

PRODUCT GROUP 300

Series 388-PEQxx Phosphorescent Inks, Economy Quality Series 388-PHQxx

Phosphorescent Inks, Security Quality



The luminescent (after-glowing) settings of ink Series 388-PEQxx, respectively ink Series 388 PHQxx belong to the functional group of luminous ink systems. The therein contained functional substances are induced in their stimulation center by means of artificial, respectively daylight and brought to a higher energy level. Those induced areas consist of foreign atoms which are built into the crystals of the phosphorescent pigments. The longer and the more intense the stimulation is, the higher is the gain of light. However, as soon as saturation is reached, no further charging is possible. After this "storage procedure", the electrons are beginning to fall back into their original position and are therewith reflecting energy in form of visible light.

The settings of Series 388-PEQ00 and Series 388-PHQ05 have a special feature which differ them significantly from common products on the market. It is the white (-PEQ00), respectively the almost clear (-PHQ05) body color! These latest developments allow almost contrast-free pre-printing, respectively over-printing.

Fact is, that no chemical reaction occurs during a "charging", respectively "discharging" cycle and therefore, Series 388-PEQxx, respectively Series 388 PHQxx theoretically keep their "luminescent-properties" for an unlimited time. A decrease of the light intensity only occurs very slowly and almost unremarkably. Only extended contacts with water or extreme humidity is to be avoided because this would result in a hydroxide layer which would negatively influence the luminous intensity and on a long term basis, destroy the printed layers. In such cases, a compatible protection lacquering is recommended.

Series 388 PEQxx and Series 388 PHQxx do not contain any radioactively or poisoning ingredients.

Following articles are available:

Series 388-PEQ00	Phosphorescent Ink, Economy Quality, white
Series 388-PEQ47	Phosphorescent Ink, Economy Quality, green
Series 388-PHQ05	Phosphorescent Ink, Security-Quality, colorless
Series 388-PHQ47	Phosphorescent Ink, Security-Quality, green
Series 388-PHQ49	Phosphorescent Ink, Security-Quality, blue
Series 388-PHQ47/ECO	Phosphorescent Ink, Security-Quality, green
Series 388-PHQ49/ECO	Phosphorescent Ink, Security-Quality, blue



SUBSTRATES			
Soft- / Rigid-PVC	Coated Polyester	Paper, paperboards, cardboards	Polycarbonate
Coatings	Polystyrene, ABS	Cellulose-Acetate-Butyrate, CAB	

USE	
Application	Graphical screen printing, advertising/promotional material
	Functional coatings, escape security and emergency signs

PROPERTIES, PROCESS	ING, DRYING AND MESH
Mesh	43-80 Y PW up to 77-55 Y PW PET 1000
Drying / Curing	Jet- / Air
Further Processing	Punching, cutting, embossing





ADDITIVES			
Thinner	Series 300-017	Addition Ratio	10 - 15% by weight
Retarder	Series 300-018	Addition Ratio	10 - 15% by weight



VARIOUS	
Delivery Conditions	1 kg / 5 kg / 25 kg
Other	Stir well before use; risk of sedimentation when long stored



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