesive under the clear release film**

**Installation Instructions --- Note it is installed like Window Tinting:**

DaPlus can be field applied (using the wet application method) to our MarkaSteel-MG surfaces that have not had the DaPlus previously applied at the factory.

***Getting it Clean if it has been ruined by disinfectants:***

Before applying the product you must remove all marker stains. For easiest and best results use 300 grit sandpaper (it will quickly remove the surface stains and leave the die-sublimated image on the board in perfect shape). Cleaners such as Goof Off or LiftAway may also work but sandpaper is easiest. The board after sanding must be cleaned and have DaPlus film applied - any use of dry erase markers now will stain it and not come off at this point.

**Surface Preparation after cleaning of stains and shadows as noted above:**

- First wash the surface that the material will be applied to with an ammonia solution or alcohol; rinse, and allow to dry before installation. Any grit left on board will look awful if trapped under the DaPlus.

**Film Preparation:**

- Film should be allowed to acclimate to room temperature for easy handling. It is recommended that room temperature be above 50°F when working with film.
- Precut the film to the size you require, leaving a bit extra for trimming the material.
- When handling, be careful not to crease or bend the material.

**Application of dry erase film:**

- Tools: squeegee, sharp knife, spray bottle, water, and dish detergent.
- Squeegee to be of rubber type so it does not scratch surface.
- First prepare surface and film as described above.
- This step only if doing a large area, not needed to recover at framed board. Draw both a vertical plumb line and a horizontal level line with a pencil to use as a reference line to align the film. (Note: When covering a large area, two installers are recommended.)
- Wet surface that film will be applied to with soapy water solution. (Soapy water solution consists of a ½ cap of dish detergent to 2 gallons of water.)
- Peel about 12" of the release liner back, and spray both sides of the film.
- Position the edge of the film on the horizontal and plumb lines.
- Use the squeegee in a downward and outward motion to remove all air and water pockets and to obtain a good adhesion.
- Continue to pull back the film, and apply water to both sides of the film; continue to use the squeegee to smooth out the surface and to remove the water.
- Trim the excess material along the edges.
- Wipe down the surface with clean water, and dry with a towel.
- Allow the material to set for a couple hours before using. If you can, it is best to let the material sit overnight before using.

**Care before using writing surface:**

Clean the surface completely with a non-abrasive cleaner, like a glass cleaner, and a soft cloth. Once cleaned, wipe with a damp rag, and dry with a soft cloth. The purpose of this is to ensure that there is no cleaning residue left on the writing surface.

*Disclaimers:* This product is not designed to be removable, but can be removed if dirt or air bubbles are trapped under the surface.

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