

## Applications

-Cotton, poly/blends -Transforms a regular ink into a transfer ink Features

-Provides a soft hand -Creamy body for ease of mixing

## **General Info:**

Hotsplit/Transfer additive was designed to allow a printer to use their current ink inventory as a transfer ink and make as needed.

## Bleed Resistance: None

**Opacity:** None

Storage: Ideally 65° to 80°F. Keep out of direct sunlight. Printed transfer can last up to a year.

Mesh: 86 a minimum of 2.1 mils is required for a good transfer

Stencil: Any direct emulsion or capillary film.

Image: Mirrored.

Printing Sequence: Reversed.

Wet on Wet Printing: Not recommended.

PC: N/A.

**Use:** 10-15% by weight. Cross linking/bonding continues after the substrate has passed through the oven. Full bonding to the substrate's surface takes up to 72 hours. Do not scratch test immediately after printing.

**Modifications:** Transfer powder. Transfer powder is placed on the backside of the print to promote adhesion.

Squeegee Hardness & Angle: Does not impact squeegee hardness & angle.

Flashing: 700°F for 9 seconds, just enough so the surface is tack free. Needs to be done before each color.

Squeegee Blade: Does not impact squeegee blade to use.

**Fusion/Curing:** The ink should only be slightly gelled by heating the ink up to  $180^{\circ}-250^{\circ}$  F in the oven. The final curing process is done with the heat transfer press at  $350^{\circ}-400^{\circ}$  F for 5-10 seconds. Remove carrier paper immediately.

Wash-up: Any plastisol cleaner.

**Special Notes:** PVC inks are thermoplastic compounds that require heat to fuse or cure. If ink rubs off on a white cloth or cracks, temperature and/or dwell time should be increased. Do not dry clean and always test on fabric to be printed.