

SNS DIPPING POWDER INSTRUCTIONS

Healthy, Beautiful Nails in 3 Simple Steps



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HEALTHY NATURAL NAILS

SNS is the world leader in dipping powders, and was the first to create a pink & white dipping system.

SNS dipping powders not only produce exceptional beauty, they also result in healthy nails, unlike gel or acrylic. The product is unique in multiple ways:

- Maintains Healthy, Strong Nails
- Lasts Up to 14 Days
- Provides a Mirror Finish
- Resistant to Chipping & Cracking
- Contains Vitamin E & Calcium
- Odor-Free Application
- Requires Zero Drying Time
- Blocks Harmful UV Rays

SNS nails are thinner, lighter, easier to do and most importantly, help your clients' nails grow stronger and healthier.

Gelous Color is the one and only product that is able to create the natural look of a French color tip with a choice of over 400 colors.

Your clients will love the SNS difference, and you'll love the benefits that this high-end product brings to your business:

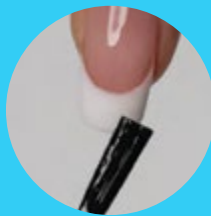
- Grow Profits and Client Base
- Build Customer Loyalty
- Eliminate Chemical Odors



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IMPORTANT– READ THIS FIRST!

PRO TIPS:

- (a) Be sure to brush off loose powder from under the nail.
This will help preserve the purity of the bases and sealers.
- (b) Bottle and brush management are extremely important.
Always wipe your brush before returning to bottle each time to preserve purity of product.
- (c) When applying the bases and sealers, drop the excess at the apex and use tip of brush to glide a thin layer of product on the nail. Move from left to right with long strokes, then move right to middle. Staggering the layers will encourage better bonding and will prevent peeling near the cuticle.
- (d) For pink & white applications, hold finger at a 90 degree angle when tapping off excess to prevent the pink and white from mixing.
- (e) Hold the French Dip Mould somewhat parallel to finger for a curved smile line (side 1). Hold the French Dip Mould perpendicular to finger for a flat smile line (side 2). Always push mould towards finger, not finger to mould.
- (f) Dipping may also be referred to as Hooking, Scooping, Gliding & Spooning. Fresh product in a sanitized container should be used for each client to adhere to EU Compliance standards.
- (g) Wipe bottle necks after each client with pure acetone. Be careful not to introduce any acetone into the product.
- (h) Keep foam inner seal to prevent powder from spilling during transport.
- (i) Easy removal: file off shiny top coat. Saturate cotton ball. Cover nail and wrap in foil for 10 minutes. For faster soak, use warm acetone. Slide foil off gently. Rub in circular motion. Rewrap and check in 5 minutes. Never use force to remove product.
- (j) May use hand sanitizer or alcohol to clean hands. Moisturizing hand sanitizer is not recommended. It may interfere with adhesive properties of the products.

- (k) Never hold bottles in hand. Always use glass gel holders.
- (l) Always keep bases and sealers at room temperature to prevent curing.
- (m) If client's nail beds are oily, prep with E.A. Bond for better adhesion.
- (n) Do not fill color. It is much healthier for the nails to soak off old color and start the process from the beginning.
- (o) Always apply Gel Top, Gelous Base & Gel Base thinly. If the Gel Top is too thick, it will not dry and will wrinkle or lose its shine. If the Gel Base or Gelous Base are too thick, the product will shift.
- (p) Avoid touching cuticle with bases and sealers to prevent lifting.
- (q) Be sure to apply Sealer Dry and Gel Top under the free edge of the nail to prevent water from seeping in between nail and dipping powder application.
- (r) If Gel Base or Gel Top thickens, add a few drops of Gel Thinner and shake bottle.
- (s) If you are having problems, contact us at (888) 445-2786 or info@snsnails.com.



WARNINGS:

1. If bottles caps get stuck, never force open. Simply submerge the entire bottle in boiling hot water for 3 minutes. Then cover with a pedicure towel and gently pry open. Remember to use safety masks, goggles and gloves. Never use pliers or any other tool.
2. Always use product in a well-ventilated area.
3. Always dispose of acetone properly.
4. Stop using product immediately if you or the client experiences breathing problems, rash, coughing, headache or dizziness. Seek medical attention immediately.

1. SNS GELOUS COLOR ON SHORT NATURAL NAILS

ITEMS NEEDED

POWDERS:

Natural Set, Gelous Color, Natural Set Sheer

BASES & SEALERS:

Gelous Base, Sealer Dry, Gel Top, Vitamin Oil



I. PREPARATION STEPS

Before performing any service, always sanitize your own hands and your client's hands.



