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DIP POWDER NAIL KIT

User Guide



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Included Items

DIP POWDER NAIL KIT

1. 4 x Nail Dip Powder - 10 g (White, Red, Black, Nude)
2. 1 x Base Coat - 9 mL
3. 1 x Activator - 9 mL
4. 1 x Top Coat - 9 mL
5. 1 x Brush Saver - 9 mL
6. 1 x Powder Brush
7. 1 x Nail File
8. 1 x Cuticle Presser
9. 1 x Nail Polish Remover - 15 mL
10. 1 x User Guide*

*Not shown



Nail Dip Red

Polymethyl Methacrylate, CI 17200 (D&C RED No.33), CI 77891 (Titanium Dioxide), CI 15850

Nail Dip White

Polymethyl Methacrylate, CI 77891 (Titanium Dioxide), CI 77510 (Ferrocyanide)

Nail Dip Nude

Polymethyl Methacrylate, CI 77891 (Titanium Dioxide), CI 77492 (Iron Oxide Yellow), CI 77499 (Black Iron Oxide), CI 17200 (D&C RED No.33)

Nail Dip Black

Polymethyl Methacrylate, CI 77499 (Black Iron Oxide)

Base Coat

Ethyl Cyanoacrylate, Polymethyl Methacrylate

Activator

Acetone, Ethyl Acetate

Top Coat

Ethyl Cyanoacrylate, Polymethyl Methacrylate

Brush Saver

Ethyl Cyanoacrylate, Hydroquinone

Nail Polish Remover

Acetone, Alcohol

This product is intended for domestic use only.

It is not intended for commercial, trade or industrial use.

Disposal: Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulation.

Base Coat and Top Coat

Read label before use. Use only as directed. If medical advice is needed, have the product container or label at hand. **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes and avoid breathing vapour. Bonds on contact. Should fingers stick together apply a solvent such as acetone to contact areas then wash off with water.

Do not use solvents near eyes or open wounds. In case of eye contact immediately flush with water.

Brush saver

WARNING

Contains Ethyl Cyanoacrylate and Hydroquinone
Combustible liquid. Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation. Suspected of causing genetic defects. Suspected of causing cancer. Read label before use. Use only as directed. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes and avoid breathing vapour.

Bonds on contact. Should fingers stick together apply a solvent such as acetone to contact areas then wash off with water. Do not use solvents near eyes or open wounds.

In case of eye contact immediately flush with water.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Store locked up.

Activator and Nail Polish Remover

CAUTION

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

FLAMMABLE

ACTIVATOR Contains **ACETONE 6.03 mL per 9 mL**

NAIL POLISH REMOVER Contains **ACETONE 11.25 mL per 15 mL**

Highly flammable liquid.

SAFETY DIRECTIONS

DO NOT SWALLOW

Avoid contact with skin and eyes and avoid breathing vapour.

Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources.

FIRST AID

For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 13 11 26) or a doctor at once.

If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Before You Start: Remove all your tools from the nail kit. As you will be brushing loose powder from your nails, we recommend placing a cloth or paper towel onto your chosen surface to catch any residual powder.



Step 1 - Preparation

1. Begin by using the nail file on the surface of your nail to create a rough texture, then shape your nail into the desired length and shape.
2. Holding the cuticle pusher at a 45-degree angle to each nail, gently push each cuticle back using the flat side of the cuticle pusher.
3. Wash your hands with water only and dry thoroughly.



Tip: Preparation is key for ensuring adhesion and long lasting nails. Be aware that any hand care products you use prior to dipping may impact the results.

Step 2 - Base Coat

1. Start by using outwards strokes to apply a thin, even layer of the **#1 BASE COAT** to the top 3/4 of your fingernail. Avoid getting too close to the cuticle.
2. When applying the base coat, you want to ensure you have a nice thin and even coating. Allow it to air dry for approximately 10 seconds before moving on to dipping.



Tip: Be careful to avoid getting the base coat onto your cuticles as the powder will stick strongly anywhere the base coat is applied.

Step 3 - Dip

Prep: Shake closed jars and remove any clumps of powder from the surface to ensure even results.

1. Slowly dip the nail into your pot of nail dip powder at a 45-degree angle with the nail facing up.
2. Ensure to dip deep enough to coat the entire surface of the nail.
3. Lift your finger out of the powder and gently tap off any excess powder into the nail dip powder pot.
4. Using the supplied powder brush and starting at the sides, gently brush away any leftover powder from your fingertip, then from the nail surface gently without applying too much pressure.
5. Air dry for approximately 3-5 minutes before dipping again. Continue with your other fingers as the first one is drying.



Tip: Use the cuticle presser after each dip to remove excess powder and define the line between your nail and skin

Step 4 - Second Dip

1. Again use outwards strokes to apply another thin layer of the **#1 BASE COAT** on top of your dipped nails getting closer to the edges this time. Avoid getting too close to the cuticle again as powder will stick to anywhere the base coat is applied.
2. Allow it to air dry for approximately 10 seconds before moving on to dipping.
3. Repeat step 3 to cover the second layer of base coat in dip powder.

Step 5 - Third Dip

1. Again use outwards strokes to apply a thin layer of the **#1 BASE COAT** going very carefully to the edges this time.
2. Allow it to air dry for approximately 10 seconds before moving on to dipping.
3. Repeat step 3 to cover the third layer of base coat in dip powder.

