



## STAINING/DISCOLORATION STATEMENT

Glue Dots® Brand Products are produced using a variety of synthetic, rubber-based adhesives. To give these adhesives their removable capabilities, varying degrees of oils are used during the production process. In the vast majority of cases, these oils will not stain or discolor the products being adhered together in any way. At the same time, there are no absolutes as the effects of the oils are very substrate specific based on the absorption properties of the surfaces. In general, as the permanence of the adhesive increases the concentration of oil decreases. Therefore, our more removable adhesives will have a greater chance of staining than will our permanent adhesives. Due to these factors, we recommend thoroughly testing the performance of the adhesives in actual use whenever discoloration is a concern. To speed up the testing time we suggest applying the dots to the substrates and heating them to 150°F for 3 days (72 hours) to simulate results at room temperature after 6 months.

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