Three Tagging Varieties on Avery (41c) American Flag on Pole By Frank Covey

Al Haake has identified three different tagging varieties on the Avery Dennison (41c) American Flag on Pole (2007-4). Variety one exhibits a green overall tagging under shortwave ultra-violet light (SWUV), but is dead under long wave UV (LWUV) light. Variety two has an olive green overall tag under SWUV light, but the white stripes of the flag appear under LWUV light. Variety three has no green tagging and the white stripes of the flag show brightly under both SWUV and LWUV light. At the moment tagging variety one seems to be the easiest to locate.



Photographed under SWUV, tagging variety one is to the left and tagging variety three is to the right. Variety one has an overall green tagging under SWUV while variety three exhibits bright white stripes.



Variety two under SWUV light has an olive green tagging and the white stripes of the flag show.



Photographed under LWUV light, tagging variety one is mostly dead, but variety three glows brightly.



Under LWUV, the stars and the white stripes come out on tagging variety two.

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