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- The paint protective film and vehicle surface temperature should be 13–32°C (55–90°F) for best results.
- Automatic car washes should be avoided for at least 24 hours after the paint protective film application.
- Wipe the vehicle surface with isopropyl alcohol or flash naphtha at the application area.
- Dry the surface with a clean lint-free cloth.
- Create a mixture of 25 percent isopropyl alcohol and 75 percent water and two drops of baby shampoo per 16 oz of fluid mixture.
- Remove the backing liner from the protective film patch.
- Use the solution to liberally spray the adhesive side of the protective patch, the mounting location along with your hands.
- Position the paint protective film patch to the desired location on the vehicle.
- Spray the surface of the film with the alcohol, water and soap solution.
- Using a dampened squeegee, start at the center of the protective patch, working outward in order to remove the air and solution from under the protective patch.
- Release any air bubbles with a pin.
- Dry the surface with a clean, lint-free cotton cloth.