

POLISHER & SWIRL REMOVAL GUIDE

POLISHER REVIEW

DIRECT DRIVE

Effective for the correction of thick, single stage paint and “heavy” wet sanding.
Makita, Festool

DUAL ACTION

Less cutting power. Less heat by-product. Clutch safety mechanism. Great for delicate and thin paint.
Griots DA, Porter Cable

FORCED ROTATION

Power of direct drive combined with dual action oscillation. Designed for 2-stage paint with hardened clear coat.
Flex 3401

DUAL ACTION + THROW

Has the safety of a DA with increased coverage and efficiency thanks to a larger throw. Excellent for irreplaceable paint jobs.
Rupes Bigfoot

REMOVING SWIRLS

RECOMMENDED TOOLS

Polisher
Compound Formula
Microfiber Towels

Microfiber Cutting Pad
Polishing Formula
Masking Tape

Foam Polishing Pad
Isopropanol
Sealant / Wax

- 01** Start by taping off any sensitive areas.
- 02** You may need a 50/50 mix of isopropanol and water to strip the existing wax off.
- 03** Prep the microfiber pad with one light squirt of spray wax. Then prime the pad with a compound. Use your finger to massage it into the fibers.
- 04** Tap the pad over a 2' x 2' area, to spread the product. Use a slow speed to spread the product out evenly, then raise the speed to 5/6 for leveling the swirls..
- 05** Work in overlapping motions, covering 75% of your last stroke. Move in horizontal then vertical motions.
- 06** Work the product until it has broken down and becomes a thinner, lighter color. May take 30 seconds to 1 minute depending on condition and ambient temperature.
- 07** Wipe residue with a microfiber towel.
- 08** Switch to a green foam pad, and apply jewelers polish.
- 09** Repeat techniques 04–06 for effective polishing.
- 10** Remove tape. Wipe away any left over residue with 50/50 mixture of water and isopropanol.
- 11** The paint is ready to be sealed and waxed.