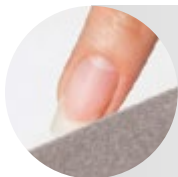
STEP 1

Shape all 10 nails.



STEP 2

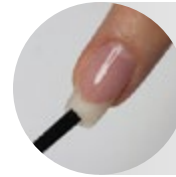
Gently push back cuticles. If cuticle remover is used, client must wash hands before Step 3.



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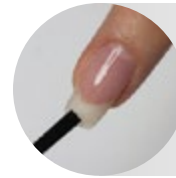
Lightly buff all 10 nails.

II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS



STEP 1

Apply Gelous Base to $\frac{4}{5}$ of nail on all 10 nails.



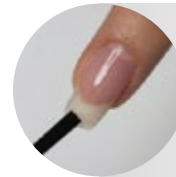
STEP 2

Apply Gelous Base to $\frac{3}{4}$ of nail.



STEP 3

Dip nail in Natural Set. Tap to remove excess. Repeat Steps 2 & 3 on all 10 nails then dust off excess powder.



STEP 4

Apply Gelous Base to nail staying 2 mm away from cuticle. Be sure to wipe off Gelous Base brush on a paper towel before returning to bottle each time.



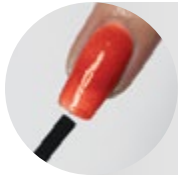
STEP 5

Dip nail in Gelous Color. Tap to remove excess. Repeat Step 4 & 5 on all 10 nails then dust off excess powder.

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1. SNS GELOUS COLOR ON SHORT NATURAL NAILS

II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS (CONT.)



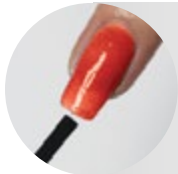
STEP 6

Apply Gelous Base to nail up to cuticle, but not touching it. Clean brush.



STEP 7

Dip nail in Gelous Color. Tap to remove excess. Repeat Step 6 & 7 on all 10 nails then dust off excess powder. Be sure to dust under nail.



STEP 8

Apply Gelous Base staying 2 mm away from cuticle. Clean brush before putting back in bottle.



STEP 9

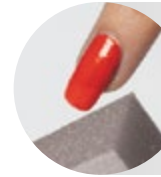
Dip nail in Natural Set Sheer. Tap to remove excess. Repeat Step 8 & 9 on all 10 nails then dust off excess powder.



STEP 10

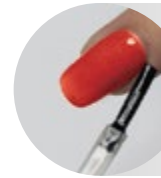
Apply Sealer Dry left to right. Clean brush. Repeat on all 10 nails.

III. FINISHING STEPS



STEP 1

Shape, file, buff and dust.



STEP 2

Apply Sealer Dry. Clean brush before putting back in to bottle every time.



STEP 3

Rinse and dry hands. NO SOAP.



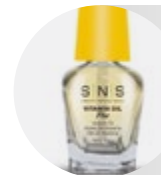
STEP 4

Apply a thin, fast layer of Gel Top from left to right. Do not rebrush. Clean brush.



STEP 5

Apply a second layer of Gel Top from left to right and right to middle. Allow to dry for 2 minutes.



STEP 6

Apply cuticle oil and massage gently.

2. SNS PINK & WHITE ON SHORT NATURAL NAILS

ITEMS NEEDED

POWDERS:

Sunscreen, Natural Pink, French White

BASES & SEALERS:

Gel Base, Sealer Dry, Gel Top, Vitamin Oil
French Dip Mould



I. PREPARATION STEPS

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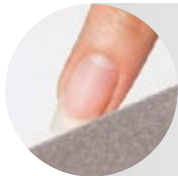
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Shape all 10 nails.



STEP 2

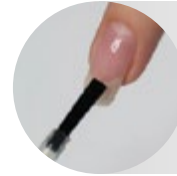
Gently push back cuticles. If cuticle remover is used, client must wash hands before Step 3.



STEP 3

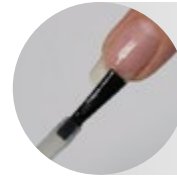
Lightly buff all 10 nails.

II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS



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Apply Gel Base to $\frac{4}{5}$ of nail on all 10 nails.



