

Screen

590-Series Screen Inks

590-series inks are acrylic-based, evaporation drying screen inks ideal for printing on PVC, acrylics and polycarbonate. Also recommended for polyester, ABS and SAN. High gloss and opacity, chemical resistant (alcohols and petrol), easy working, relatively low odour and good coverage. Outdoor resistant shades available.

ADHESION: 590-inks can be used on PVC, acrylic materials, polycarbonate, polyester, ABS and SAN.

COLOUR RANGE: 590-inks colour range consists of standard opaque shades plus black and white. 4-colour set gives you high dot definition, colour space and outdoor resistance. C-MIX 2000 shades also available for easy shade mixing.

See table overleaf for colour range.

PANTONE AND RAL: Pantone and RAL formulations are available for request.

CURE SPEED: 590- inks are drying quickly in a oven, air drying is taking 5 - 10 minutes. If retarder is used, drying times are longer. Cure speed is dependant upon a number of factors including film thickness, printed material and conditions in printing place.

STOCK: 590-inks have been designed to print on a variety of substrates. Many arbitrary factors such as surface treatment or variations in grade may affect print properties or adhesion of 590-inks. It is always advisable to check the corona treatment of these materials before commencing a print run.

PRINTING MATERIALS: High quality stencil materials such as ULANO's RLX or Proclaim will enhance the print quality normally expected from using 590- inks.

Synthetic mesh is recommended, mesh count between 90-120 threads/cm will ensure correct ink deposits and shade. Lower or higher mesh counts can also be used, the outdoor resistance of the 590-inks are highly affected by the mesh count, check your local Sun Chemical office for details

THINNING: 590-inks are supplied ready for use and thinning is not recommended. If it is considered essential, use 503-00546.

WASHING UP: The screen should be washed out as soon as possible after printing, you can use 503-00817 for washing agent.

COVERAGE: Up to 45m^2 /kilo can be achieved with 590-inks with 100T mesh but mileage will vary according to grade of mesh, stencil thickness, machine type etc.

SHELF LIFE: 590- inks should be stored in sealed metallic containers at temperatures between 5-30 degrees C (40-90 F). They have a minimum shelf life of 12 months but can remain usable for long periods depending on storage conditions.

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ADDITIVES:	Washing agent	503-00801
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Thinner 503-00546
Retarder 503-00547
Slow retarder 503-99033

4-COLOUR SERIES: Yellow 590-25000

 Yellow (extra lightfast)
 590-25002

 Magenta
 590-35000

 Magenta (extra lightfast)
 590-35001

 Cyan
 590-45000

 Black
 590-75000

SPOT COLOURS: Yellow 590-22100 Yellow 590-22200

Magenta Red 590-33100 590-33800 Orange 590-33900 Blue 590-44100 Green 590-55100 Black 590-77100 Violet White 590-88100 590-99300 White, opaque 590-99500 Silver 590-99103 Gold 590-99102 Lacquer 590-00243 Matt lacquer 590-00319 Base 590-00211

C-MIX 2000: 590-Y30 590-Y50

590-R20 590-R50

 590-O50
 590-33100 (R54LL)

 590-33800 (M50)
 590-44100 (B50)

 590-55100 (G50)
 590-77100 (N50)

 590-88100 (V50)
 590-99300 (W50)

PACKING: 1 kg, 5 kg and 10 kg metallic pail

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