

## TUBIPERL SILVER

<b>Characterization</b>	Ready-for-use paste for pearlescent printing
<b>Chemical Structure</b>	Thickened acrylate dispersion with pearlescent pigments
<b>Supplied Form</b>	Shiny, medium viscous paste
<b>Ionic Character</b>	Anionic
<b>pH Value</b>	7.5 – 8.5
<b>Stabilities</b>	TUBIPERL SILVER is highly sensitive to frost. Irreversible changes occur after the impact of temperatures around the freezing point.
<b>Storage</b>	In a cool and dry place but not below + 5 °C, in well-closed, original containers. We recommend not exceeding a storage time of six months. The product has to be stirred up thoroughly before use. Opened containers must be closed again tightly.

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The above given values are product describing data. Please consult the 'delivery specification' for binding product specifications. Further data about product properties, toxicological, ecological data as well as data relevant to safety can be found in the safety data sheet.

### Properties

TUBIPERL SILVER is an aqueous, pearlescent paste standing out particularly by a very high gloss level, an easy handling and a good fastness level.

In addition to the high gloss level TUBIPERL SILVER gives a very even and smooth surface.

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### Application Procedure

#### Fibre Materials

TUBIPERL SILVER can be applied to any type of textile substrate that is sufficiently heat-resistant.

#### Preparation of Print Paste

For increasing the fastness level we recommend the addition of fixing agents such as e. g. TUBIFIX ML 55 in quantities of 10.0 – 20.0 g/kg.

Problems with the running properties can normally be solved by adding 20.0 – 40.0 g/kg TUBIPRINT BL.

## **Printing Process**

TUBIPERL SILVER is suitable for application on flat-bed and rotary printing machines. The guiding figures for screen finenesses are as follows:

18 – 43 threads/cm for flat-bed and  
60 mesh as well as 105 mesh Pentascreen® for rotary printing.

Depending on the effect to be achieved or the substrate to be printed, selection of the screen or fineness of the screen can differ from the stated parameters.

Fields of application not mentioned here, such as coating or gravure printing, require preliminary tests.

## **Drying and Fixation Terms**

Same as for pigment printing, thermal fixation has to be done at a temperature above 140 °C with dry heat, at best at 150 - 170 °C during 5 - 2 min.

### **Warning**

**This product may contain up to 40 ppm of formaldehyde.  
Its application may release up to < 16 ppm of formaldehyde in the finished article.**

**We reserve the right to modify the product and technical leaflet.**

**Our department for applied technique is always at your service for further information and advice.**

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