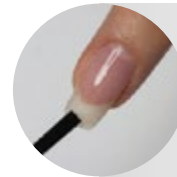
STEP 2

Apply Gel Base to $\frac{3}{4}$ of nail.



STEP 3

Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Repeat Steps 2 & 3 then dust off excess powder.



STEP 4

Apply Gel Base staying 2 mm away from cuticle. Clean brush.



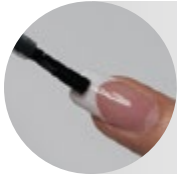
STEP 5

Using French Dip Mould, dip nail in French White to create smile line. Tap to remove excess. Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust.

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2. SNS PINK & WHITE ON SHORT NATURAL NAILS

II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS (CONT.)



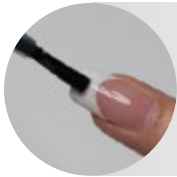
STEP 6

Apply Gel Base to nail 1 mm away from cuticle but not touching it. Repeat. Clean brush.



STEP 7

Dip nail in French White. Tap to remove excess. Dip nail in Natural Pink. Tap to remove excess. Use finger to wipe off excess powder under nail. Dust.



STEP 8

Apply Gel Base to entire nail. Repeat. Clean brush.



STEP 9

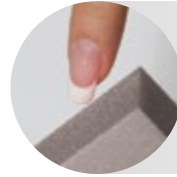
Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust.



STEP 10

Apply Sealer Dry. Clean brush.

III. FINISHING STEPS



STEP 1

Shape, file, buff and dust. Apply Sealer Dry to all 10 nails.



STEP 2

Rinse and dry hands.



STEP 3

Apply a thin, fast layer of Gel Top from left to right. Clean brush.



STEP 4

Apply a second layer of Gel Top from left to right and right to middle. Allow to dry for 2 minutes. Clean brush.



STEP 5

Apply cuticle oil and massage gently.

3. SNS GELOUS COLOR ON MEDIUM NATURAL NAILS

ITEMS NEEDED

POWDERS:

Natural Set, Gelous Color, Natural Set Sheer

BASES & SEALERS:

Gelous Base, Sealer Dry, Gel Top, Vitamin Oil



I. PREPARATION STEPS

Before performing any service, always sanitize your own hands and your client's hands.



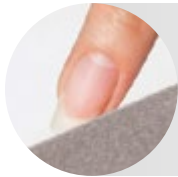
STEP 1

Shape all 10 nails.



STEP 2

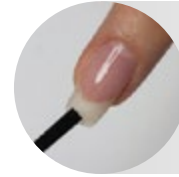
Gently push back cuticles. If cuticle remover is used, client must wash hands before Step 3.



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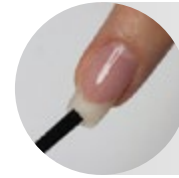
Lightly buff all 10 nails.

II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS



STEP 1

Apply Gelous Base to $\frac{4}{5}$ of nail on all 10 nails.



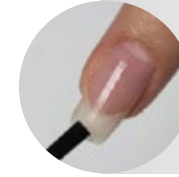
STEP 2

Apply Gelous Base in a thin strip on $\frac{1}{2}$ of the nail avoiding sidewalls. Repeat. Be sure to wipe off Gelous Base brush on a paper towel before returning to bottle.



STEP 3

Dip nail in Natural Set. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



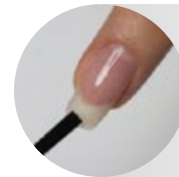
STEP 4

Apply Gelous Base in a thicker longer strip to $\frac{3}{4}$ of nail. Repeat.



STEP 5

Dip nail in Natural Set. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



STEP 6

Apply Gelous Base to nail, staying 2 mm away from cuticle. Repeat. Clean brush.

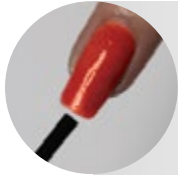
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II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS (CONT.)



STEP 7

Dip nail in Gelous Color. Tap to remove excess. Repeat Steps 7 & 8 then dust off excess powder.



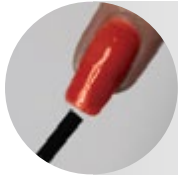
STEP 8

Apply Gelous Base to nail avoiding cuticle. Clean brush.



STEP 9

Dip nail in Gelous Color. Tap to remove excess. Repeat Steps 9 & 10 then dust off excess powder.



STEP 10

Apply Gelous Base staying 2 mm away from cuticle



STEP 11

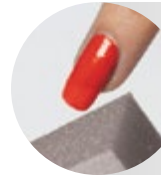
Dip nail in Natural Set Sheer. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



STEP 12

Apply Sealer Dry.

