



# **MACmask 28.180**

## Technical Data Sheet

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

White soft calendered vinyl film coated with a removable cohesive acrylic adhesive.

# **CONSTRUCTION**

#### Face material:

White matt vinyl film, 80 µm thick, cadmium-free.

#### Adhesive :

Acrylic removable adhesive.

#### Liner:

White highly stable kraft paper, 135 gsm.

# **TYPICAL USES**

Masking film for stencilling onto carbodies.

## SHELF LIFE

2 years when stored at 15 to 25°C and  $\pm$  50 % relative humidity.

## **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES** (Typical values)

**Thickness** (mm) (Film + adhesive) ISO 534 0.100

Face Material Data, 23°C DIN 53455-5

Tensile strength :> 30 N/15mmElongation at break  $:\ge 150 \text{ %}$ 

Adhesive Data, 23°C FTM 1

Peel adhesion 180° on stainless steel (N/25 mm)

- 20 min. residence: 1.5 - 24 hours residence: 2.5 - 1 week residence: 3.5

**Dimensional stability** FTM 14

Shrinkage (48 hours at  $70^{\circ}$ C): < 0.1 %

(25 cm x 25 cm, sample mounted on aluminium)

# **Temperature ranges:**

Application :  $+ 10^{\circ}$ C to  $+ 40^{\circ}$ C End-use :  $+ 10^{\circ}$ C to  $+ 70^{\circ}$ C

N.B.: for lower temperatures, please consult us.

Flammability ISO 3795

Sample mounted on aluminium: self-extinguishing.

#### **PROCESSING**

## - Computer cutting

Clean, quick, trouble-free cutting with most plotters. Adjustment of the cutting depth is important: if the cut is too deep this could result in the paper splitting and coming away with the adhesive when the vinyl is transferred to Application Tape.

# - Weeding

Easy and fast.

# - Application

Application of MACmask 28.180 is made easier with a MACtransfer tape.

The transfer of the cut vinyl onto the Application Tape should always be performed by removing the liner from the pressure-sensitive material (i.e. with the PVC face downwards onto the working surface) and not by lifting off the Application Tape.

#### - Painting

The applicator will take care about the paint dilution : solvents could affect the vinyl.

## - Masking film removability

Must be removed up to 4 hours maximum following application on the substrate.

N.B: The removability of MACmask 28.180 can be very difficult on certain substrates such as: acrylic glass, polystyrene, nitro-cellulose painted surfaces and soft PVC.

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