

Description

ORALITE® - Reflective films Series 5700 ENGINEER GRADE PREMIUM are weatherproof, selfadhesive retroreflective films with an excellent corrosion and solvent resistance.

The retroreflective system of the ORALITE® - Reflective films Series 5700 ENGINEER GRADE PREMIUM consists of catadioptric glass beads which are embedded in a transparent layer of plastic material (corresponds to class RA 1, design A, formerly Typ I). The smooth surface shows a high scratch resistance and impact strength and a very good printability.

The reflective data and colours at daylight comply with the international specifications for reflective materials of this class, such as EN 12899-1 (Europe), DIN 67520 and DIN 6171 (Germany), BS 873: Part 6 (Great Britain), NFP 98-520 (France), SN 640878 (Switzerland), ASTM D 4956 (US), JIS Z 9117 (Japan).

Front material

Alkyd resin

Release paper

PE-coated silicone paper, 145g/m².

As the product and batch number are applied to the silicone-coated paper, all production parameters and raw materials can be completely traced back.

Adhesive

Solvent polyacrylate, permanent

Area of use

ORALITE® - Reflective films Series 5700 ENGINEER GRADE PREMIUM were especially developed for the manufacture of traffic control and guidance signs, warning and information signs, and for reflective lettering, numbers and symbols, which are intended for long-term outdoor use.

The ORALITE® 5700 ENGINEER GRADE PREMIUM has an adhesive with an excellent adhesion on metallic surfaces as aluminium and zinc coated steel plate.

When using the ORALITE® - Reflective films Series 5700 ENGINEER GRADE PREMIUM, the particular national specifications have to be complied with.

Printing method

The use of ORALITE® - Screen printing inks series 5010 and series 5018 is recommended.

A transparent coating is not necessary.

Technical Data

Minimum reflection data (DIN 67520, Part 1 and Part 2, state as manufactured)

	Specific coefficient of retroreflection R' in cd / lx per m²								
Observation angle	0,2°			0,33°			2°		
Entrance angle	5°	30°	40°	5°	30°	40°	5°	30°	40°
white (010)	100	40	10	80	35	9	5	2,5	1,5
yellow (020)	60	26	7	45	20	6	3	1,5	1
orange (035)	30	12	2,2	25	10	2,2	1,2	0,5	-
red (030)	22	9	2	17	6,5	1,8	1	0,5	0,5
green (060)	13	5	1,5	11	5	1,2	0,5	0,3	0,2
blue (050)	6	2,4	0,5	4	1,3	-	-	-	-
brown (080)	5	2	-	3	1	-	-	-	-
black (070)	25	10	-	20	8	-	-	-	-

Colours (DIN 5033 Part 3, DIN 5036 Part 1, DIN 6171, state as manufactured)

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Thickness* (without protective paper and adhesive)	130 micron
Temperature resistance ***	adhered to aluminium, -56°C to +82°C
Seawater resistance (DIN 50021)	adhered to aluminium, after 100h/23°C no variation
Resistance to solvents and chemicals	with expert application resistant to most oils, grease, fuels, aliphatic solvents, weak acids, salts and alkalis
Resistance to cleaning agents	adhered to aluminium, 8h in washalcalics (0,5% householdcleaning agents) at room temperature and 65°C, no variation
Adhesive power* (FINAT TM 1, after 24h, stainless steel)	15 N/25mm (film tear)
Shelf life**	2 years
Application temperature	> +10°C
Service life by specialist application under vertical outdoor exposure (standard central European climate)	7 years (not printed)

* average

** in original packaging, at 20°C and 50% relative humidity

*** standard central European climate

Attention:

Surfaces to which the material will be applied must be thoroughly cleaned from dust, grease or any contamination which could affect the adhesion of the material. Freshly lacquered or painted surfaces should be allowed to dry for at least three weeks and to completely cure respectively. The compatibility of selected lacquers and paints should be tested by the user, prior to application of the material.

The selfadhesive reflective material can only be used for dry application. The low tensile strength of the material can make the removability of the reflective film more difficult. Furthermore the application information published by ORAFOL is to be considered.