III. FINISHING STEPS



STEP 1

Shape, file, buff and dust.



STEP 2

Apply Sealer Dry.



STEP 3

Rinse and dry hands. NO SOAP.



STEP 4

Apply a thin, fast layer of Gel Top from left to right. Clean brush.



STEP 5

Apply a second layer of Gel Top from left to right and right to middle. Clean brush. Allow to dry for 2 minutes.



STEP 6

Apply cuticle oil and massage gently.

4. SNS PINK & WHITE ON MEDIUM NATURAL NAILS

ITEMS NEEDED

POWDERS:

Sunscreen, Natural Pink, French White

BASES & SEALERS:

Gel Base, Sealer Dry, Gel Top, Vitamin Oil
French Dip Mould



I. PREPARATION STEPS

Before performing any service, always sanitize your own hands and your client's hands with 100% alcohol.



STEP 1

Shape all 10 nails.



STEP 2

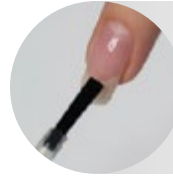
Gently push back cuticles. If cuticle remover is used, client must wash hands before Step 3.



STEP 3

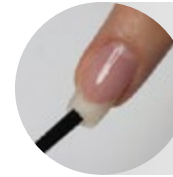
Lightly buff all 10 nails.

II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS



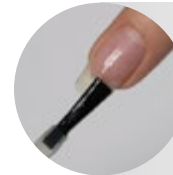
STEP 1

Apply Gel Base to $\frac{4}{5}$ of nail on all 10 nails.



STEP 2

Apply Gel Base in a thin strip on $\frac{1}{2}$ of the nail avoiding sidewalls. Repeat. Be sure to wipe off Gel Base brush on a paper towel before returning to bottle.



STEP 3

Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



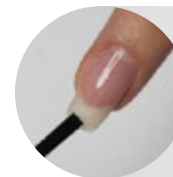
STEP 4

Apply Gel Base in a thicker longer strip to $\frac{3}{4}$ of nail. Repeat.



STEP 5

Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust.



STEP 6

Apply Gel Base to nail staying 2 mm away from cuticle. Repeat. Clean brush.

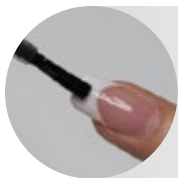
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II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS (CONT.)



STEP 7

Using French Dip Mould, dip nail in French White to create smile line. Tap to remove excess. Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust.



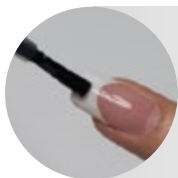
STEP 8

Apply Gel Base to nail staying 1 mm away from cuticle. Repeat. Clean brush.



STEP 9

Dip nail in French White. Tap to remove excess. Dip nail in Natural Pink. Tap to remove excess. Dust.



STEP 10

Apply Gel Base to entire nail. Repeat. Clean brush.



STEP 11

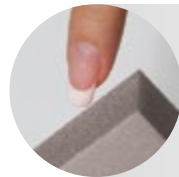
Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust.



STEP 12

Apply Sealer Dry. Clean brush.

III. FINISHING STEPS



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Shape, file, buff and dust. Apply Sealer Dry.



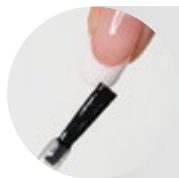
STEP 2

Rinse and dry hands. NO SOAP.



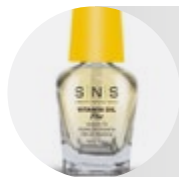
STEP 3

Apply a thin, fast layer of Gel Top from left to right. Clean brush.



STEP 4

Apply a second layer of Gel Top from left to right and right to middle. Clean brush. Allow to dry for 2 minutes.



STEP 5

Apply cuticle oil and massage gently.

5. SNS GELOUS COLOR ON NEW SET

ITEMS NEEDED

POWDERS:

Natural Set, Gelous Color, Natural Set Sheer

BASES & SEALERS:

Nail Tip Glue, Gelous Base, Sealer Dry, Gel Top, Vitamin Oil



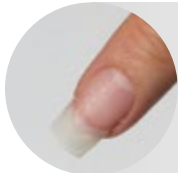
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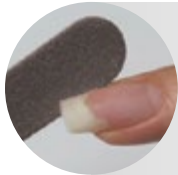
STEP 1

On manicured hands, apply Sealer Dry to free edge of nail on all ten fingers.



