Cleaning the Automatic Document Feeder (ADF) Exposure Glass

The ADF Exposure glass is the narrow piece of glass located to the left of the large flatbed glass. When the ADF is used to copy originals, the original passes over only this narrow glass.

If there is a mark or debris on the glass it will create a solid straight line across the resulting copy. This could be debris, dust, ink, liquid paper, highlighter, etc.

Holding the copy with the line up to the side of the glass will help to locate the mark on the ADF exposure glass.

Clean the glass with a damp cloth to remove any marks or dust.

The example on the right shows the line that was created by the dot of liquid paper on the ADF exposure glass.