



# Your "Identity Professionals"

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## TOOLS NEEDED:

To properly install your new MOTOSKINZ, we suggest the following items;

- Squeegee (included for FREE with your MOTOSKINZ order)
- Razor Blade (included for FREE with your MOTOSKINZ order)
- Surface Cleaner: Preparation Solution is recommended and can be purchased at any automotive store, otherwise any kind of pre-paint surface cleaner will work. (Alcohol wipes are included for FREE with your MOTOSKINZ order)
- Heat gun, blow torch or hair dryer

Even though we provide a squeegee, you will find that your fingers and hands work excellently to work out creases or bubbles especially around compound curves where the squeegee is less effective. However this is personal preference, you may find out that the squeegee does work better the choice is yours. - Use whatever works best for you.

We highly recommend that you install your MOTOSKINZ in temperatures of 70\* or higher, it helps keep the MOTOSKINZ more pliable making it easier to apply. And for that extra flexibility, a small propane torch, good heat gun or even a hair dryer will work.

## SURFACE PREPARATION:

One of the most important things when it comes to installation is surface prep, its best not to skip this step.

The smoother the surface, the smoother your MOTOSKINZ will look once applied. For instance, if you are covering scratches, damaged plastic, road rash or something you will see under the MOTOSKINZ, using some 400-600 grit sandpaper to smooth out the roughness before cleaning the parts will help to obtain a better end product.

1. Wash and clean the part to remove any dirt, dust, bugs road debris or anything that might not allow the MOTOSKINZ to adhere.
2. For the best results, after cleaning the parts, follow it up with a wipe down with a pre-paint cleaner like Prep Sol or any other type of pre-paint surface cleaner.
3. Last but not least, using a mix of water and rubbing alcohol (50/50 mix), using a lint free cloth, wipe down the entire part, to include the inside for at least 1-2 inches. That way, when you wrap around the edges you will get a solid bond and will be less likely to pull loose.



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## MOTOSKINZ Installation Guide

### TECHNIQUE AND PLANNING:

The technique you use to apply your MOTOSKINZ is up to you. Everyone is different and technique can vary drastically. However we can offer some suggestions and basic steps to help you get started.

1. Lay your MOTOSKINZ material over the piece you intend to apply it to. Make sure it covers the entire piece with enough material to spare. Remember, you want to wrap the material over the edges approximately 1-2 inches for a solid bond.
2. Then carefully remove the backing material from your MOTOSKINZ, and place it tacky side down over the part you intend to wrap.
3. The curved areas will require the propane torch or heat gun we recommended earlier. With the torch or heat gun, carefully heat up the section you want to start with, then quickly stretch it and smooth over the part using which works best for you, whether that be your hands, fingers or squeegee. BE CAREFUL, the SKINZ will hold heat and can potentially burn your fingers or hands. You are using a heat source, remember.
4. Here is the beauty of our MOTOSKINZ material. If you come across any bubbles or wrinkles while you are applying the MOTOSKINZ, simply pull back on the material in a snapping or quick tug motion (kind of like removing a band-aid) warm the material back up and try again.
5. Continue this process until you are completed.

Our material offers a low initial tack which means you can pull it off and reposition it while you are installing it. Our unique adhesive actually takes 24-48 hours to set, so if you make a mistake, don't worry about it, all you have to do is peel it off, heat it up slightly so it shrinks back to its original shape and try it again.

### CARING FOR MOTOSKINZ:

MOTOSKINZ are made of a material that can be cleaned easily, using mild surface cleaner or soapy water. We suggest treating it like you would any other factory or OEM painted finish.

### REMOVAL:

When it comes time to change your look or design, its quite simple to remove. MOTOSKINZ will not damage a factory/OEM paint finish and will NOT leave any residue or adhesive behind.

Simply heat up the MOTOSKINZ material like when you applied it, and just peel it off.

Your initial preparation to the surface will play a huge role in how well it comes off. We can't stress enough not to cut any corners when prepping the surface before application. Please follow all the necessary steps; you will be happier in the long run.