Alpha® Free



Label Facestock



Key Features

- · Made with our patent-pending phenol-free direct thermal chemistry
- · Low-caliper for longer roll lengths
- · Lower basis weight reduces freight
- · Good imaging for short life expectancy

Applications

- · Retail Market
- · Gas Stations
- · Supermarket



Alpha Free is a point of purchase and specialty retail grade with good imaging characteristics. This low-caliper product has a white backside, making it suitable for flexographic printing for both front and back.

Product Characteristics – Provisional Data

Caliper	2.2 ± 0.12 mils 55.88 ± 3 μm
Basis Weight 17 x 22—500 (lbs) g/m2	13.5 ± 0.7 50.6 ± 2.48
Thermal Response - Nominal Static (°C ± 5°) 0.2 ODU Maximum Density (ODU) Temperature Required	93° C 1.12 141° C
Dynamic—Atlantek 400 (mJ/mm2) 0.2 ODU 1.0 ODU Maximum Density (ODU) Energy Required	5.0 9.7 1.5 14.6
Brightness (UV Excluded)	>85
Gurley Stiffness Nominal (mg)	MD 23 CD 8
Elmendorf Tear Nominal (g)	MD 30 CD 35
Tensile (lbs/in)	MD 20 CD 8
Parker Print Surface	<1.6





