THERMOTRANSFER ELASTIC

# TT 400 SUPER REFLECTIVE

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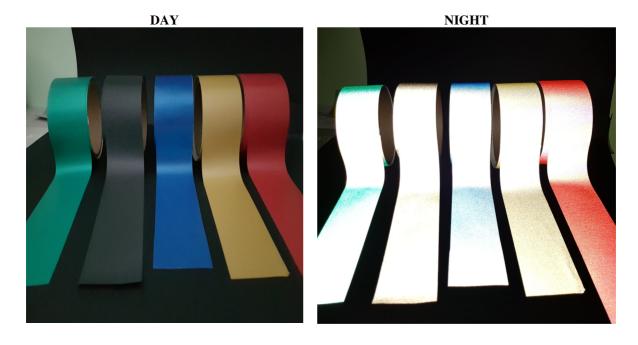
### **GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS:**

SUPER REFLECTIVE is a range of colored products with very high reflectivity.

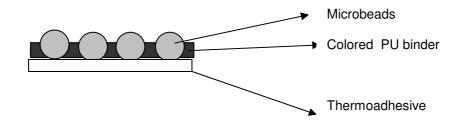
The product basically consists of microspheres having known reflective index partially incorporated in a removable polyester (front layer) and permanently bonded to a thermoadhesive elastic, through a colored polyurethane binder.

RETROLUX TT 400 SUPER REFLECTIVE is a range of reflective transfers designed for:

- Application on elastic fabrics
- give an excellent aesthetic effect when applied on garments
- Allow a very high retroreflection of light on clothing in conditions of poor visibility
- Allow a very high retro-reflection of the light on the garments used for outdoor sports activities.



### **PRODUCT SCHEME:**





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**Total thickness:** 250-270 Mycron **Reflective layer thickness:** 180-190 Mycron

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Front layer: Polyester

**Thermoadesive:** polyurethane elastic

REFLECTIVITY (0,2/5°) over 350 cd/lux·m<sup>2</sup>

### **WASHING PERFORMANCES**

RETROLUX SUPER TT 400 SUPER REFLECTIVE keeping good appearance and reflectivity after:.

50 cycles at 60°C (ISO 6330)

### Wash guideline



Minimum temperature: 30 °C Maximum temperature: 60 °C

**<u>Detergent</u>**: Use only **ECE type A without perborates** 



- Optical brightness, perborates or additional bleaches, reduces washing performances of Retrolux TT 400 Super Reflective black
- **Do not use** organic solvents, chlorine bleaches and alkaline products (pH>8).
- **Do not exceed** 40 °C during wash
- Do not exceed 120 °C during drying

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#### **Drying Conditions**

• Air drying is recommended

### **Dry cleaning**



Use pure Perchloroethylene

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

The product is available in a **wide range of colors**For more information contact IRC Spa

The material is supplied in rolls of 50 linear meters length and in all widths from 1 cm till 1 meter. The cut tolerance is  $\pm$  1.5 mm.

The thermotransfers of the Retrolux series can be cut with lasers.

We recommend to make a specific machine adjustment with preliminary tests on the Retrolux reflective transfer, to avoid problems of removing the scraps or dragging the reflective part in the removal of the scraps.

IRONING: Use cool IRON (110℃)



#### **NOTICE TO USERS**

#### **APPLICATION**

RETROLUX TT 400 SUPER REFLECTIVE HAVE GOOD ADHESION TO VARIOUS TYPES OF SUBSTRATES SUCH AS POLYESTER, COTTON, RUBBER, PVC, LEATHER ETC. WATER REPELLENT OR WATERPROOF FINISHES ON THE SUBSTRATE MAY REDUCE THE THERMAL BONDING STRENGTH.

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#### **CONDITIONS OF APPLICATION**

TEMPERATURE: 155 - 160 ℃

**HEATING TIME:** 10/15 seconds

#### NOTES:

The parameters stated above are obtained from internal tests performed on some common types of substrates (polyester/cotton).

The pressure to be used and the heating time are strictly dependant on the type of plant used and the substrate on which RETROLUX TT 400 SUPER REFLECTIVE must be applied.

BEFORE HOT MELTING RETROLUX TT 400 SUPER REFLECTIVE ON ANY TYPE OF SURFACE PRELIMINARY TESTS MUST BE CONDUCTED TO DETERMINE THE OPTIMUM CONDITIONS OF BONDING.

### **PRINTABILITY**

The product correctly transferred and in any case without the front liner, can be printed using inks suitable for polyester or other inks, carrying out preliminary adhesion tests.

We recommend the application of the ink with screen printing technique, good results have been obtained with digital printing with ecosolvent inks.

The correct adhesion of the inks must also be verified by subjecting the printed product to repeated washing.

#### **STORAGE**

Retrolux reflective transfer must de stored in a cool and dry area, we recommend temperatures between 15 and 25 °C and relative humidity less than 70%.

Retrolux reflective transfer must be stored in their original box and used within 1 year of receipt.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT IRC S.p.A - Italy