



Commercial Substrate Evaluation Report

Certified for **HP Indigo**

Supplier Information								
Supplier Name		Convertible Solutions						
Supplier Address		3500 Snyder Avenue, Sedalia, MO, 65301						
Supplier Country		United States						
Product Information								
Product Name		MultiLoft® Encore Wild Cherry						
Product Category		Paper						
Grammage (gsm) / Basis weight (#)		317 gsm		Thickness (microns/caliper)		0.016 in		
Certification Number		RI7000-15-4183		Certification Center		RIT		
Date of Evaluation		09/08/2015		Evaluated on		Interpolation		
Certified for		7000, 5000, 5500, 5600 multi-shot, 7500, 7600 & 7800						
Evaluation Process	Interpolation							
Evaluation		Measurement		Result	G	rade (stars)	Comments	
Runability								
Simplex		Number of Jams			**	***		
Duplex		Number of Jams						
Ink Adhesion / Fixing					**	*		
Peeling	100%K in 4 color mode, % in remaining							
Flaking	<1mm, % Coverage							
Photo Peeling	290K in 4 color mode, % in remaining							
Photo Flaking	<1mm, % Coverage							
Photo Recommended	>80% after 10 or 60 min							
White Ink Recommended	>	80% after 10 or 60 min						
Blanket Compatibility								
Cleaner Pages	1	st clean page after 12K impressions			***			
Evaluation Result			Pass					

Comment Detail: Front Side Only - Substrate is a simplex product and only the front side is certified.

The substrate certification procedure incorporates several processes.

An initial screening evaluation is followed by a more comprehensive evaluation

looking at the performance of the particular substrate within the press. This checks for:

Runnability:

The ability of the substrate to run smoothly through the press in various print modes.

Fixing:

Ink-substrate interaction as determined by: 1) The degree of ink adhesion to the substrate for standard and photo-related applications as measured in a tape peel test of the image; and 2) The degree of flaking of the ink layer. The fixing properties are measured through a range of blanket temperatures and pressures.

Blanket Compatibility:

Blanket-substrate interaction as determined by: 1) Ink-transferability, which is the quality of ink transfer from the blanket to the substrate as reflected in highlight dots, thin lines, heavy images and image edge integrity; 2) 'Blanket Memory' effects, reflected in gloss or density differences between solids and background areas of the previously printed image; and 3) Number of cleaner pages, in which blankets are routinely maintained by performing a self cleaning procedure ("cleaner pages") used to refresh the blanket's release layer.

Photo and White Ink Applications:

Use of robust media products is strongly recommended when printing photo-related and/or white ink applications and/or Light Cyan and Light Magenta due to additional ink coverage demands of these applications. This media has been tested and approved to perform well with higher levels of ink coverage, and is therefore recommended for photo-related and/or white ink type applications. However, it is strongly recommended that user acceptance ultimately be evaluated per individual application and finishing requirements, etc. The test results are provided as a guide; assess actual performance to determine suitability for individual use.

Star Rating

★★★ Best performing substrate: fewer print cleaners needed; no blanket memories at least up to 12K impressions.

- ★★ Recommended substrate: some print cleaners may be needed; slight memories may be seen up to 12K impression
 - 🚖 Good substrate: print cleaners generally required; some memories may be seen by 12K impressions.

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Evaluation	Measurement	Best-performing Recommended		Good	Failure
Transport	Runnability	No jams with the tested paper	No more than 1 jam or minor issue with the tested paper	No more than 1 jam and minor issues with the tested paper	2 jams with the tested paper, control performs well
Fixing	Peeling	All 4 results are \ge 90%	All 4 results are $\ge 80\%$	At least 1 result is ≥ 80%	All results < 80%
Flaking Guille	Flaking Guillotine, 5min • Coated		At least 1 result is > 250%	At least 1 result is > 200%	Results < 200%
Flaking Guilla	Flaking Guillotine, 5min • Uncoated		Result is > 250%	Result is > 200%	Results < 200%
Photo	Peeling 290% Black	Result is > 80% after 10 or 60 minutes		N/A	Results < 80%
FIIOIO	Flaking Guillotine, 5min	<1mm	at 350% K	N/A	Results > 1mm
Blanket	Cleaner Sheets	1ª Red is clean 3 rd Red is clean		5 th Red is clean	5th Red not clean, or White observed
Compatibility	Monitors on tested paper and reference glossy paper	Very minor memories at least up to 12K impressions	Slight memories may be seen up to 12K impressions	Some memories may be seen by 12K impressions	Severe lack of dots/cracks/gloss memory

This substrate is certified for the next two years from the date of evaluation, provided there is no change to the paper properties or production processes. At the end of two years from the original evaluation date, if there have been no changes in paper properties or production processes, the certification can be extended for another two years. After four years from the original certification date, a new certification is required.



