Craftmark Polyester Barcode Labels



Our CRAFTMARK Polyester Barcode Labels are printed using our thickest polyester and a .0035" thick adhesive.

These labels can outperform any standard polyester label – and with an unlimited color palette they will look better doing it. Subsurface printing combined with our thickest polyester protects the logos, copy and barcode against extreme solvents, caustics, acids and moderate abrasion. This unique process eliminates the need for a laminate thereby eliminating the additional cost for the laminate as well as the possibility of delamination. The .0035" thick adhesive provides excellent adhesion to uneven, rough or slightly oily surfaces.

Four-color processing allows you to promote your company with a label that sports a company name or logo. Metalcraft's digital printing process ensures even the most detailed logo will look crisp and clean.

Features	Subsurface printing protects against extreme solvents, caustics, acids and mild abrasion while eliminating need for a laminate Digital printing process ensures bar code readability as well as crisp, clean company logos Custom colors available at no additional charge Durable .003" thick polyester material easily conforms to uneven or radius surface .0035" thick, pressure-sensitive adhesive for low-surface energy materials
Product Print Options	Barcode . Data Matrix . QR Code . RFID . Serial Number . Text
Product Functionality	Abrasion Resistance . Chemical Resistance . Heat Resistance
Popular Applications	Audio / Visual . Government . Restoration . Transportation / Logistics . Warehouse / Distribution Centers . Wineries / Breweries . Churches . Construction / Tool Tracking . Hospitals . IT Assets . Manufacturing . Schools
Category	Manufacturing . Information Technology . Medical . Equipment Rental . Education . Asset Tracking . Tool Tracking . Work-in- Process . Plastic Barcode Labels

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Specifications Data					
Material	.003" thick white or silver polyester				
Bar Code & Serialization	Serialized/unserialized numbers and bar code with human readable numbers				
Label Copy	The label copy may include block type, stylized type, logos or other designs				
Colors	Standard colors include black, red, yellow, green, orange, purple, dark blue or blue. Custom spot colors are also available at no additional charge. Due to contrast needed for the bar code scanner, all bar codes are black.				
Standard Adhesive	.0035" adhesive with excellent durability, particularly suited for a wide range of polyolefin and other low-surface energy materials (powderpaints, etc.)				
Sizes	2" x 1"; 2" x .625"; 1.25" x .5"; 1.5" x .75"; 2" x .75"; 1.75" x .5"				
Packaging	Produced and shipped in roll form. Strip form is optional. Cleaning solution is provided to assist in applying to a clean surface. Cartons are clearly marked to indicate serial numbers of labels.				
Shipment	11 business days				

Chemical Testing

Labels were applied to a clean glass substrate and submerged in the following chemicals for 6 hours. A 180 degree peel test was performed on each label to measure peel strength and a percentage peel strength change was calculated based on a sample left in standard room temperature dry conditions. Chemical Test Data

Chemical Resistance of Adhesive

	Water	Glass Cleaner	Bathroom Cleaner	Isopropyl Alcohol	Acetone	NaOH pH 12	HN03 pH 12	HCI pH 12	Brake fluid	Diesel fuel
Peel strength (control)	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1
BC grade loss after chemical exposure	none	none	none	none	none	none	none	none	none	none

Destructive Testing

Destructive Test Data

Temperature Testing

Labels were applied to a clean glass substrate and heated to the temperatures listed below for 1 hour. Peel tests were performed to compare change in adhesive strength and bar codes were graded before and after testing to measure image degradation severity.

Temperature Test Data

Adhesive Strength Change after Heat Exposure

	104°F/40°C	212°F/100°C	302°F/150°C	392°F/200C
Peel Strength (control)	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.1
Actual Peel Strength (Ib/in)	8.1	8.1	8.2	3.4

Read Range Testing

Read Range Test Data

Barcode Readibility Testing

Barcode Readability Test Data

Bar code grade loss after heat exposure

104° F/40° C for 1 hour	212° F/100° C for 1 hour	302° F/150° C for 1 hour	392° F/200° C	
0	2	2	no read	

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Abrasion Testing

Labels survived more than 6,000 revolutions on Taber Abrader using Calibrase H18 wheel with 1000g weight and remained readable with a bar code reader.

Abrasion Test Data

Label Adhesion Testing

Label Adhesion Test Data

Pull Testing

Pull Test Data