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Model: UCUT-RKP8

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The ICI Proflex U-Cut Universal Chrome Laminate ABS Rocker Panel Kit is designed to provide both protection and enhanced aesthetic appeal to your vehicle's rocker panels. This kit includes 5 pieces of mirror-finish chrome ABS material, engineered for universal fit and easy installation using high-performance 3M adhesive.



Image: A black vehicle with the ICI Proflex U-Cut Universal Chrome Laminate ABS Rocker Panel Kit installed along the lower side of the doors and fender, showcasing the chrome finish.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

This rocker panel kit is designed for easy and fast installation without the need for specialized tools. Proper surface preparation is crucial for optimal adhesion.

Preparation Steps:

- 1. **Clean the Surface:** Thoroughly clean the vehicle's rocker panel area where the kit will be installed. Use a mild automotive cleaner to remove all dirt, wax, grease, and debris. Ensure the surface is completely dry before proceeding.
- 2. **Test Fit:** Before removing the adhesive backing, carefully position each rocker panel piece on the vehicle to ensure proper alignment and fit. Mark the desired placement with a non-permanent marker or painter's tape if necessary.
- 3. **Temperature Considerations:** For best adhesion, install the panels in a warm environment (ideally above 60°F / 15°C). If installing in colder conditions, gently warm the vehicle surface and the adhesive tape with a heat gun or hairdryer to improve bonding.

Installation Procedure:

- 1. **Peel Adhesive Backing:** Starting with one piece, carefully peel back a small portion of the 3M adhesive liner from one end. Do not remove the entire liner at once.
- 2. **Align and Press:** Align the panel precisely with your pre-marked position. Once aligned, firmly press the exposed adhesive portion onto the vehicle surface.
- 3. **Gradual Application:** Slowly continue to peel the remaining adhesive liner while progressively pressing the panel firmly along its entire length. Apply consistent pressure to ensure full contact between the adhesive and the vehicle surface.
- 4. Secure All Pieces: Repeat the process for all remaining rocker panel pieces.
- 5. **Final Pressure:** After all pieces are installed, apply firm, even pressure across the entire surface of each panel for several minutes to ensure maximum adhesion.

Note: Avoid washing the vehicle or exposing the newly installed panels to excessive moisture for at least 24-48 hours to allow the adhesive to fully cure.

OPERATING PRINCIPLES

The ICI Proflex U-Cut Universal Chrome Laminate ABS Rocker Panel Kit functions as a protective and decorative accessory for your vehicle. Once properly installed, it provides a durable barrier against minor impacts, road debris, and environmental elements, while simultaneously enhancing the vehicle's exterior appearance with its mirror-finish chrome design.

MAINTENANCE

To maintain the appearance and longevity of your ICI Proflex Rocker Panels, follow these simple maintenance guidelines:

- **Regular Cleaning:** Clean the panels regularly with mild automotive soap and water. Use a soft cloth or sponge to avoid scratching the chrome finish.
- Avoid Abrasives: Do not use abrasive cleaners, harsh chemicals, or stiff brushes, as these can damage the chrome laminate.
- Drying: After washing, dry the panels thoroughly with a clean, soft microfiber towel to prevent water spots and maintain shine.
- Polishing (Optional): For an extra shine, a non-abrasive chrome polish designed for automotive use can be applied
 periodically. Follow the polish manufacturer's instructions.

Troubleshooting

While the ICI Proflex Rocker Panel Kit is designed for reliable performance, some issues may arise. Here are common concerns and their solutions:

Adhesion Issues:

• Panel Not Sticking:

- Cause: Insufficient surface cleaning, presence of wax/grease, low installation temperature, or inadequate pressure during application.
- Solution: Ensure the surface is meticulously clean and dry before installation. Install in warm conditions (above 60°F / 15°C) or gently warm the surface and adhesive. Apply firm, consistent pressure across the entire panel during and after installation. If a section lifts, it may require re-application with new 3M automotive-grade adhesive tape after thorough cleaning of both surfaces.

• Edges Lifting:

- · Cause: Improper contouring to vehicle curves, insufficient pressure on edges, or adhesive not fully cured.
- Solution: Ensure the panel is correctly aligned with the vehicle's contours during installation. Apply extra pressure to edges
 and curved sections. Allow 24-48 hours for adhesive to fully cure before exposing to stress or moisture. For persistent
 lifting, a small amount of additional automotive-grade adhesive promoter or tape may be needed on the problematic edge.

Appearance Issues:

· Scratches or Dullness:

- Cause: Abrasive cleaning materials, harsh chemicals, or prolonged exposure to environmental elements without proper cleaning.
- Solution: Use only soft cloths and mild automotive cleaners. For minor scratches, a specialized chrome polish may help. For significant damage, replacement of the affected panel piece may be necessary.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Name	Proflex U-Cut Universal Chrome Laminate ABS Rocker Panel Kit
Model Number	UCUT-RKP8
Brand	ICI
Material	Mirror-finish Proflex Chrome ABS (Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene)
Color/Finish	Chrome ABS
Dimensions (per piece, approximate)	8 inches (height) x 54 inches (length)
Number of Pieces	5 Pc.
Attachment Method	High-performance 3M adhesive
Fit Type	Universal Fit
Item Weight	3 Pounds
Country of Origin	USA

WARRANTY INFORMATION

The ICI Proflex U-Cut Universal Chrome Laminate ABS Rocker Panel Kit is backed by a3 Year/36,000 Mile Limited Warranty. This warranty covers defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

For detailed terms and conditions of the warranty, or to initiate a warranty claim, please refer to the official ICI website or contact their customer support directly.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For further assistance, technical questions, or support regarding your ICI Proflex U-Cut Universal Chrome Laminate ABS Rocker Panel Kit, please contact ICI customer service. Contact information can typically be found on the manufacturer's official website or on the product packaging.

When contacting support, please have your product model number (UCUT-RKP8) and purchase details readily available to expedite the process.

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