

# PRINT-EX IML-WHITE

## Polypropylene sheet for In-mold decoration

**PRINT-EX IML** is Suitable for the production of in mold labels  
The injected articles made from polypropylene.

**PRINT-EX IML** is non-oriented embossed film with the following features.

- Main use is for labels printed in reverse and the ink is protected by the transparent sheet.
- **White** PP impact modified.
- Gloss surface for extremely glossy finish. Alternatively Satin finish
- Recyclable with polyolefin materials
- Very low orientation
- Ductile and formable results in high impact of the injected object
- Excellent adhesion to PP in IML
- No orange peel effect.
- Resistant to moisture and oils
- EU and US food contact approvals.

### Applications:

The low orientation and flexibility of **PRINT-EX IML** makes it ideally suitable for complex die cutting and 3 dimensional complex molding as well as simple conical or flat surface.

Surface is corona treated according to client request.

**PRINT-EX IML** is suitable for large articles with high wall thickness.

If the injected base is colored it is recommended to use a **COLOR Coex White Black C0050A**. Ask EX-P specialist

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|--|---|-------------|
| Surface finish   |   |             |
| Top  | Gloss or Satin                            |             |
| Bottom   | Matt embossed for easy handling (Geematt) |             |
| Corona treatment: Specify what sides to treat in the order |   | >40 dyne/cm |
| Typical thickness µm                                       |   | 190-300     |
| Thickness tolerance µm                                     |   | +10-10      |
| Specific Gravity   | Natural                                   | 0.92        |
| Format tolerance mm  |   | +5-0        |

| Property                          | Method      | Unit | Value   |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|------|---------|
| Tensile Strength at Yield MD / TD | ASTM 882    | MPa  | 14 / 14 |
| Elongation at Yield MD / TD       | ASTM 882    | %    | 18 / 15 |
| Tensile modulus                   | ASTM 882    | MPa  | 800     |
| Hardness Shore D-scale            | ASTM D 2240 |      | 48      |
| Tear                              | ASTM D1004  | N/mm | >150    |

**Surface:** Corona treated for Flexo, Screen and Offset printing. The treatment is guaranteed for 3 month Check production date before printing! **State which sides to treat in the order.**

**Inks:** Use inks for suitable for plastics Always check carefully if ink is suitable to the job and process.

**Foil blocking:** use zinc or brass stamp. Select foils suitable for pp and for the required print resolution.

**Conformity:**

**PRINT-EX IML** is suitable for direct food contact.

Specific food contact declaration with SML will be supplied on request.

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|------|--|---|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Norm | Toy safety<br>Directive 2009/48/EC<br>Flammability & Migration | COMMISSION<br>REGULATION (EU) No<br>10/2011 | RoHS<br>Directive 02/95/EC | Heavy metals<br>Directive 94/62/EC |
|      | Yes  | No  | Yes                        | Yes                                |

*\*Food contact conformity should be requester prior to placement of an order. Exten will not provide conformity declaration for articles already produced without particular notice from the client.*

**Health and Safety:**

For Health and Safety information, please contact our sales department

**Production capabilities:**

| Thickness<br>(micron) | Min width (mm) | Max width (mm) | max length (mm) | Corona treatment                           |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|--|
| 190-300               | 900            | 1150           | 1000            | Treatment on one or both sides is possible |

**Storage:** store in dry and shaded place. Do not store at temperature higher than 25°C printability deteriorates.

**Recycling:** Production rejects and waste should preferably be recycled instead of being disposed. **PRINT-EX IML** is degradable by UV light and combustion. **PRINT-EX IML** is not biodegradable.