

Sticky note-pad guidelines

Please refer to this document to ensure your order is set-up correctly.

Paper

All paper used for sticky note-pad production is 80gsm. We regret there are no other paper weights available for this product. A common misconception is the glue is added after printing. The paper is manufactured already pre-gummed and as a result we cannot accept printed sheets for finishing.

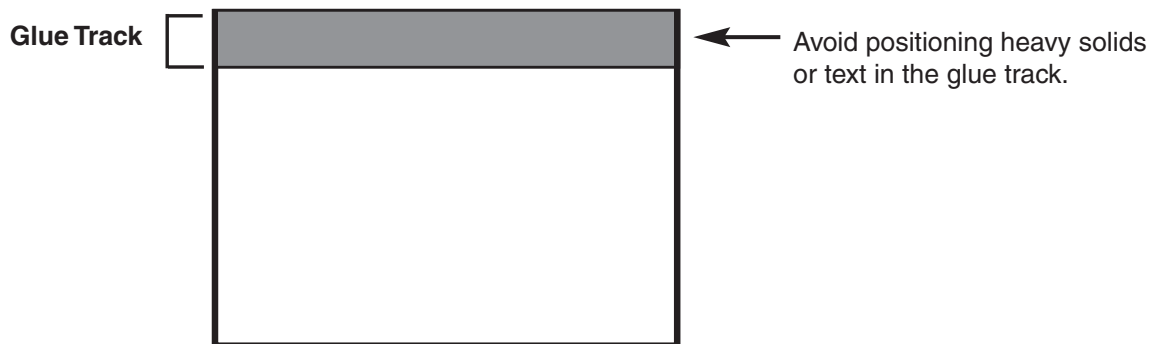
Layout

Please set-up your artwork to the finished size of the product, for example if you are ordering an A7 sticky note-pad which measures 100 x 75mm, the artwork should be set to this size.

If you are not printing to bleed we recommend keeping text and graphics 4mm from the edge of the sheet to keep within the safe guillotining area. If you are printing to bleed please add 4mm bleed to all 4 sides.

Glue Track

The glue track measures between 16mm and runs across the top of the pad. We do not recommend printing heavy solids in the glue track as this can result in ink-lift and banding.



Flood Colours

We do not recommend flood printing the sheets as experience has shown variations in the colour due to the ink absorbing into the adhesive glue track resulting in banding. Whilst we can print a flood colour this is against our advice and would be produced under a disclaimer. A gradient is an alternative to printing a flood colour.

Registration

Our presses work to a tolerance +/- 0.7mm. Please allow this if colours over print.

Tints & Watermarks

We recommend printing tints or watermarks between a minimum of 6% to 11% depending upon the colour used.

Line Weight

We recommend a minimum line thickness of 0.15mm. This should be increased 0.4mm for reversed out graphics.