

SCULPTING - (FRENCH WHITE FREE EDGE) - Akzentz Classic Line

PREP

- spray each nail with Nail Prep and wipe well with terry towel
- apply cuticle softener (Orly- Cutique) to each cuticle
- with metal cuticle pusher gently remove any non living tissue from the nail plate
- again spray each nail with Nail Prep and wipe with towel (to de-activate cuticle remover)
- remove the shine from the natural nail using electric file (medium sanding band/low speed) or hand file (180 grit)
- dust each nail with a synthetic brush
- with cotton saturated well with Nail Prep wipe each nail (paying attention to sidewalls)
- apply Methacrylic Primer (Primer Pen- MAP) sparingly to each nail and let it dry to chalky white surface or Affixit (acid free primer) and let dry 1 min (Affixit doesn't dry to chalky white- it's normal)

APPLICATION

- with a short oval brush apply small amount of **Bonding gel** to all 10 nails. "Rub" the Bonding gel into the nails. Make sure that gel never touches the skin or floods the sidewalls. The surface of the nails should still look "grainy" and scratched, not glossy. If the nails look glossy, too much Bonding gel is applied.
- apply form on 1 nail at a time.
- with oval brush apply **Builder French White** to create extension (1 nail at a time). The amount of the white gel should be even with natural nail looking from the side.
- apply second layer of Builder French White to create smile line. Start in the middle, with light pressing/pushing movements create right side of the "smile". Gently bring the gel to the free edge. If you need pick up another ball of gel and starting again in the middle create left side of the smile. Bring the gel down to the free edge.
- Apply **Natural Clear** from the cuticle to the smile line using light floating movements. Make sure that the surface is as even as possible and sidewalls are reinforced. Cure 2 min.
- Feather Natural Clear to fill any low areas if necessary. Cure 2 min.

FINISHING

- with cotton saturated well with Gel Cleanser wipe all 10 nails. The nails and the surrounding skin should never feel "sticky"
- using 100/180 file shape the free edge and the sides.
- with cone drill bit remove excess of the white gel from under the nail.
- using electric file (medium sanding band) shape entire surface of the nail from side to side. Remember about proper bit angle.
- dust nails with synthetic brush
- using white buffing block (180 grit) even out the surface of the gel.
- turn the hand upside down (fingertips towards the ceiling) and shape the free edge (that gives you client's view)
- dust nails with synthetic brush
- with cotton saturated in Akzentz Nail Prep wipe all 10 nails. Make sure that you or the client doesn't touch the nails (** important)
- apply **Top Gloss** to all 10 nails. Use light and even strokes. Cure 2:00- 2:20 min.
- with cotton saturated with Gel Cleanser wipe all 10 nails.
- apply cuticle oil.

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