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No-Tox[®] **Products**

Technical Data

No-Tox® VINYL/STYRENE INKS

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(PAD PRINT OR SCREEN PRINTING)

Product Type: Modified vinyl/acrylic copolymers

Printing Method: Either pad or screen printing, depending on diluents and

diluted viscosity.

Suggested Uses: Specifically designed to print promotions, children's games, and other

in-package incentives where the ink will contact food or pharmaceuticals.

Can be used on sheets or films of vinyl (PVC), polystyrene, ABS,

polyurethanes, acrylics and polycarbonates.

Specific Characteristics: A one-part air dry (heat assist) alcohol resistant system, exhibiting

excellent adhesion to the aforementioned substrates.

Equipment Requirements: Pad Print: Compatible with all types of pad print equipment provided

pads are elastomeric materials resistant to ketone and ester solvents. *Screen Print:* Screens and squeegees should be made from ketone and ester resistant materials. Mesh size dependent on print and end-

use requirements.

Additives and Diluents*: Both pad and screen print versions of these inks are supplied at

higher than "press-ready" viscosities to allow for viscosity and drying

rate adjustment at press-side.

Recommended Solvents: The following solvents and blends are intended only as a guide. Other

diluents and/or ratios may be better suited for your specific application. For additional assistance, contact our Technical Services Department.

Normal: 100% Ethyl Lactate

Fast: 100% Methyl Isobutyl Ketone

Slow: 100% Butyl Carbitol (The Dow Chemical Company, USA)

(Butoxy Diethylene Glycol)

Wash-Up: Ketones (MIBK or methyl isoamyl ketone) and/or ethyl lactate.

Color Availability: Black, blue, red, yellow and white. Other colors can be matched

but are subject to minimum order requirements.

Shelf Life: Minimum one year in unopened containers.

FDA Acceptability*: All components used in No-Tox inks are sanctioned by the FDA and

USDA as acceptable for direct food contact.

*Note: FDA acceptability is based on ink as supplied. Therefore, no materials should be added other than those indicated in this bulletin unless specifically recommended by Colorcon.



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