



# APPLICATIONS

Suitable for rubber, polyurethane supports, polyamides, fabrics, different types of flexible substrates, plastic materials and PVC.

# o FEATURES

Mono-component ink usable also as two component.

Brilliant satin finish and covers well.

Non-toxic ink (NT) conforms to European regulations EN 71/part 3 and European Directive 2002/95/EC (RoHS).

Excellent adherence on the materials given.

As a two-component ink, it improves mechanical-chemical resistance and adherence to the printing support.

It is not recommended for use on products which have prolonged exposure to UV rays.

#### PROCESSING

Mix and strongly dilute the ink by using the PLK thinner in the measure of max. 10-20%.

When printing fine details or screened images (e.g. 80/120 lines per cm2) in warm environments, we recommend you add the PLD retardant in a minimum percentage.

To increase the mechanical and chemical resistance or adherence to the support, the ink can be used as a two-component ink by adding the special PLTTEXB catalyst in a 10:1 ratio (10 parts ink and 1 part catalyst).

# CAUTION!

Excessive dilution generates a loss of the covering power, smudges and an imperfect detachment of the ink from the pad. An insufficient dilution causes problems of drawing the ink from the cliché, printing repeatability and dripping of the ink with a consequent decline of the printing quality.

The ink used as a two-component ink must be consumed within 8-10 hours or afterwards it gradually loses its mechanical-chemical resistance and its ability to adhere to the support. For uniform production quality it is advisable to renew the ink approximately every 4/8 hours of work.

## ORYING AND HARDENING

The drying time lasts between 1 and 2 minutes at an ambient temperature of about 20 °C.

If you would like it to dry in only a few seconds, you can use hot air circulation ovens (60-80 °C) or high temperature spot devices (air or infrared rays) that can be installed on the piece feeding systems (e.g. rotary tables, conveyors, etc.). The ink is completely hardened after 24 hours.

# ○ COLOUR RANGE

Consult the COMEC ITALIA color chart of matt hues that includes a selection of 24 standard colors plus 3 three-color shades.

All of the color shades can be mixed with each other.

Upon request:

- special sample colors

metallic gold and silver shades ready for use.

#### ADDITIVES

PLK thinner. PLD retardant. PPLD retardant paste. PLTTEXB catalyst. PLTTEXB/70TR transparent base. OP opacifier.

# O PRESERVATION

Lifetime of about 2 years. Conditions for preservation: the package must be sealed tight and put in a dry and cool space.

The PLTTEXB catalyst must be preserved with the package sealed tight and put in a dry and cool environment. IT IS NOT MOISTURE-PROOF In the event it should become thick, it can no longer be used.

## **CAUTION: ESSENTIAL NOTES!**

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