

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS FOR STICKY FLOCKTM RHINESTONE TEMPLATE MATERIAL Copyright 2011

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- First, take the clear plastic cover sheet off and set it to the side, but don't throw it away. If there is a bubble between the template material and the backer paper, simply use a squeegee on the backside of the sheet of Sticky Flock[™] to smooth it out.
- Prior to cutting your template, adjust your blade so that it sticks out just far enough to cut through the template material but not enough to cut through the backer paper. If your cutter has a Test Cut button, press that and peel the small square off and check to see if the blade cut through the backer paper. If your cutter does not have a Test Cut button, make a small square with a circle in it in the lower left hand corner of your design window on your computer and cut that. It's fine if the blade slightly scratches the backer paper.

FOR CRICUT CUTTERS:

- You should cut your sheet of Sticky Flock [™] in half prior to using it.
- Peel the template material off of the backer paper and stick it to your Cricut mat before inserting it into the machine. Set the backer paper aside but don't throw it away.
- Depth using a Cricut Sticky Flock[™] Blade 3 1/2
- Use MEDIUM pressure
- Use MEDIUM speed
- Use TWO passes
- Peel your template and the holes will weed beautifully right onto the mat! Just take your squeegee and scrape the circles right off into the trash.
- Take the backer paper that you set aside earlier and place you template in the corner of it and cut around it so that you can use the leftovers for your next templates!

FOR VINYL CUTTERS/PLOTTERS:

- If you have a 65 Degree Blade, you can use 120-130 grams of downforce and only use one pass.
- With a standard 60 degree blade, you can either use 180 grams of downforce and do one pass or approximately 140 grams of downforce and do two passes. If you do two passes and circles are popping off of the sheet while it's cutting, then you really only need to do one pass.
- Place your sheet of Sticky Flock[™] in your cutter and lower one pinch roller. Smooth the sheet of template material across over the cutting strip, but don't pull it really tight, and then lower your second pinch roller.

- After cutting your template, grip the corner of the template in the far left corner and quickly peel it off of the backer paper. The circles should stay on the backer paper. If they don't, use your squeegee to firmly press your template to the cover sheet, a sticky mat, your desk, or a table. Then slowly peel your Sticky Flock[™] template. If the holes don't start to weed, try peeling from another corner or side. Depending on where the blade began, the holes will weed best when the template is being pulled from the opposite side. Simply use your squeegee to scrape the circles into the trash.
- Take your sheet of Sticky Flock[™] out of your cutter and using scissors, cut the backer paper off where the template came from. Use your squeegee to scrape any circles off into the trash. Place your template on the glossy side. This becomes what you use to store your template!

Your templates can be stored in a binder, a small accordian-type file case, or a filing drawer. You can store hundreds and hundreds of Sticky Flock[™] in a small filing drawer!

If you have any questions at all, please send an email to <u>sales@synergy17.com</u> and we will be more than happy to help you out! If you would like to speak to someone directly, please include your telephone number and we will call you promptly.