



## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:**

The film is composed of 30-µm, transparent, cast PVC, which is coated with a pressure-sensitive, acrylic adhesive. Gloss (PC30G2) or matt (PC30M3) surface finish for cold lamination of cast HEXIS vinyls for digital printing.

# FILM FEATURES:

• Thickness	(Indicative value) <b>30 µm (1.2 mil)</b>	
Tensile strength	(Average values) min. 15 N/25 mm	Method HEXNFX41021
Elongation at break	(Average values) min. 100 %	Method HEXNFX41021
<ul> <li>Shrinkage 168 hours at 70 °C (158 °F)</li> </ul>	(Average values) <b>&lt; 0.3 mm</b>	Method HEXRET001

#### LINER:

- Silicone-coated PE paper 145 g/m<sup>2</sup> with grey «THE CAST by HEXIS» print.
- Stable under hygrometric variations

#### ADHESIVE PROPERTIES:

(Measured average values at publication of the technical data sheet)

٠	Peel strength test at 180°; Measurement support glass			
		(Average values)	Method	
	after 20 minutes of application	13 N/25 mm	HEXFTM001	
		(Average values)	Method	
	after 24 hours of application	15 N/25 mm	HEXFTM001	
		(Average values)	Method	
•	Initial tack	16 N/25 mm	HEXFTM009	
•	Release	(Average values) <b>0.2 N/25 mm</b>	Method HEXFTM003	

• The adhesive is resistant to most chemicals (alcohol, diluted acids, oils).

#### ADHESIVE:

- Solvent-based acrylic adhesive.
- Immediate and permanent adhesion.

#### **USER'S INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Recommended minimum application temperature: +10 °C (+50 °F)
- Operating temperature range: -40 °C to +90 °C (-40 °F to +194 °F)
- Protection of solvent inkjet printed cast films.
- To clean the film, only use a non-abrasive sponge or soft cloth with soapy water.
- UV protection.
- In the case of painted substrates, self-adhesive media must only be applied to undamaged original paintwork. If the paintwork is not original and/or damaged, the application and the removal are at the judgement and risk of the installer.

#### **OPERATING RECOMMENDATIONS:**

- Before applying this laminate to a solvent-based HEXIS digital printing film, it is recommended to respect the optimal drying time for the inks of:
  - 48 hours for a cast film;
  - 24 hours for a calendered film.





# **TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**



#### STORAGE:



1 year Storage temperature +15 °C to +25 °C (+59 °F to +77 °F)

Storage period before use

Relative humidity during storage with relative humidity of 50 %

### **DURABILITY: CENTRAL EUROPEAN CLIMATE**

• Vertical outdoor exposure, upon substrate: up to 5\* years.



Storage area in a dust-free environment



Storage method before use in its original packaging



Orientation of rolls before use **vertically** 

\*Time during which the film retains a correct surface finish, from a conventional viewing distance. (A slight and gradual change in colour and gloss is a natural and inevitable phenomenon inherent in the natural breakdown of the materials). The durability indicated in this document concerns only the laminate and not the finished visual or graphic.

To find the indicative durabilities of the films for any other exposure and geographical area, please refer to the «Conversion rules for indicative durabilities according to geographical area» chart available under Durability, on the «Professionals» pages on our site www.hexis-graphics.com.

#### NOTES:

Due to the great variety of substrates and the growing number of new applications, the installer must check the suitability of the medium for each application. The measuring methods for the standards quoted above served as the basis for the development of our own measuring methods, which are available on request. Please feel free to contact us to get the latest instructions in use. All of the published information is based on measurements regularly performed in the laboratory. The published information does not, however, constitute a binding guarantee. The seller cannot be held liable for indirectly related damages and assumes no liability for claims that are higher than the replacement value of the purchased product. All specifications are subject to potential changes without prior notice. Our specifications are automatically updated on our website www.hexis-graphics.com.

