

Simple Techniques - Stunning Effects

## BIG CAT PRINT BOX



MATERIALS

CCX458 4" Cube Box
Fan Brush
Paper Towel
Bowl of Clean Water

## COLORS

CMM 19 - Banana Boat CMM 72 - Sahara

## INSTRUCTIONS

We did this box in neutral colors, but it could be done with any two colors.

1. Start by painting the box with 3 coats of Banana Boat.
2. Tear up your paper towels in to stripes.
3. Working one stripe at a time, dip the stripe in your water and place it on the box.
4. Continue until the lid and the sides have stripes on them and allow them to dry.
5. Once the box is dry, paint one layer of Banana Boat on top of the stripes to seal them down.
6. Allow that layer to dry before you use your fan brush to paint on 3 coats of Sahara on the box.
7. When the background is dry use a straight pin to remove the stripes by poking the stripe and scooping the pin upward to lift the stripe.

## TIPS

- Paint a layer of the base color on top of the stripes before doing the next color will help get a cleaner line when you remove the stripes.
- When you remove the stripes, don't pick at the edge with the pin. Instead, poke the stripe about $1 / 4$ " from the edge and scoop upward to release it.