Tip: If you prefer thicker coverage or stronger colour you can apply a fourth layer.

Step 6 - Activate

1. Apply an even layer of the **#2 ACTIVATOR** to each finger and allow it to air dry for about 5-10 minutes.
2. Ensure to cover all coloured surface as this will firm and cure the nail.



Step 7 - Buff

1. Very lightly file the surface and tip of the nail once hardened to smooth and refine the nail shape and thickness.
2. Once you are happy with the nails, brush away any residue from filing before washing and drying them thoroughly.



Step 8 - Top Coat

1. Apply a layer of **#3 TOP COAT** for the perfect finish and to lengthen the life of your manicure.
2. Allow to dry for 2-5 minutes to ensure you do not damage the top coat.



How to remove

1. File nail surface to remove the top layer.
2. Pour nail polish remover into a small bowl and submerge nails in nail polish remover.
3. Allow to permeate the nail for a few minutes.
4. Wipe over the nail with a cotton ball or pad removing the polish.
5. Wash your hand thoroughly with soap and water after using nail polish remover.

Stubborn polish removal

1. For more stubborn polish, half fill a microwave safe bowl with water and microwave until warm. Be careful to avoid getting the water too hot by starting with small increments of time and building up to temperature.
2. Place paper towel or cotton balls and some nail polish remover in the bottom of a zip lock bag or a second smaller bowl and sit this in the warm water.
The warm water will speed up the removal process by helping to activate the nail polish remover.
3. Apply Vaseline to the skin around the nails to avoid nail polish remover drying the skin.
4. Place your hand into the bag or small bowl and rest your nails against the nail polish remover soaked paper towel / cotton balls. Allow this to soak in and permeate your dip nails. This will take around 15 minutes or longer depending on how many layers of dip power were applied.
5. Begin to rub your nails against the paper towel / cotton balls to wear away the dip nail.
6. Once all colour appears to be gone from the nail surface, wipe each nail clear with the nail polish remover covered paper towel.
7. File any leftover debris off the nail surface.
8. For added nail care, apply your favourite cuticle oil or hand moisturiser to restore moisture to your cuticles and nail beds.
9. Wash your hand thoroughly with soap and water after using nail polish remover.

Note: Do not attempt to scratch or pull your nail dip off as you may damage your nails

Brush Saver

Over time you may find the bristles in the brushes of your base, activator or top coat go hard and become unusable. This is generally due to build up of powder on your brushes. You can reduce this by brushing extra powder away from the nail before applying the next coat.

However, as the brushes in the base, activator, top coat and brush saver bottles are identical, you can restore an affected brush by soaking it in the Brush Saver solution, and use the Brush Saver brush with any step in the meantime.

1. Remove the affected brush from its bottle and wipe it down with a paper towel.
2. Remove the brush from the brush saver bottle, wipe any excess liquid back into the brush saver bottle and wipe the brush down with a paper towel.
3. Ensure both brushes are entirely dry. Place the affected brush into the brush saver liquid and leave to soak.
4. Use the Brush Saver brush in place of the affected brush and use as normal.
5. Leave any affected brush in the brush saver solution until another needs saving.

Storage

- Ensure all caps are secured tightly before storing
- Store standing upright to avoid a chance of any spills
- Store in a cool dry place away from direct sunlight or heat sources
- Store out of reach of children

Problem	Solution
Why aren't my nails lasting long / adhering well?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• This may be due to incorrect preparation. Always ensure to follow the preparation steps prior to doing a nail dip, focus on filing the nail thoroughly as this helps the solution adhere to the nail.
Why are my dip nails lifting off my nail?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lifting occurs when the dip powder does not adhere to the nail correctly. Ensure all preparation steps are completed prior to starting your dip manicure.
My dip nails are thick / lumpy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thick or lumpy nails are often caused by too much base coat or top coat. Apply each coat as thin as possible. Filing the nail after the activator is applied can also reduce the thickness or smooth out any lumps created in the dipping process.

<p>My base coat brush has gone hard.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• This indicates that the brush may have come into contact with too much powder. Always ensure to dust away all the excess powder before applying your next coat of base.• Follow the brush saver cleaning steps to resolve your hardened brush.
<p>My top coat brush has gone hard.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• This indicates that the activator may not have been applied or spots may have been missed. Ensure to cover the entire surface with activator and allow to dry before proceeding to apply the top coat.• Follow the brush saver cleaning steps to resolve your hardened brush.

<p>My nails are cracking.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cracks on the nails may occur when the dip powder or base coat have been applied too thick. Ensure thin layers are applied and any excess powder is brushed off before applying the next layer. File down the nail after applying the activator to thin and even out the nail.
<p>Can I use other branded dip powder/polish with my Lacura Dip Powder Nail Kit?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Unfortunately, we are unable to guarantee your results if you mix the Lacura Dip Powder Nail Kit products with other branded items.

<p>I can't open my base / top coat bottle.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If residue of the product gets on the neck of the bottle, this can make the bottle hard to open. If this occurs, we recommend running the neck of the bottle under warm water, this should help loosen the seal.
<p>Can I use nail tips with my Lacura Dip Powder Nail Kit?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Yes, you can apply nail tips prior to using your Lacura Dip Powder Nail Kit.

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