

## PERFORMANCE GUIDE

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FSC® Optimal Performance DT 640AT Bloom® hi.mpact (No added Bisphenols)

### **Face Description**

A **medium sensitivity** optimal performance specially engineered non-topcoated direct thermal paper with No Added Bisphenols designed for applications such as logistics, deli weigh scale, and general applications. This product has good environmental resistance to heat and humidity, plasticizer resistance along with superior resistance to fading and scuffing. Product designed for high reliability barcode scan at visible light (633nm) wavelengths. FSC Certified. Certificate Number: SCS-COC-007635

| Test Property                        | Typical Values  | Test Method          |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Basis Weight                         | 18.9 # Avg      | ISO536               |
| 17 x 22 sheets                       |                 |                      |
| Caliper, inches                      | 0.00311 +/- 10% | ISO534               |
| Tear, grams                          | 31.6 MD 32.6 CD | ISO1924-3            |
| Tensile, lbs/in                      | 21.1MD 12 CD    | ISO1924-3            |
| Brightness %                         | 85% Avg.        | ISO2470              |
| Image Color                          | Black           |                      |
| Initial Activation Temp (O.D.=0.2)   |                 | 178 ± 9°F (81 ± 5°C) |
| Effective Activation Temp (O.D.=0.8) |                 | 194 ± 9°F (90 ± 5°C) |
| Optimum Activation Temp (O.D.=1.0)   |                 | 214± 9°F (101 ± 5°C) |

### **Adhesive Description 640AT**

An all temperature acrylic adhesive that performs well in normal to freezer temperature applications. 640AT exhibits open time on some substrates (please test) and develops a permanent bond to a wide variety of substrates.

| Test Property                         | Typical Values               | Test Method       |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Caliper, inches                       | 0.0007 +/- 10%               |                   |
| Min Application                       | -20°F (-29°C)                |                   |
| Service range                         | -65 to 200°F (-54°C to 93°C) |                   |
| Average Peel Adhesion Stainless Steel | 1.8/lbs/inch                 | PSTC-101/Method F |
| 30 minutes applied/90° angle          |                              | MACtac CTM54      |
| Loop Tack g/1"                        | 2.4 lbs/sq. inch             | PSTC-16/Method A  |
|                                       |                              | MACtac CTM25      |

When comparing values, keep in mind, other suppliers may use different testing methods.

#### **Liner Description**

**Bloom**® hi.mpact™ liner excellent for die cutting and stripping. The liner release system is designed specifically for label dispensing. Primarily for roll-to-roll applications.

| Test Property | Typical Values | Test Method |
|---------------|----------------|-------------|
| Caliper       | 0.0016+/- 10%  | TAPPI T411  |
| Basis Weight  | 27.7+/- 10%    | TAPPI T410  |

#### **Applications**

A flexible product used for high reliability barcode scanning and human readable labels for short term Logistics applications, deli weigh scale and retail with a cold temperature performing adhesive. Recommended for use in standard speed thermal printers.

#### **Shelf Life**

One year when stored at 72°F and 50% RH. For more about Direct Thermal Storage, see the Technical Bulletin for Direct Thermal Storage at www.mactac.com.



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