3M Overlaminating Films Data Page

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3M[™] ScotchCap[™] 7737FL Velvet Lexan[™] Overlaminating Film 7738FL Velvet Lexan[™] Overlaminating Film

ScotchCap brand 7737FL and 7738FL Overlaminating Film offers the opportunity to achieve the attractive appearance of a subsurface screen printed Lexan nameplate with an economical overlaminate construction. Also offers opportunity to create unique looks.

Product Construction

Facestock:	7737FL	3.0 mils (75 Microns)	Lexan™ Matte Velvet Polycarbonate
	7738FL	5.0 mils (125 Microns)	Lexan™ Matte Velvet Polycarbonate
Adhesive:	7737FL 7738FL	1.0 mils (25 Microns)	#400 "Hi-Tack" Acrylic
Liner:	7737FL 7738FL	1.5 mils (38 Microns)	Polyester

Features

- Lexan[™] facestock decorative, velvet appearance
- #400 "Hi-Tack" Acrylic Adhesive good wet-out, clarity, non-yellowing

Applications

- Decorative, protective overlaminate on pressure sensitive labels and tags
- Overlaminate on appliques and decorative trim strips
- An economical method of achieving the look of a Lexan nameplate. (Suggest 3M ScotchMark brand Printable Polyesters as base stock.)

Physical Properties

(Typical values, not for specification use)

Adhesion:	Dynamic Peel			
	10 Min. Dwell	Surface	<u>Oz./In.</u>	<u>N/100mm</u>
	(ASTM 3330)	Stainless Steel	38	42
Liner release:	180 Degree liner removal90 Inch/Min. speed1" wide sample.	<u>Gram/Inch widtl</u> 16	<u>h</u>	

Environmental Performance

Chemical Resistance:

4 hour immersion, at ambient condition 2"x 2" samples on stainless steel panels.

Chemical	Edge penetration	<u>Appearance</u>
5% Sulfuric Acid	0	Good
Isopropyl Alcohol	1/16"	Good
JP-4 Jet fuel		
Heptane		
10W-30 Oil	0	Good

Water and humidity resistance:

24 Hour Exposure 2"x 2" Samples on Stainless Steel Substrate.

Condition	Edge Penetration	Appearance
Water Immersion @ R. T.	0	Good
95 F (35 C) & 95% R.H.		

Temperature Resistance:

24 Hours exposure No change noted in 2"x 2" sample after conditioning.

Minimum	-40 °F	(-40 °C)
Maximum	250 °F	(121 °C)

Shelf Life: One year if properly stored at 72 °F (23 °C) and 50% R.H.

Processing

Printing:	Non-applicable
Die-cutting:	Good with sharp dies designed to cut through a heavy overlaminate and base stock
Dispensing:	Excellent

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