



Bostik Fabric Glue

MACHINE WASHABLE GLUE FOR FABRICS

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SMART ADVANTAGES

- Permanent adhesive for clothing, fabric repairs and crafts
- Ultra strong, long-lasting, and flexible bond
- Withstands machine-washing and ironing

DESCRIPTION

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 bonds can be machine washed and ironed. Bostik Fabric Glue has a low odour, and easily washes off fingers.

USES

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)
- Buttons (a drop of Bostik Fabric Glue applied to buttons stops them unthreading).

LIMITATIONS: Bostik Fabric Glue is not suitable for 100% nylon or polyester fabrics, or for any non-porous fabric or material.



PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

Technology	Acrylic co-polymer
Appearance	Milky White Liquid
Typical working time	5-10 minutes
Full cure	24 hours

USING FABRIC GLUE

Please read and understand the Safety Data Sheet before using this product. SDS can be acquired by visiting www.bostik.com.au.

Ensure all surfaces that will be in contact with the sealant must be clean, dry, and free of dust, dirt, rust, oil, and other contaminants.

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 results, first practice 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.
- Squeezing 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 & SHELF LIFE

Store in a cool, dry conditions below 25°C out of direct sunlight. Shelf life is 12 months from the date of manufacture when stored as directed.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Always read the Technical Data Sheet and Safety Data Sheet (SDS) before handling or use. Full product safety information required for safe use is not included in this data sheet. SDS available by request or at www.bostik.com.au

All recommendations and suggestions are for guidance only, as conditions of use are outside of our control.

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