

Application Temperature

- 1. In cold conditions vinyl can become brittle and harder to cut, thus requiring unnecessary adjustment of the cutting depth. It can also make application difficult, as the initial adhesion of the vinyl will be reduced and the time taken for the adhesive to cure completely will be longer.
- 2. The recommended application temperature for applying vinyl using a 'dry application method' is at least 10°C and for a 'wet application method' is at least 17°C. Application in temperatures below 10°C is not recommended.
- 3. When applying vinyl graphics to a vehicle in cold weather always try to work indoors and raise the temperature of the vehicle by using a fan heater inside with the vehicle doors open. When this is not possible, for example an exterior application in winter conditions, it is very important to make absolutely sure that the adhesive has established a good bond to the substrate.
- 4. The service temperature range stated in the technical data sheets for each type of vinyl is the recommended temperature when in use.

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