# **Metamark MD5-A**

# High Performance Digital Vinyl with MetaScape Adhesive



## **Product Description**

Metamark MD5-A features the MetaScape adhesive system, offering ease of application by providing air with an exit route from under the graphic. It makes for faster, trouble free application of larger graphics onto smooth flat or slightly curved surfaces. The graphic may be repositioned during application. The 70 micron film with Metamark's distinctive coating technology produces outstanding print performance using solvent inks.

### **Features**

- UK Manufactured premium grade product.
- For Solvent, Eco Solvent, Latex and UV printing.
- MetaScape Adhesives System allowing ease of application.
- Matched MetaGuard MG-700 Overlaminates.

#### **Benefits**

- 7 year durability and MetaSure Warranty.
- Printer manufacturer specified reference media.
- MD Series for best in class print quality & wide colour gamut.
- Engineered to give long term dimensional stability.

Face Film	
Face Film Gauge (ISO 2286-3) Tensile Strength Elongation at break	Polymeric Calendered Vinyl 70 micron nominal 47N/25mm MD / 43N/25mm TD nom. 180% MD nominal
Adhesive	
Type  Adhesion to glass 20 mins  Adhesion to glass 24 hour  Application temperature  Service temperature	MetaScpae permanent solvent-based acrylic with air channels. 15N/25mm nominal 20N/25mm nominal +10°C to +60°C -30°C to +110°C
Release Liner	
Print Weight Type	MetaScape print 140 gsm nominal Structured Layflat kraft paper with PE coating

Finishes			
Finishes Available	MD5-A	White Gloss	
Roll Presentation			
Roll Widths Roll Lengths	0.76m / 1.37n 50m / 25m	0.76m / 1.37m / 1.60m 50m / 25m	
Durability			
Shelf Life	2 years. (10-2	2 years. (10-20°C and 50% R.H). 7 years (unprinted). Northern European conditions, vertical. Refer to full Metamark International durability guide.	
External weathering	conditions, ve		
Fire Rating	Class B - BS EN	Class B - BS EN 13501-1:2007	
Dimensional Stability	<0.3mm (48h	<0.3mm (48h at 70°C on aluminium)	
Chemical Resistance	aliphatic solve	Unprinted film resistant to mild acids, aliphatic solvents, salt and alkali, diesel, gasoline, paraffin, hydraulic oil, antifreeze.	
Regulations	REACH and Ro	REACH and RoHS Compliant.	

# **Printing and Handling**

- Always perform a test print first. Ensure that the correct profiles and heater settings are used. Refer to www.metamark.co.uk.
- Ensure that the material has reached room temperature and a relative humidity of 50% before printing.
- Do not handle the face film, ensure free from dust and static.
- Overlamination is recommended to prevent abrasion, extends colour fastness, and also offers easier handling.
- The matched laminate for MD5-A is MetaGuard MG-700 Series.

# **Application**

- Allow a minimum of 24-48 hours for the solvents to dry off before application of the overlaminate, or to the substrate, depending on the print and drying conditions this can often be in excess of 48 hours. Retained solvents will reduce adhesion levels.
- Not recommended for use on low energy surfaces such as polypropylene.
- Apply unstressed, in particular to curves and recesses. It is not suitable for application over rivets or complex recesses.
- Suitable for dry application only.
- The user should determine suitability of substrate.

# MetaSure® Warranty

Metamark (UK) Limited warrants to its customers that graphics produced using Metamark Media and Overlaminates will remain in good condition without excessive fading or colour degradation for the specified life time of the ink used, when correctly stored, printed and applied in accordance with procedures outlined in the technical literature. If within the specified years of normal use Metamark Media and Overlaminates becomes ineffective for its intended use, then Metamark will provide sufficient material to produce a new replacement marking, and will at its own discretion, contribute an allowance in additional material towards the costs involved in replacing the graphics. In all cases, the converter is held fully responsible for storing, processing and applying the unconverted materials in accordance with Metamark's technical specifications. Metamark (UK) Limited will not be liable for any indirect or consequential loss or damage, and will not provide any allowance against improper usage, application accident, negligence, chemical damage or improper repair. The above data is given in good faith to provide an indication of the performance of the product. Purchasers should consider the suitability of each product for its intended use and the purchaser assumes all risks in connection with such use. Seller shall not be liable for damages in excess of the purchase price of the product nor for incidental nor consequential loss.

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