



# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET – FLEX – PLOTTER VINYLS METALCUT

50-µm polyurethane film, suitable for hot transfer applications to cotton, polyester and mixed fabrics. Glossy, metallic surface finish.

# **FILM FEATURES:**

## Indicative value

Thickness of film + adhesive (µm):

# **LINER:**

• 100-µm, non-adhesive coated polyester liner.

## **USER'S INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Good adhesion to cotton, polyester and mixed fabrics. For any other type of textile, carry
  out a test to check the resistance of the fabric to the press temperature and the
  compatibility of the METALCUT film with the cloth.
- Cut a mirror image.
- Weed after plotting.
- Preheat press and textile prior to application: I50 °C (302 °F) for 3 seconds.

Preheating is necessary for textiles which tend to shrink during heat pressing.

- Pressing temperature: I50 °C (302 °F) for 8 seconds.
- Carefully remove the liner when the flex film is cold.
- To produce a satin or structured effect on the METALCUT, place a parchment or FILFLEX protection sheet on the surface of the film, then press again at 150 °C (302 °F) for 8 seconds.
- After pressing, wait for at least 24 hours before washing the garment.
- The maximum washing machine temperature is 60 °C (140 °F). Turn your garment inside out for washing and use laundry products without chlorine bleach.
- Tumble drying is prohibited.
- Iron your garment inside out.
- For more information on the application method of METALCUT, please refer to the Application Guide on the "Professionals" pages, on our website www.hexis-graphics.com.

## **STORAGE:**

• Shelf life (before application):

The shelf life of this film is I years when stored in its unopened original packaging at a temperature ranging from 15  $^{\circ}$ C to 25  $^{\circ}$ C (+59  $^{\circ}$ F to +77  $^{\circ}$ F) with relative humidity between 30  $^{\circ}$ 8 and 70  $^{\circ}$ 8.

#### **NOTES**

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