# Alloy Rim Protectors

## Protection With Style



### **IMPORTANT**

Rimblades are reversible and can be fitted either way round depending on your wheel rim shape. They can be trimmed with scissors if required.

Balance weights need to be fitted inside the wheels and removed from lip.

50% tape bond is reached after 20 minutes, 90% after 24 hours and 100% bond is reached after 1 week. Do not exceed 40mph in first 24 hours after fitting. During cold weather these times are extended, but the tape is designed to be fitted in cold conditions.

Will not stick to wheels coated in low energy surface coatings and cleaners.

Will not stick to silicone residue left from wheel and tyre cleaners.

Acid based wheel cleaners are not recommended.

Inspect on a regular basis and replace if damaged.

Wash your hands after handling the wipes included in this kit or wear latex gloves.

Clean Rimblades with soap and water.

# Rimblades Fitting

#### Step 1

Wash & dry wheels. Remove any wheel cleaner and tyre spray residues. Any silicone based products left on the wheels will prevent Rimblades adhesion.

#### Step 2

Use the alcohol (IPA) wipes provided to remove any remaining dirt & grease from wheel rims. Ensure that the top and face surfaces are cleaned.



#### Step 3

Using the primer wipes provided, coat the wheel rim surface where the Rimblades will fit to the wheels. It is most important that complete coverage is obtained. Drying time of the primer is between 1 and 5 minutes depending on air temperature.



Step 4

Apply the Rimblades to the wheels. Remove the backing tape as you go and push the Rimblades onto the rim evenly all the way round the wheel with firm equal pressure. Do not stretch the Rimblades.

#### Step 5

Overlap the ends and carefully mark and cut where the two ends meet. We recommend that you use a pencil to mark the top and bottom sides to ensure you cut at the correct angle.

#### Step 6

Apply further equal pressure around circumference of all 4 Rimblades. A damp cloth will assist in adding smooth equal pressure.



#### Step 7

Using the alcohol (IPA) wipes, remove any primer residue left on the wheels.

#### PLEASE NOTE

Rimblades should be fitted within 30 minutes of primer application.

When removing Rimblades, pull them off slowly and the tape will come off the wheels with the Rimblades. Any minor tape residue can be easily cleaned off with alcohol wipes. Rimblades do not have to be removed when your tyres are changed if your tyre dealer is careful.