

Signature Series™ RESIN

Our premium Signature Series™ Resin product delivers excellent smudge and scratch resistant performance in your most demanding applications. It can withstand extreme heat and UV exposure.

Specific Features

- Durable, scratch-resistant performance
- Eliminates the need for overlaminates in many cases
- Withstands extreme heat and UV exposure
- Available in SmartPaks™
- Provides transferability to polyester films, vinyl, and PVC cards
- Features Sony's SmoothCoat™ backcoating

Recommended Applications

Steel tags, water heater labels, ID cards, automotive labels, drum labels, component labels, electronic labeling.



CD and Diskette Labels

Excellent print clarity and smudge-resistant images are ideal for CD and diskette labels.



Chemical Drum Labels

Sony premium resin ribbons provide durable, scratch-resistant images on preprinted or treated label surfaces for your most demanding applications.



Appliance Labels

Appliance labels are another proven application for Sony's images, with high-heat resistance up to 400° F.



Warning Labels

Exceptional long-term durability of Sony images satisfy industrial and outdoor sign requirements.

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Ribbon Property		
Description	Specification	Measurement Method
Ink Material	Resin	—
Total Thickness (μm)	6.7 ± 0.6	Micrometer
Base Film Thickness (μm)	4.8 ± 0.4	Micrometer
Ink Thickness (μm)	1.4 ± 0.5	Micrometer
Ribbon Transmission Density	1.0 ± 0.25	Densitometer
Print Density	> 1.6	Densitometer

Durability of Printed Image	
Labelstock: Topcoated White Polyester	
Print Speed: 6 IPS	Print Density: 1.92
Smudge Resistance: ANSI A ¹	Scratch Resistance: ANSI B ¹
Test Equipment: Colorfastness Tester	
Conditions: Smudge Test: 100 cycles @ 500 grams with cotton cloth	
Scratch Test: 50 cycles @ 200 grams with stainless steel pointed tip	
¹ Represents the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) Grade measured at the given conditions. Grade levels are A, B, C, D, and F, where A is excellent, B is above average, C is average, D is below average, and F is poor.	

Extreme Temperature Ribbon Storage Stability	
Exposure Period: 3 cycles at each of the following conditions:	
Conditions: -20°C/-4°F for 12 hours	50°C/122°F for 12 hours
Results: No change in print quality after each exposure period.	

Conversion Chart	
mm to inches ▶ mm ÷ 25.4	Inches to mm ▶ inches ÷ .03937
M to feet ▶ M ÷ .3048	Feet to M ▶ feet ÷ 3.2808
C° to F° ▶ (1.8 x C°) + 32 = F°	F° to C° ▶ F°/1.8 - 17.777 = C°
Square inches to square meters ▶ square meters = MSI ÷ .645	MSI = square meters x .645

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The information on this data sheet was obtained in Sony Chemicals Corporation laboratories. Measured values may vary slightly when tested in a different environment. Information contained within this document is subject to change without notification.

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