

BRACKETT



Coloring Brackett Padding Adhesive

Interested in coloring the adhesive on your pads? Make your first priority obtaining **quality** color concentrates. Brackett's Adhesives are EVA (Ethylene Vinyl Acetate) based, so specify information regarding EVA color concentrates. We suggest;

Breen Color Concentrates, Inc.
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Lambertville, NJ 08530-3411
Phone 609-397-8200
Fax 609-397-2551
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Sample color charts for the “on shelf” variety of ready-made colors and shades are available. Custom color blending is also available based on your physical specifications and performance requirements. In sufficient volume, Brackett may be able to get our supplier to do the blending with adhesive samples submitted for your evaluation. Although, there will be an up-charge for the blending and equipment cleaning. The blended adhesive may show a small increase in viscosity. Keeping your operating temperature within its normal range should suffice. (For example, Brackett's 108525 performs best at 330 to 340 degrees F.)

Done in-house, your second priority is to obtain a premelter for your padder. The premelter is the place to initiate the blending process. Brackett can supply you with information on premelting and premelters.

Your final priority is clean up, before resuming normal production of regular white/clear Brackett adhesive. Utilizing Brackett's #108503 Master Purge cleaning compound should aid in the clean up process. Pigmented products, regardless of color, tend to separate from the base formula lining the walls of premelters, glue pots and the like. Left there, they will continue to color any white/clear product until removed.

As always, should you desire additional information on this, or any of your padding requirements, please let any of your Brackett support team members know.

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