Self-adhesive Coil, (49c) Flag and Clouds 2016 - Ashton-Potter (USA) Ltd. (APU)

Genuine

5053

Gloss surface (Daylight);
Tagged, Phosphor tagged paper (SWUV);
Dead Paper (LWUV);

Image: 18.5 x 18.5 mm

Plate #: S11111, every 31 st stamp

Die cut 9.5 vert, Even & Straight top-bottom

Date: Bluish Gray dotted font

Microprinting: USPS, Clear lettering

Lettering USA FOREVER: Solid Bluish Gray

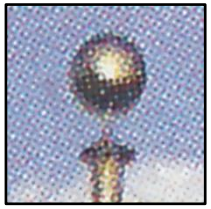

Light Grainy pattern

Plate # P11111

Counterfeits

5053 CF6

Semi-Gloss surface (Daylight);
Untagged (SWUV);
Hi-brite paper (LWUV).

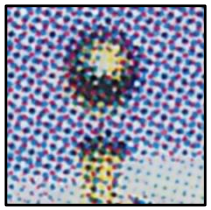
Image: 18.5 x 18.5 mm

Die cut: 9.6 vert, Uneven & Waved at the top-bottom

Date: Darker, Multi-colored dotted font

Microprinting: Unreadable

Lettering USA FOREVER: Multi-colored dotted


Very Grainy pattern

No Plate #

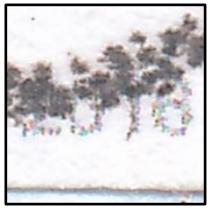
5053 CF10

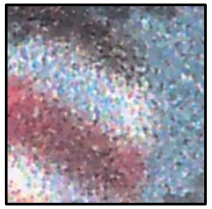
Dull surface (Daylight);
Untagged (SWUV);
Low bright paper (LWUV).

Image: 18 x 18 mm

Verry poor counterfeit,
Only one found used in mixture.

Die cut: 12 vert, very rough uneven (17mm), Straght at top-bottom


Date: faint Multi-colored dotted font


No Microprinting

Lettering USA FOREVER: Uneven Bluish Gray

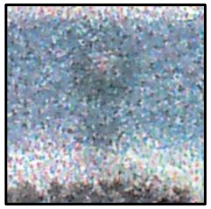

Very blurred pattern, Flagpole hardly to see

Plate # ?

5053 CF11

Dull surface (Daylight);
Untagged (SWUV);
Low bright paper (LWUV).

Image: 18 x 18 mm

Verry poor counterfeit,
Only one found used in mixture.

Die cut: ~11.5 vert, Rounded very uneven Straght at bottom

Date: Verry faint, on Green dotted bachground

No Microprinting

Lettering USA FOREVER: Uneven Bluish Gray

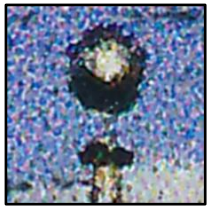

Very blurred pattern, Clear Flagpole

Plate # ?

Note: No detailed scans of CF1-CF5 and CF7-CF9 yet.

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