

# EASYPSV™ PERMANENT ETCH APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Siser® EasyPSV™ Etch is a permanent pressure sensitive vinyl with a matte finish and frosted appearance used to create a frosted translucent effect on glass and plastic indoor and outdoor applications such as decals, decorations, and signs.

Outdoor Durability	Up to 7 years depending on climate and UV exposure.
Thickness	3.0 mil (76.2 micron)
Adhesive	Permanent, Solvent based
Liner	78# Kraft
Minimum, Application Temperature	+40° F
Shelf Life	1 year when stored at 70° F and 50% relative humidity.

Materials that can be decorated with *EasyPSV* Etch include: Glass/mirrors, wood, plastic, metal, ceramic Some common projects include: Glasses and bottles, windows, vases

### **Surface Prep Instructions**

For best adhesion, remove any dirt, dust, grease, etc to prepare the surface you want to decorate with *EasyPSV*. The following cleaning method is not recommended for porous surfaces such as unfinished/untreated wood. It is recommended that all other surfaces be spot tested with care before cleaning the entire application area.

Non-porous surfaces can be cleaned with a mix of approximately 2 parts water and 1 part isopropyl alcohol (70% or higher for best results) or non-ammonia based window cleaner. Use a microfiber or lint free towel to clean the application area with the mixture. Paper towel is not recommended since it will leave behind small bits of paper that can become trapped under the *EasyPSV* during application. Ensure the area is completely dry before applying.

\*The cleaning method outlined above is subject to modification and not always suitable for every substrate.

The purchaser should independently determine with their own testing to use this method or not on a case by case basis.

## **Application Instructions**

- 1. Place EasyPSV with the liner side down and cut your design. (DO NOT reverse/mirror your design.)
- 2. Weed excess vinyl.
- 3. Remove the application tape's paper liner. Place tape on top of *EasyPSV* and burnish with a squeegee.
- 4. Lift the application tape and EasyPSV away from the paper liner to expose the permanent adhesive.
- 5. Place the application tape on your desired object and burnish with a squeegee to fully adhere the design.
- 6. Gently peel away the application tape, leaving just your EasyPSV design on the object.

## **Removal Instructions**

If the *EasyPSV* peels up, but leaves an adhesive residue use an adhesive remover to clean the area. If the *EasyPSV* is stubbornly sticking, the heat from a hair dryer or garment steamer can help loosen the adhesive. However, heating is not recommended for glass due to possible shattering. To remove Permanent *EasyPSV* from glass, saturate the decal with soap and water. Cover with plastic wrap and let sit for a few hours before attempting to remove. An adhesive remover may still be required to clean all adhesive from the surface after removing the *EasyPSV*.

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#### **Storage Instructions**

For best results, avoid direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Ideally, temperatures should not surpass 70° F and 50% relative humidity. When stored properly, *EasyPSV* Etch has a shelf life of 1 year.

#### Please Note:

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<sup>\*</sup>Permanent adhesive may harm drywall or other painted surfaces.

<sup>\*</sup>Not recommended for use near flame/ heat source, or with microwave, and dishwasher.