

# **Fabric Glue**

## **ACRYLIC BASED ADHESIVE**

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#### **SMART ADVANTAGES**

- -Strong bond on all substrates
- -Good wet tack
- -Excellent adhesion

## **DESCRIPTION**

Bostik's Fabric glue has been developed as a water adhesive based on acrylic copolymer. Bostik's Fabric glue has high solid content and good flexibility.

## **FUNCTIONAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Bostik Fabric Glue is a water-based acrylic adhesive, ideal for fabric repairs and crafts. It is perfect for making long lasting, flexible bonds on porous fabrics such as cotton, denim, linen, felt and leather. After one minute drying time, it produces an instant bond that allows gentle handling. Once completely dry bond, It can be machine washed and ironed.

Bostik Fabric Glue has a low odour, is easy to use and easily washes off fingers.

Bostik Fabric Glue can be used for clothing (hems, trouser turn-ups, pockets, and repairing worn sleeves) labelling (attaching cloth labels & badges to children's clothes), Laces (when lace ends fray, take a small amount of Bostik Fabric Glue and quickly roll on to the end of your lace). Furnishings (taking up curtain hems, attaching pelmets and decorating soft furnishings), tears (repair torn fabric using a patch, apply Bostik Fabric Glue to the inside of the garment and to the patch then smooth into place), and buttons (a drop of Bostik Fabric Glue applied to buttons stops them unthreading).



TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS	
Main ingredient	Acrylic copolymer
Appearance	Milky white liquid
Solid content	61-63 %
Viscosity (25°C)	Max. 1,000 cps
рН	4-6
Density	1.07 ± 0.02 g/cm <sup>3</sup>

## **APPLICATION**

#### **PREPARATION**

- Fabrics and materials must be clean, dry and free from grease, dust or loose material and one surface should be porous.
- Work on a protected surface and take care during use, not to spill or splash the adhesive onto other fabrics or surfaces.

#### **APPLICATION**

- For best result, first practise on a scrap of material or unseen area.
- Point the tube away from you and unscrew the cap. Push the top of the cap into the top of the tube to pierce the tube then screw on the applicator.
- Squeeze from the base of the tube, apply a bead of glue to each of the surfaces to be joined and spread it out with the applicator.
- Press both surfaces together immediately. Allow to dry before rough handling. Drying times may vary. Remains flexible when dry.
- Remove the applicator and replace the cap.
  Wash the applicator in warm water ready for next time.
- Ironing will improve product performance.
- When dry, the bonds are flexible and permanent. They may be machine-washed, tumble dried and ironed.

NOTE: On some open-weave, light shades and delicate fabrics the glue may come through on the other side due to the adhesive passing through the weave. Application of excessive adhesive or pressure may cause similar effect and darkening of the fabric may be observed. If in doubt, carefully test a small area before proceeding.

## **CLEANING**

- Wet adhesive on fabrics and porous surfaces must be quickly washed with warm soapy water. Repeat if necessary, with fresh warm soapy water, then rinse and dry.
- Dried adhesive on smooth non-porous surfaces may be rubbed off or cleaned with warm soapy water.
- Dried adhesive on fabrics is very difficult to remove.
- Always test the effect of any cleaner or solvent on an inconspicuous area of the fabric to be cleaned and check that area when dry.

## **STORAGE STABILITY**

Bostik Fabric Glue must always be kept in tightly closed containers. Whenever contents are taken from a container or transferred from one container to another. Small quantities should therefore be taken not from a large container, but from a suitable sized container intended for current use.

Container made of glass, plastics, or ceramic with a suitable liner, apart from the original containers are primarily suitable for keeping Bostik Fabric Glue. Suitable closures include caps with seals. Seals made from materials that release alkaline substances are unsuitable.

## **STORAGE**

- Store in dry and cool place below 30°C.
- Use within 18 months from the date of manufacturing.

PACKAGING	
Product Code	30625142
Volume	20ml

The application recommendations are defined by standards of use. Consult our safety data sheets for precautions to use.

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