# **Unitex® Sprint**

Unitex® Sprint provides premium screen-printing performance and quality at a competitive price. Unitex® Sprint is designed for use with UV-LEDcured systems, water-based inks systems and the more environmentally friendly chemical systems commonly used in modern textile printing processes. Made from Diphenylmethane Diisocyanate (MDI) technology, Unitex® Sprint is designed to give high resistance to degradation by commonly used inks, solvents and monomers used in modern printing processes.

#### **Profile**

Single Durometer **Triple Durometer** D-Cut 45° and 62° D-Cut with Land 45° and 62°







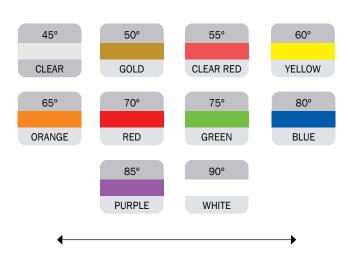
D-cut and D-cut with Land

#### **Benefits:**

- · Compatible with most textile inks
- Resistant to solvents used in modern ink systems
- Precision edge printing with pin sharp reproduction
- · Good abrasion resistance
- Consistent durometer
- Tight manufacturing tolerances

## **Durometer/color coding:**

Tolerance: +/- 3° Shore A



Softer squeegee More ink, richer colours

Harder squeegee Less ink, greater detail

## **Textile screen printing**

Unitex® Sprint is suitable for screen printing on most textile substrates for decorative or personalised printing including:

- Automatic flat screen
- Semi-automatic screen
- Rotary screen
- Hand printing

## **Typical ink systems:**

- Plastisol
- Soft hand plastisol
- Water based
- Water based discharge

Unitex® Sprint exceeds the performance of similar squeegees on the market.

#### **Technical Recommendations**

Unitex® Sprint can cope with intricate designs on silk through to durable bold prints on a wide range of fabric-based substrates.

Textiles such as T-shirts often require a large amount of ink deposited, so a softer squeegee is required such as Unitex® Sprint 60 Shore A.

## **Specifications**

Dimensions	Plain section	Tolerance
Length	Up to 3750 mm (147")	+/- 10 mm
Width	15 - 50 mm (0.6 - 2")	+/- 0.5 mm
	50 - 100 mm (2 - 4")	+/- 1 mm
	100 - 610 mm (4 - 24")	+/- 5 mm
Thickness	Up to 12.5 mm	+/- 0.4 mm
Туре	Hardness	Tolerance
Unitex® Sprint	45° - 90° Sh A in 5° increments	+/- 3° Shore A

Available in different profiles, hardnessses and sizes on request

#### Technical data chart

Physical Property	Values	Standard
Tensile break strength	37.5 Mpa	BS ISO 37:2017
Tensile break strain	472%	BS ISO 37:2017
Tensile stress at 100% elongation	3.23 Mpa	BS ISO 37:2017
Tensile stress at 300% elongation	8.57 Mpa	BS ISO 37:2017
Tear strength (die B - nicked)	24.45 kN/m	ISO 34-1:2010
Abrasion resistance - volume loss (rotating cylindrical drum - aluminium oxide 60 grit)	44mm³	BS ISO 4649:2017
Solvent swell mass increase - 2hr submersion in cyclohexanone	26.21%	BS ISO 1817:2005
Solvent swell hardness decrease - 2hr submersion in cyclohexanone	-13 Shore A	BS ISO 1817:2005
Solvent swell hardness recovery - cyclohexanone 2hr + 120hr recovery	-2 Shore A	BS ISO 1817:2005
Retained hardness post swell - cyclohexanone 2hr + 120hr recovery	97.26%	BS ISO 1817:2005
Retained tensile break strength post swell - cyclohexanone 2hr + 120hr recovery	55.98%	BS ISO 1817:2005
Retained tensile break strain post swell - cyclohexanone 2hr + 120hr recovery	97.25%	BS ISO 1817:2005
Retained tensile stress at 100% elongation post swell - cyclohexanone 2hr + 120hr recovery	78.31%	BS ISO 1817:2005
Retained tensile stress at 300% elongation post swell - cyclohexanone 2hr + 120hr recovery	79.35%	BS ISO 1817:2005
Average percentage of retained properties post swell	81.63%	BS ISO 1817:2005
Resilience - rebound resilience	54%	DIN 53512:2000

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