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RE: **NEW LINE OF WAXES**

Rupert, Gibbon & Spider Inc., manufacturers of Jacquard Products, is pleased to announce a **new line of waxes**, the latest addition to the company's vast selection of products. Jacquard Products introduces 6 new waxes, to complement their popular **Dorland's Wax**, **Yellow Beeswax**, and **Batik Wax**. Many of the waxes are suitable for batik and candlemaking and others are for use with encaustic painting. Encaustic painting, which is gaining in popularity, is an ancient art form and involves painting with hot wax. Many of these waxes come in easy to measure granules or pellets. The complete line of waxes is as follows:



- **Yellow Beeswax** - 1 lb. block of 100% pure yellow refined beeswax for batik and candlemaking.
Item# 9901102 List price: \$13.79
- **White Beeswax** - 1 lb. bag this granular white beeswax can be used or alone or mixed with Damar resin to make encaustic medium. Item# 9901502 List price: \$15.49
- **Batik Wax** - 1 lb. block of a 50/50 blend of paraffin and microcrystalline waxes, this blend will give better control over the distinctive "crackle" effect in traditional batik.
Item# 9902102 List price: \$11.49
- **Microcrystalline Wax** - 1 lb. block of this synthetic wax is used in encaustic painting as a substitute for the encaustic medium. Can also be used for batik. Item# 9901532 List price: \$6.99
- **Paraffin** - is relatively brittle and will flake when used alone for batik and therefore is commonly mixed with microcrystalline wax. Can be used for cleaning brushes used for encaustic.
1 lb. bag Item# 9901542 List price: \$4.95
- **Soy Wax** - these biodegradable and non-toxic wax flakes come from a renewable resource as it is a vegetable by product and is popular for candlemaking. Can be used for batik.
1 lb. bag Item# 9901552 List price: \$4.99
- **Encaustic Medium** - This 1 lb. bag of an 8/1 blend of white filtered beeswax and damar resin is perfect for encaustic applications. Mix with any encaustic paint, powdered pigment or suitable colorant.
Item# 9901522 List price: \$24.99
- **Damar Resin** - These crystals are resin from a tree found in the East Indies. It is used for hardening beeswax and raising its melting temperature when used in encaustic applications.
8 oz. bag Item# 9901511 List price: \$7.49
- **Dorland's Wax** - A painting medium that can be mixed with oil paints, powdered pigments, colored sands, dyes, and other compatible fine art materials.
4 oz. jar Item: VDW0001 List price: \$7.99
16 oz. jar Item: VDW1001 List price: \$19.99

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