



## **Separating Adhesive Backed Tags**

- 1. Edges of tags may have small burrs from the manufacturing process take care when handling.
- 2. We suggest wearing safety gloves to prevent minor injury.
- 3. Don't expect to break tags and adhesive and liner apart in one step. The adhesive is meant to be durable.
- 4. It is easiest to work with a strip of 10 tags (plus or minus a few tags) when separating tags.
- 5. Count the number of tags you want to break off the roll. Bend the last tag back and forth at the score line to break the metal tags apart. The adhesive and liner will remain either partially or totally intact at this point.
- 6. Use scissors, Exacto knife, razor blade, pocket knife or box knife to cut through adhesive and liner. You may find it easier to cut through the adhesive if you pinch two tags together back-to-back to form a joint, then cut through the joint.
- 7. Fold the strip of tags you have removed from the roll accordian style at the score lines.
- 8. Fold the strip again accordian style in the opposite direction. The metal tags should now be separate.
- 9. Cut through adhesive and liner between tags with your tool of choice from step 6. (Some people find it easier to lay the tags on their side to cut down through the adhesive and liner onto a hard surface).



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