STEP 2

Apply Brush on Glue to tips to affix tips to natural nails.



STEP 3

Cut and shape nails.

II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS



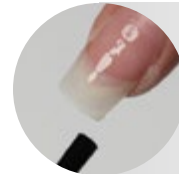
STEP 1

Apply Gelous Base to seam between tip and natural nail in a thin strip.



STEP 2

Dip nail in Natural Set. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



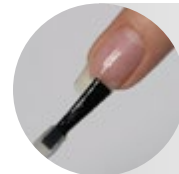
STEP 3

Apply Gelous Base on the nail in a narrow, small strip just above the horizontal stroke in Step 1. End just below free edge.



STEP 4

Dip nail in Natural Set. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



STEP 5

Apply Gelous Base to $\frac{3}{4}$ of nail in another thin strip wider than Step 3. Clean brush.

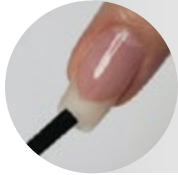


STEP 6

Dip nail in Natural Set. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.

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II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS (CONT.)



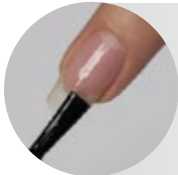
STEP 7

Apply Gelous Base to $\frac{4}{5}$ of nail staying 2 mm away from sidewalls. Clean brush.



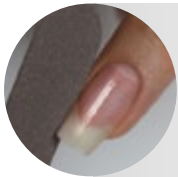
STEP 8

Dip nail in Natural Set. Tap to remove excess. Dust.



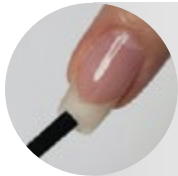
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Apply Sealer Dry.



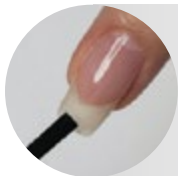
STEP 10

Shape, file, buff and dust.



STEP 11

Apply Gelous Base to $\frac{4}{5}$ of nail staying 1 mm away from cuticle on all 10 nails. Clean brush. Allow to dry.



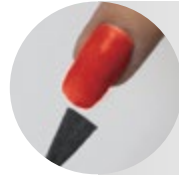
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Apply Gelous Base to nail, staying 2 mm away from cuticle. Clean brush.



STEP 13

Dip nail in Gelous Color. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



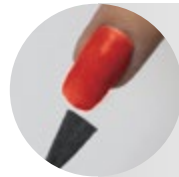
STEP 14

Apply Gelous Base to entire nail. Clean brush.



STEP 15

Dip nail in Gelous Color. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



STEP 16

Apply Gelous Base to entire nail. Clean brush.



STEP 17

Dip nail in Natural Set Sheer. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.

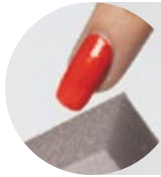


STEP 18

Apply Sealer Dry. Clean brush.

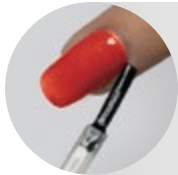
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III. FINISHING STEPS



STEP 1

Shape, file, buff and dust.



STEP 2

Apply Sealer Dry. Clean brush.



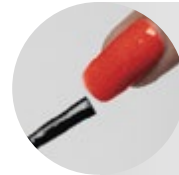
STEP 3

Rinse and dry hands.



STEP 4

Apply a thin, fast layer of Gel Top. Clean brush.



STEP 5

Apply a second layer of Gel Top left to right and right to middle. Clean brush. Allow to dry for 2 minutes.



STEP 6

Apply cuticle oil and massage gently.



6. SNS PINK & WHITE ON NEW SET

ITEMS NEEDED

POWDERS:

Sunscreen, Natural Pink, French White

BASES & SEALERS:

Nail Tip Glue, Gel Base, Sealer Dry, Gel Top, Vitamin Oil

French Dip Mould



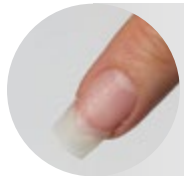
I. PREPARATION STEPS

Before performing any service, always sanitize your own hands and your client's hands with 100% alcohol.



STEP 1

On manicured hands, apply Sealer Dry to free edge of nail on all ten fingers.



STEP 2

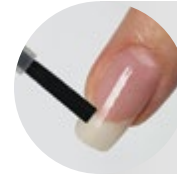
Apply Brush on Glue to tips and apply to natural nails.



