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## Labitex 1290/3 TWIN MAT OFFSET (Drip-off)

## **Description:**

Oil-based matt transparent varnish for printing on the ink unit of offset press on paper or cardboard.

Designed for technology Twin (drip-off) varnishing. It should be used together with a special UV-cured varnish Labitex UV 5579 GS

Oil-based matt varnish is applied using a printing plate to create a matte finish. The print is completely covered in-line with glossy varnish on the varnishing section. The image with Twin Mat Offset does not accept glossy varnish and remains dull, and the rest of the printing area covered with a varnish is glossy.

This technology of coating works in-line only.

**Application:** 

Equipment: Offset press ink unit. The machine should be adapted to work with the oil

based materials, including rollers and hoses.

Application viscosity: As delivered. Stir well before using.

Equipment clean-up: Oil materials removers.

Coating drying: Hot air flow 50-60°C. It is possible to work both with and without IR-dryer.

If necessary, the additional siccative may be added. The temperature in the

pallet should be below 35°C.

Varnish and printing inks: Varnished branded printing inks with a quality certificate (DIN 16524 ...

NFQ 64). To avoid discoloration of the ink on the print, special paints with persistent pigments should be used. It is recommended to carry out preliminary tests when working with Purple, Reflex, Rhodamine ... paints, as

well as with any special paints.

In case of varnishing: -colors with a high content of wax or silicone additives;

-water and oil varnishes that are not special primers;

Recommended film weight: -prints, dried by infrared radiation;

- and other substrates with a surface tension below 38 dyne / cm

problems with adhesion and wetting of the varnished material may occur.

Gluing:  $1-1.8 \text{ g/m}^2$  depending the absorbency of the substrate.

Embossing:

Impossible.

Thermographic powder

application: Impossible.

Impression manipulation: Impossible.

Storage: Work with the varnished sheets (cutting, a stamping, scoring, pasting) can be

carried out in 24 hours after drawing a varnish in connection with oxidative drying of oil materials. The back-side coating of the print is possible after 12

hours from the first side coating. The prior tests are required.

It is recommended to store the varnish at a temperature of 18-22°C. Shelf



Safe handling:

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life: 6 months in original packaging. During storage, the formation of a film of dried lacquer on the surface is possible; therefore, before use, remove the

film and mix the varnish.

Avoid any contact with the skin. All work carried out in a ventilated area.

**Ecology and safety:** For specific environmental/food compliance requirements, please contact our

technicians for more information.

## Notes:

- All information provided in this Technical Data Sheet (TDS) including the recommendations for application is based on our current knowledge and experiences.
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