

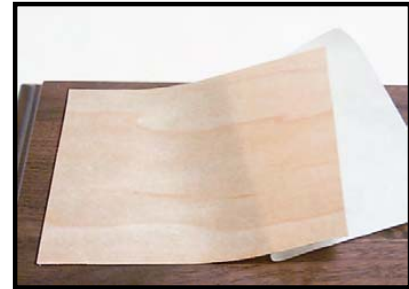
# TECH TIP

## Laser Engraving with Wood Thins Laminate

Add value and decorative pizzazz to plaques and gift items with Wood Thins Laminate. Made from real wood, these laminates are easily laser cut or engraved and feature a self adhesive back and clear coated front side.

- Start by clipping of a small section with an ordinary scissor and applying it to the area of the plaque to be decorated. Murphy's Law dictates making the piece of the Wood Thin larger to compensate for any measurement errors.

To apply the Wood Thin material, peel away the white backing paper to reveal the sticky mounting material. Gently apply the Wood Thins piece keeping in mind the direction of the grain.



- Use low power settings to engrave and cut the Wood Thins material.

Typical settings for 35 watt system would be 100 speed and 35 power for engraving and 20 speed and 4 power for cutting.



- After the engraving and cutting process is complete, remove the unwanted areas of Wood Thins and burnish the remaining area with the smooth side of the white backing paper.

A damp cloth will remove any remaining smoke residue.



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