STICKY +
Self-Adhesive, Tear-Away Stabilizer
The ideal stabilizer for hooped, computerized machine embroidery

Use Sticky + in or under your hoop and eliminate hoop marks on all fabrics. Great to hold small areas like pockets, edges, button rows, ribbon, cuffs, collars, socks, doll clothes, etc. without basting them. Just peel off the paper-backed release sheet and apply. No heat required.

Great For:
- Knit Fabric
- Caps
- Ultra Suede
- Velvet
- Brushed Velour
- Brushed Denim
- Sweatshirt Fleece
- Silk
- Flannel
- Nylon
- Doll clothes
- Pockets
- Cuffs & Collars
- Socks
- Ribbon

COLOR: White
SIZE: 21-1/2” x 30”
Instructions Included
Item no. 551-01
Tips on using Sulky Sticky+™

When stitching Computerized Embroidery Designs:

1. Hoop Sulky Sticky with the paper side up, the way you would hoop a piece of fabric. Using a small sharp knife or straight pin, score the paper and pull it away from the adhesive layer. Then, finger press your fabric to the Sticky. Attach the hoop to the embroidery machine. For support needed for thin or unstable fabrics, place a layer or two of Sulky Tear-Easy Stabilizer under the hoop, and embroider. For best results remove excess Sticky from fabric within several hours of application.

2. Another way to use Sulky Sticky is to use only the outer portion of the hoop for your embroidery machine. Peel off and discard the paper release sheet backing from the Sticky and affix the adhesive side to the bottom of the outer portion of your hoop. Place your fabric on the hoop and finger press to adhere it to the Sticky. Put the hoop on your embroidery machine. If more support is needed, place a layer or two of Sulky Tear-Easy Stabilizer under the hoop, and embroider. For best results remove excess Sticky from fabric within several hours of application. To remove any adhesive buildup on embroidery hoop use Goo-Gone™. Available at most fabric and hardware store.

3. When embroidering small items, you won't have to baste them to the Sticky. Just finger press them onto Sticky. Fast and easy!

4. Sticky also makes Ready-to-Wear much easier to embroider. Areas like cuffs, collars and necks can be finger-pressed to the Sticky and embroidered without any additional preparation. For best results remove excess Sticky from fabric within several hours of application.

5. If Sticky is used to stabilize sweatshirt fleece or fuzzy knits for any type of embroidery or applique, when you remove the excess within several hours of application, the Sticky will not pull the fuzz off the fleece like conventional iron-on stabilizers can.

6. Because you don't use the inside half of the hoop to hold the fabric to be embroidered, you won't crush or leave a hoop mark when embroidering on bonded fabrics like Ultra Suede, velvet, brush, flannel, corduroy, toweling, etc. Just adhere Sticky to the back of the larger hoop that attaches to the machine and finger press the fabric onto the Sulky Sticky Stabilizer. Try pinning Sulky Sulky Water Soluble Stabilizer onto the top of the fabric to hold the snap out of the stitching. For added support try one or two layers of Sulky Tear-Easy Stabilizer under the hoop. You are ready to cover the professional way! For best results remove excess Sticky from fabric within several hours of application.

7. For hand work projects like Counted Cross Stitch, Silk Ribbon Embroidery, etc., when fabric isn't large enough to fit in the hoop, affix Sulky Sticky to outer edges of fabric to make them larger. Also protect the outside edges of canvas by folding Sticky over them.

Read this information before using!

1. It is best if most fabrics are not in touch with the adhesive on Sticky+ for more than one hour. This is particularly important on slippery, satin-like fabrics.

2. Temperature extremes will affect Sticky+. The product performs best if used in a 60 to 80 degree environment. Warmer weather and higher humidity can cause increased bonding. Cold weather may reduce bonding.

3. Sticky+ is engineered not to stick to needles. Temperature extremes can affect this. Certain fuzzy fabrics and fabric sizings can cause gunking of the needle. Clean a gummy needle with acetone.

4. ALWAYS TEST on a small swatch of the intended fabric before proceeding with the project.

5. Not recommended for use on the right side of the fabric except for momentary tracing when using as a template.

NOTE: Remove excess Sticky completely before applying heat from an iron or clothes dryer.
Try these other quality Sulky Stabilizers

**SOLVY.**
Water Soluble Stabilizer
The perfect stabilizer and transfer agent that dissolves in water.

**TEAR-EASY.**
Soft, Lightweight, Tear-Away Stabilizer
Provides great stability combined with effortless removal that doesn’t pull, tear or damage fabrics.

**TOTALLY STABLE.**
Iron-On, Tear-Away Stabilizer
Totally stabilizes virtually any fabric in seconds with no-time-consuming pinning.

**HEAT-AWAY.**
Brush Off Stabilizer
Special heat-sensitive woven fabric that disintegrates with a hot iron then brushes away easily.
Use Sulky Sticky+™ for Computerized Machine Embroidery

Sticky eliminates "hoop-mark" problems

1. Hoop Sulky Sticky with the release paper side up, the way you would hoop a piece of fabric.

   Note: See "Tips" inside for an alternate method of applying Sticky to underside of hoop.

2. Score the paper release side with a small knife or straight pin.

3. Peel off the release sheet. Self-adhesive, non-woven Sticky is now exposed and ready for the garment or piece to be affixed for embroidering by machine.

4. Place the garment or piece to be embroidered over the hoop; position as desired with gentle line straight. Finger press to smooth in place. Fabric can be removed and repositioned several times before Sticky will no longer hold.

5. Attach the embroidery hoop to the machine and embroider according to manufacturer's instructions.

   Note: When using Sticky, the inside ring of the hoop is not used over the fabric.

6. After embroidery is completed, gently tear away the fabric from the Sticky.

   When the embroidery is completed, you can actually "patch" the Sticky in the area that was removed with a scrap piece of Sticky a little larger than the hole. Place the garment or fabric for the next embroidery without removing the entire piece of Sticky from the hoop. You can continue in this manner until the Sticky no longer holds. At that time, hoop a new piece of Sticky as in 1 through 5. Always remove excess Sticky before applying heat from an iron or clothes dryer.

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