STEP 3

Cut and shape nails.

II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS



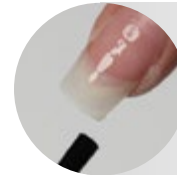
STEP 1

Apply Gel Base to seam between tip and natural nail in a thin strip.



STEP 2

Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



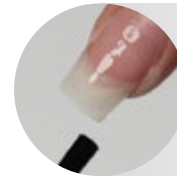
STEP 3

Apply Gel Base on the nail in a small, narrow strip just above the horizontal stroke in Step 1. End just below free edge.



STEP 4

Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



STEP 5

Apply Gel Base to $\frac{3}{4}$ of nail in another thin strip wider than Step 3.

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II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS (CONT.)



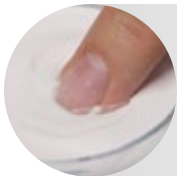
STEP 6

Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.



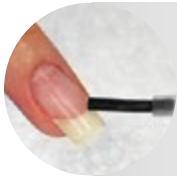
STEP 7

Apply Gel Base to $\frac{4}{5}$ of nail staying 2 mm from sidewall. Clean brush



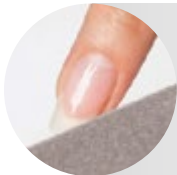
STEP 8

Dip nail in Sunscreen.
Tap to remove excess. Dust.



STEP 9

Apply Sealer Dry.



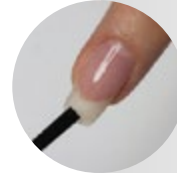
STEP 10

Shape, file, buff and dust.



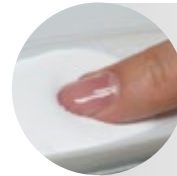
STEP 11

Apply Gel Base to $\frac{4}{5}$ of nail staying 1 mm away from cuticle on all 10 nails. Clean brush. Allow to dry.



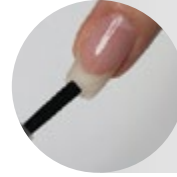
STEP 12

Apply Gel Base to nail, staying 2 mm away from cuticle. Clean brush.



STEP 13

Use French Dip Mould to dip nail in French White to create smile line. Tap to remove excess. Dip in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess. Dust.



STEP 14

Apply Gel Base to entire nail staying 1 mm away from cuticle. Repeat. Clean brush.

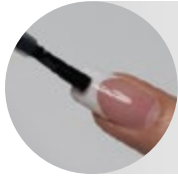


STEP 15

Slide French Mould to dip nail in French White. Tap to remove excess. Dip nail in Natural Pink. Tap to remove excess. Dust off excess powder.

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II. DIPPING POWDER STEPS (CONT.)



STEP 16

Apply Gel Base to entire nail. Repeat.
Clean brush.



STEP 17

Dip nail in Sunscreen. Tap to remove excess.
Dust off excess powder.

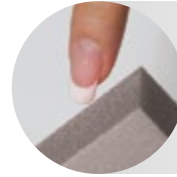


STEP 18

Apply Sealer Dry. Clean brush

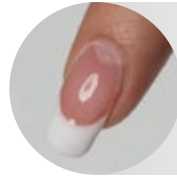


III. FINISHING STEPS



STEP 1

Shape, file, buff and dust.



STEP 2

Rinse and dry hands.



STEP 3

Apply a thin, fast layer of Gel Top from
left to right. Clean brush.



STEP 4

Apply a second layer of Gel Top from
left to right and right to middle.
Allow to dry for 2 minutes. Clean brush.



STEP 5

Apply cuticle oil and massage gently.

SNS GELOUS COLOR REFILL

RECOMMENDATION

SNS recommends that you do not fill Gelous Color. It is much healthier for the nails if you soak off the old Gelous Color, and start the process from the beginning.

For half-moon Gelous Color, visit us online at www.snsnails.com for more information.

HOW TO SOAK OFF

STEP 1

File off the shine of the Gel Top on all 10 nails.

STEP 2

Foil with acetone or soak in acetone for 10 minutes and then wipe off with a paper towel.

HOW TO USE GEL BRUSH

STEP 1

Always lay the brush down on its side.

STEP 2

Before any dipping powder, apply bases from left to right then from right to middle.

STEP 3

Always apply Gel Top thinly. If it is too thick it will not dry and will lose its shine.

HOW TO USE FRENCH DIP MOULD

SIDE 1

Use for curvy nails.

SIDE 2

Use for flat nails.



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