# **FABRIC & CARPET REPAIR KIT INSTRUCTIONS**

#### What's in your repair kit?

9 color fibers (white, black, red, yellow, blue, beige, brown, navy, gray)

Fabric glue
Spatula
Mixing ball
Tweezers
Mixing jar
Mesh
2 rubber bands
Backing fabric

· Your personal repair advisor available at <a href="mailto:support@coconix.com">support@coconix.com</a>

#### **WARNING!**

Keep this product out of the reach of children! Do not ingest! Avoid contact with eyes! Only use as described! May irritate sensitive skin, it is recommended to use plastic gloves! Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after use! Store at temperatures above 40°F. Do not place near open flame or expose to extreme temperatures.

#### Step by step instructions

For best results, please visit our digital resource center for detailed instructions with repair videos, ebooks and more. Visit <a href="mailto:coconix.com/fabricmend">coconix.com/fabricmend</a> or scan the code!



- 1. Prepare the damaged area by trimming off loose threads or burn marks and cleaning it with a household cleaner. If padding is missing and the area under the damage is depressed, insert cotton balls or cotton batting and spread evenly.
- **2.** For rips, cuts and holes larger than 1/4 of an Inch, cut a piece of backing fabric with rounded edges, slightly larger than the damaged area and insert it with the spatula. Do not use the backing fabric for repairs smaller than 1/4 of an Inch.
- **3.** Fill the color fibers into the empty jar. In case your repair requires a custom color, use our Color Mixing Guide to prepare the matching color fiber mix in the empty mixing jar. Add the metal ball into the mixing jar, screw the lid on and shake the jar for at least 30 seconds. Remove the metal ball and secure the mesh to the jar with the rubber band to create a sifter.
- **4.** Apply the glue to the damaged area, under and along the edges and work from the outside to the center to avoid air bubbles. Fill the damaged area as evenly as possible. Also apply a thin layer of glue around the damage to blend in the repair.
- **5.** Hold the mixing jar above the adhesive upside down and gently tap the mixing jar. This will sift the fibers on the adhesive. Cover the fabric glue completely with fiber. Gently pack down the fibers with the spatula. Duplicate any fabric patterns such as lines or swirls with the spatula.
- **6.** Allow 24 hours to dry. Once the fabric glue is fully dry, blow off excess fibers. If the repaired area gets hard wear, you can protect it by spraying a clear hairspray over the area.
- **7.** If you need help please email <a href="mailto:support@coconix.com">support@coconix.com</a>. We have an awesome customer service team who lives and breathes this stuff.

# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

#### I can't get my color mixture to match my repair

We know that color matching can be challenging and our repair experts can help you get a perfect match. Email <a href="mailto:support@coconix.com">support@coconix.com</a> with a picture of your repair project and we will give you personalized advice.

### I am not sure if I need to use the backing fabric

The backing fabric is used for rips, cuts and holes larger than 1/4 of an inch. Surface damages are not suitable for the backing fabric. For surface damages, apply the fabric glue directly. If you need help with your repair, email <a href="mailto:support@coconix.com">support@coconix.com</a> with a picture of your repair project and we will give you personalized advice.

## The damaged area is very large

For very large damages, after inserting the backing fabric, use thread and a hooked needle to sew the damaged area to give it extra strength.

#### The color of the repaired area doesn't fully match the surrounding

If the repaired area does not fully match the surrounding color, you can use a regular felt tip pen to color the repaired area to make it blend better.

#### I made a mistake and want to start over

If the repair does not turn out as you would like, repeat all the steps from the beginning, directly over the first repair. If you need help with your repair, email <a href="mailto:support@coconix.com">support@coconix.com</a> with a picture of your repair project and we will give you personalized advice.

## I ran out of color fibers or fabric glue but my repair is not completed

Your repair kit includes 9 base colors to give you maximum flexibility to match any color, but we also want to minimize the waste. Although the repair compounds included in the kit are sufficient for most common repairs, every repair is unique. If you need more color fiber or fabric glue to complete your repair, please email <a href="mailto:support@coconix.com">support@coconix.com</a> and we will help.

#### I have another problem

We are a small family business and we pride ourselves on outstanding customer service. We work so hard to make sure that every repair is completed to your satisfaction. If you have any problems with your repair kit, please email <a href="mailto:support@coconix.com">support@coconix.com</a> and we'll make it right.

## I would like to post a product review

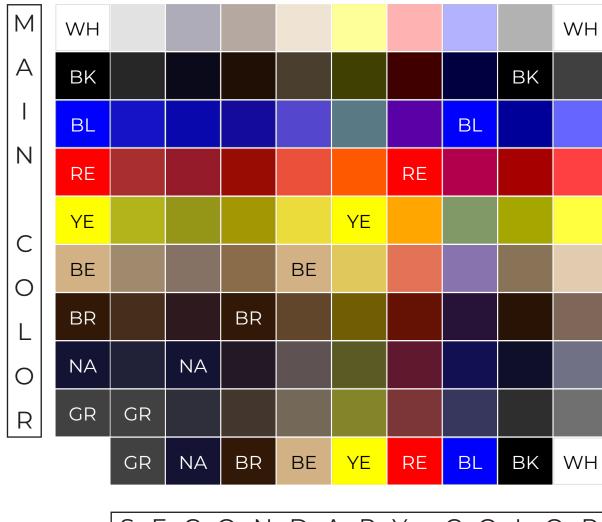
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#### **COLOR MIXING GUIDE**

Your repair kit contains the most common colors needed for repair projects but for an exact match you might need to create a custom color mixture.

- **1.** Use the color chart on the right side to identify the field that best represents the color of your repair project.
- **2.** Follow the grid in a horizontal line to the left to look up your main color.
- **3.** Follow the grid in a vertical line to the bottom to look up your secondary color.
- **4.** Use the empty mixing jar to prepare your color mixture. Start your mixture with your main color, sufficient for your repair project. Add small amounts of your secondary color to the main color in the mixing jar. Add the metal ball into the mixing jar, screw the lid on and shake the jar for at least 30 seconds vigorously.
- **5.** You can adjust the tint and shade by gradually adding white and black fibers to your mixture.
- **6.** Test your mixture by placing a small amount of fibers on the repair area with the tweezers. Keep on adjusting your mixture until you get the perfect match. Be patient and make small adjustments until the color matches just right.
- **7.** Occassionally, you might need to mix three or more colors to achieve a perfect match. If you have any difficulties with color matching, please send us a picture of your repair project to <a href="mailto:support@coconix.com">support@coconix.com</a> for personalized advice.



SECONDARY COLOR

WH	WHITE	BE	BEIGE
BK	BLACK	BR	BROWN
BL	BLUE	NA	NAVY
RE	RED	GR	GRAY
YE	YELLOW		

