

How to remove an item mounted with Deluxe DMA

1. Set the press temperature to about 10° F higher than that used to achieve the mounting bond.
2. Insert the mounted image and substrate into the press (close and lock) for 3 minutes with a release paper cover.
3. Remove the material from the press and immediately lift a corner of the image from the substrate. It is important to remove the image quickly before the Deluxe DMA begins to cool. If the image becomes difficult to remove the portion that is still bonded will need to be re-heated in order to separate the remaining image from the substrate.
4. To remove images that are larger than the press size follow steps 1 and 2 for the first section. Now use the press as a heat source to keep the adhesive “active”. To do so insert the next section into the press with the press closed but not locked with the section that has already been separated outside the press. Let the press heat the adhesive as you work to separate the remaining bonded image from the substrate by slowly lifting the image from the substrate as you pull the image from the press.