

# **PAD PRINTING INKS TP 247-NT**

# **APPLICATION**

For pre-treated polyethylene and polypropylene, polymethylmethacrylate, rigid and plasticized PVC.

## **PROPERTIES**

TP 247-NT are quick drying, semi-gloss pad printing inks which show good opacity. With the exception of whites and inks with a high content of white, which have a tendency to chalking, TP 247 inks show limited weather resistance. They can either be processed as 1- or as 2-component ink. As 2-component ink TP 247 inks will show better resistance against various solvents and weather influences.

#### **COLOUR SHADES**

The colour shades of the TP 247-NT range show heavy metal free pigmentation and correspond to EN 71, part 3, safety of toys, migration of certain elements.

#### **ADJUSTMENT FOR PAD PRINTING**

For 1-component processing TP 247-NT inks are adjusted to printing consistency with approx. 15-30% Additive A. For retardation use TPD.

For 2-component processing TP 247-NT inks are mixed with hardener TP 219 as follows:

10 parts ink : 1 part hardener TP 219 (parts by weight).

The pot life of the mixed ink is approx. 8 hours. After this time adhesion and resistance might be reduced, even if the ink still seems to be liquid and processable. Pot life is dependent upon room temperature and relative humidity.

#### DRYING

TP 247-NT inks are air drying. As 2-component inks they dry chemically/physically. At room temperature (20-25°C; 68-77°F) drying time is approx. 1-2 minutes. With heat application and air circulation drying time is approx. 10 seconds.

Mechanical and chemical resistances are not achieved until the ink is fully cured (approx. 5 – 6 days).

#### **CLEANING**

For cleaning of stencils and tools our thinner VD 40 and Cliché Spray can be used.

#### PACKING

TP 247-NT inks are available in 1 liter cans only.

Hardener TP 219 is available in 0.5 and 1 liter cans (approx. 0.53 and 1.06. qts.). Upon special request it can also be obtained in 200 g tubes.

## SHELF LIFE

For information regarding shelf life please see tin label.

# CLASSIFICATION

Read material safety data sheets prior to processing.

The material safety data sheets according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 contain classification according to preparations directive (1999/45/EC) as well as instructions for precautions when processing, handling and storing as well as first aid.

The information given in the material safety data sheet refers to processing as described in this product data sheet.

|  | S  | TANDARD SHADES                                       |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| citric yellow  | TP 247/10-NT   | ultra marine   | TP 247/32-NT                           |
| medium yellow  | TP 247/11-NT   | dark blue  | TP 247/33-NT                           |
| light orange   | TP 247/14-NT   | violet   | TP 247/36-NT                           |
| light red  | TP 247/20-NT   | white  | TP 247/60-NT                           |
| bright red   | TP 247/21-NT   | white, highly opaque                                 | TP 247/60-HD-NT                        |
| carmine red  | TP 247/22-NT   | black  | TP 247/65-NT                           |
| ight blue  | TP 247/30-NT   |  |  |
| Other colour shac                                      | les can be manufacture   | ed subject to our special p                          | roduction regulation.                  |
|  | 5500500  |  |  |
|  | PROCESS  | COLOURS ACCORDING                                    | 310                                    |
| vellow   |  |  | 310                                    |
|  | TP 247/180-NT<br>TP 247/181-NT                                   |  | 310                                    |
| nagenta  | TP 247/180-NT  |  | 310                                    |
| yellow<br>magenta<br>cyan                              | TP 247/180-NT<br>TP 247/181-NT                                   |  |  |
| magenta  | TP 247/180-NT<br>TP 247/181-NT                                   | EUROPE SCALE<br>C-MIX 2000                           | TP 247/V50                             |
| magenta<br>cyan  | TP 247/180-NT<br>TP 247/181-NT<br>TP 247/182-NT                  | EUROPE SCALE<br>C-MIX 2000<br>BASE COLOURS           |  |
| nagenta<br>syan<br>primrose<br>golden yellow           | TP 247/180-NT<br>TP 247/181-NT<br>TP 247/182-NT<br>TP 247/182-NT | EUROPE SCALE<br>C-MIX 2000<br>BASE COLOURS<br>violet | TP 247/V50                             |
| magenta<br>cyan<br>primrose<br>golden yellow<br>prange | TP 247/180-NT<br>TP 247/181-NT<br>TP 247/182-NT<br>TP 247/182-NT | EUROPE SCALE   | TP 247/V50<br>TP 247/B50               |
| magenta<br>cyan  | TP 247/180-NT<br>TP 247/181-NT<br>TP 247/182-NT<br>TP 247/182-NT | EUROPE SCALE   | TP 247/V50<br>TP 247/B50<br>TP 247/G50 |

The statements in our product and safety data sheets are based on our present experiences, however they are no assurance of product properties and do not justify a contractual legal relationship. They serve to advise our business associates, but it is absolutely necessary to make your own printing tests under local conditions, with regard to the intended purpose prior to starting the job. - All former product data sheets are no longer valid. APRIL 2008 – VERSION No. 5

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