

DND DC023

DND DC Gel & Polish DC023 Blossom Orchid User Manual

Model: DC023

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The DND DC Gel & Polish DC023 Blossom Orchid set includes both a gel polish and a matching regular nail lacquer. This product is designed for professional and home use to achieve a long-lasting, glossy finish in a beautiful Blossom Orchid shade. The gel polish requires curing under a UV or LED lamp, while the regular polish air-dries.



Image 1.1: The DND DC Gel & Polish DC023 Blossom Orchid set, showing the gel polish bottle and a color swatch stick. The swatch displays a light, neutral pink shade.

2. SETUP AND PREPARATION

Proper nail preparation is crucial for optimal adhesion and longevity of the polish.

- Clean Nails:** Ensure nails are clean, dry, and free of any old polish, oils, or lotions. Use a nail cleanser or alcohol wipe if necessary.
- File and Shape:** File nails to your desired shape and gently push back cuticles.

3. **Buff Nail Surface:** Lightly buff the nail surface with a fine-grit buffer to create a slightly rough texture for better adhesion. Remove any dust with a clean brush or wipe.
4. **Shake Bottles:** Gently roll the gel polish and regular polish bottles between your palms to mix the contents thoroughly. Avoid shaking vigorously, as this can create air bubbles.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (APPLICATION)

3.1 Gel Polish Application

1. **Base Coat:** Apply a thin, even layer of DND DC Base Gel to all nails. Cap the free edge.
2. **Cure Base Coat:** Cure under a UV lamp for 60 seconds or an LED lamp for 30 seconds. Do not wipe the tacky layer.
3. **Color Coat (First Layer):** Apply a thin, even layer of DND DC Gel Polish DC023 Blossom Orchid. Cap the free edge.
4. **Cure First Color Coat:** Cure under a UV lamp for 60 seconds or an LED lamp for 30 seconds.
5. **Color Coat (Second Layer):** Apply a second thin, even layer of DND DC Gel Polish DC023 Blossom Orchid for full opacity. Cap the free edge.
6. **Cure Second Color Coat:** Cure under a UV lamp for 60 seconds or an LED lamp for 30 seconds.
7. **Top Coat:** Apply a thin, even layer of DND DC Top Gel. Cap the free edge.
8. **Cure Top Coat:** Cure under a UV lamp for 120 seconds or an LED lamp for 60 seconds.
9. **Wipe Tacky Layer:** After curing the top coat, use a lint-free wipe saturated with nail cleanser or isopropyl alcohol to remove the sticky inhibition layer, revealing a high-gloss finish.

3.2 Regular Polish Application

1. **Base Coat:** Apply a thin, even layer of a regular nail polish base coat. Allow to air dry completely.
2. **Color Coat (First Layer):** Apply a thin, even layer of DND DC Polish DC023 Blossom Orchid. Allow to air dry for 2-3 minutes.
3. **Color Coat (Second Layer):** Apply a second thin, even layer of DND DC Polish DC023 Blossom Orchid for full opacity. Allow to air dry completely (approximately 5-10 minutes).
4. **Top Coat:** Apply a thin, even layer of a regular nail polish top coat for added shine and protection. Allow to air dry completely.

3.3 Removal of Gel Polish

1. **Buff Top Coat:** Gently buff the top layer of the gel polish with a nail file to break the seal. Be careful not to file down to the natural nail.
2. **Soak:** Saturate a cotton ball with 100% acetone. Place the cotton ball on the nail and wrap it tightly with aluminum foil.
3. **Wait:** Allow nails to soak for 10-15 minutes.
4. **Remove:** Gently push off the softened gel polish with a wooden cuticle stick or metal pusher. Do not scrape or force the polish off, as this can damage the natural nail.
5. **Hydrate:** After removal, wash hands and apply cuticle oil and hand lotion to rehydrate nails and skin.

4. MAINTENANCE

- **Storage:** Store polish bottles upright in a cool, dark place away from direct sunlight and heat. Exposure to light, especially UV/LED light, can cause gel polish to cure in the bottle.
- **Clean Bottle Necks:** Regularly clean the necks of the polish bottles with a lint-free wipe and a small amount of acetone or nail cleanser to prevent caps from sticking and to ensure a tight seal.
- **Cap Tightly:** Always ensure caps are tightly secured after use to prevent air exposure and product drying/thickening.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

Issue: Gel polish is peeling or chipping quickly.

Solution: Ensure proper nail preparation (buffing, cleansing). Apply thin, even coats. Cap the free edge of the nail with each coat. Ensure adequate curing time for each layer under the UV/LED lamp.

Issue: Gel polish feels sticky after curing.

Solution: This is normal for most gel polishes (inhibition layer). Wipe the tacky layer with a lint-free wipe saturated with nail cleanser or isopropyl alcohol after the final top coat cure.

Issue: Gel polish is wrinkling or bubbling.

Solution: Apply thinner coats. Thick coats may not cure properly, leading to wrinkling. Ensure the lamp is functioning correctly and bulbs are not expired.

Issue: Regular polish is streaky or uneven.

Solution: Apply thin, even coats. Allow each coat to dry sufficiently before applying the next. Ensure the brush is not overloaded with polish.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

| Feature | Detail |
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| Brand | DND |
| Model Number | DC023 |
| Product Type | Gel & Regular Nail Polish Set |
| Color | Blossom Orchid (Pink) |
| Liquid Volume | 1 Fluid Ounce (total for both bottles, 0.5 fl oz each) |
| Item Form | Gel |
| Finish Type | Glossy |
| Special Feature | Color Changing |
| Number of Items | 2 (Gel Polish & Regular Polish) |
| Item Weight | 0.01 ounces |
| Age Range (Description) | Adult |

7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Specific warranty information and direct support contacts are not provided within this manual. For details regarding product warranty, returns, or technical assistance, please refer to the product packaging, the official DND website, or contact the retailer where the product was purchased.