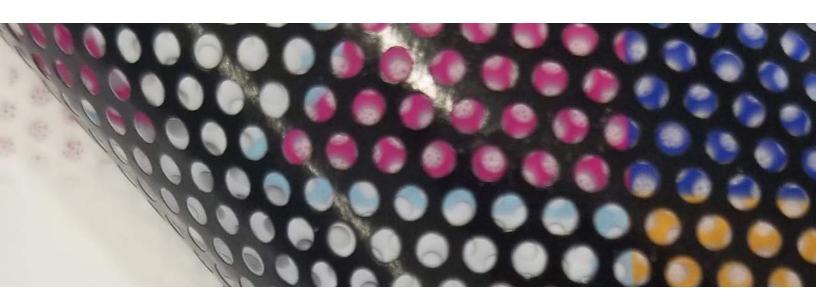
# NORTH EAST COLOR



# **Perforated Window Decal**

#### **INSTALLATION GUIDE**

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### General

Our perforated window graphics are laminated to protect them, to last longer, to keep the holes from being filled with dirt and grime.

We provide felt squeegees to avoid excessive scratching to the material

The use of heat guns during installation is not recommended due to the hazard of damaging the glass

We recommend these perforated graphics be applied by a professional vinyl graphics signage installer.

The recommended application temperature range for this product is 40° F (5° C) to 90° F (32°C).

### **Installation Instructions**

- 1 Lay the graphics out flat, allow the graphics to air out, and acclimate to the local environment
- 2 Thoroughly clean the surface with isopropyl alcohol. A fresh flat razor blade can be used to remove difficult contaminants such as paint splatters, tree sap, chewing gum, etc. Allow the window to dry completely.
- **3** Graphics must be installed dry using the typical center hinge method. Apply the graphics using long overlapping strokes with medium pressure.
- 4 Burnishing marks (adhesive lines) will be evident after installation due to these graphics being laminated. With time and exposure to sunlight, these marks will correct themselves and typically disappear.
- Once the graphics are installed- using a straight edge and a sharp utility knife to trim the edges of the graphics shy of rubber gaskets or window frames. The graphics should never extend beyond the surface of the glass. The utmost care must be taken during trimming to avoid scratching or damaging the glass surface. Alternatively knifeless tape can be used to completely eliminate the possibility of scratching the glass.

## Maintenance

Repeated washing of the graphics is unnecessary and can cause the edges of the graphic to lift and peel over time. Never use a power washer to clean the graphics.

A periodic wipe down using a damp cloth and simple mild soap solution is all that is needed to keep your window graphics looking great.

#### Removal

Cold pull, commencing from one edge of the decal, and peel back the graphic removing it off the glass surface.

Insert a razor blade or knife under the corner to loosen the graphic, be careful not to damage the substrate. Grasp the lifted edge and pull up and away from the substrate at a slow even rate at an angle less than 90°.

Residual adhesive will be unlikely or minimal. Any residual adhesive can be removed by spraying the surface with a basic window cleaner and using a fresh flat razor blade. Alternatively, chemical adhesive removers can also be used.