

Matte Care Instructions

GENERAL CLEANING

DO NOT:

- Use any type of wax, polish, detail spray, or any products made for a standard, glossy finish. Use only products specifically developed for low-gloss or matte finish paint.
- Use products that are even mildly abrasive, such as rubbing compounds or glazes.
- Use mechanical cleaners or polishers.
- Use commercial car wash facilities and/or their finish enhancement/protection products. Facilities that use mechanical brushes or towels can damage the low-gloss finish.
- Use terrycloth, cloth, or paper towels.
- Rub the finish vigorously. This will burnish the finish, causing a permanent shiny spot.
- Wipe vehicle in a circular motion. Lightly wipe the vehicle in a forward and backward motion.

DO:

- Remove foreign substances such as insect remains, tar, and road debris using a soft applicator and a mild solvent. Saturate and soak the area before cleaning—lightly rub to clean.
- Hand wash with a soft wash mitt and mild cleaning product safe for low-gloss or matte finishes.
- Use microfiber cleaning cloths with alcohol-based window cleaner for basic surface cleanup.

WASHING YOUR VEHICLE

- Pressure washing (with pressure not exceeding 1200 psi) is the best way to remove heavy soiling and debris. A 45° fan tip is recommended keeping the tip at least 12 inches from the surface/finish. *(a 45° tip is not needed but is recommended if you can get one)*
- Do not hold the tip pointed at the matte for a prolonged period of time as this can and will damage the matte finish.