Rutland™ M3 LC Mixing System





Rutland™ M3 LC is an easy to use, highly accurate finished color mixing system. This system is much more forgiving than a PC-based product because it doesn't require as precise a measurement of the base and additives to complete a formula. The M3 LC system consists of flexible cure inks created to provide an excellent wet-on-wet performance.

Highlights Printing Tips M3 LC colors directly replace the M3 mixing colors Important: Pallet temps need to remain between 135°F to 145°F (57°C -0 62°C). Use a laser oun to measure temperature on the cool station. The temperature must cool down to 145°F (62°C) before moving to the next M3 LC inks are opaque resulting in excellent coverage on dark garments print station. Printing on white garments: Mix per formulation or by eye to achieve The tack-free formula allows printing through a range of mesh counts without brilliant colors the need for a viscosity modifier No build-up formulations ensure the highest print efficiencies without down For extremely soft hand prints, mix finished color up to 10% of LC0000 Chill time for wiping screens Relax Extender Mix thousands of finished ink colors by choosing Pantone colors from our IMS 3.0 Ink Mixing Software or by custom mixing your own colors Printing on dark garments or over an underlay: When printing on dark garments, mix per formulation or custom blend to achieve brilliant colors Only 14 components over an underlay (*) Use low bleed whites on poly/cotton blends and LB0266 Chill LB LC Compliance Sustainability Barrier Base when printing on 100% polyester Non-phthalate In a standard cure environment (320°F/160°C) you can use K2910, ES0266, M30063 instead of K2912, LB0266, LC0000 respectively Internationally compliant Reduced **Energy Use** Visit https://www.avientspecialtyinks.com/ services/compliance-support **Precautions** The information above is given in good faith and does not release you from testing inks and fabrics to confirm suitability of substrate and application process to meet your customer standards and specifications.

Recommended Parameters



Fabric Types

100% Cotton, (*) poly/cotton blends, 100% polyester



Flash & Cure

Flash: 140-150°F (60-65°C) Cure: 270-320°F



Clean Up

Unused ink will need to be disposed of responsibly. Standard plastisol cleaners, press wash, or ink degradant



Mesh

Count: 86-305 t/in (34-120t/cm) Tension: 25n/cm3



Pigment Loading



Health & Safety

Find SDS information here: www.avient.com/resources/safety-datasheets or contact your local CSR



Squeegee

Durometer: 70,80 Profile: Square Stroke: 1+ Angle: 15-20%



Additives

K2940 HUGGER CATALYST K2912 VISCOSITY BUSTER LC



Stencil

Standard Emulsion Off Contact: 1/16" (2mm) or greater Emulsion Over Mesh: 15-20%



Storage

65 -95° F (18 -35° C) Avoid direct sunlight. Use within one year of receipt. Keep container well sealed.



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