

**B-711 ONE STEP PROTECT™ BACKSIDE PRINTED CLEAR POLYESTER LABEL WITH CLEAR BORDER**

TDS No. B-711

Effective Date: 11/14/2022

**Description:**

**GENERAL**

**Print Technology:** Thermal transfer

**Materials Type:** Polyester

**Finish:** Gloss

**Adhesive:** Permanent acrylic

**APPLICATIONS**

Brand label, rating and serial plates using alphanumerics, barcodes, graphic symbols and logos that require name plate quality. Applications requiring additional print protection from chemicals and abrasion.

**RECOMMENDED RIBBONS**

Brady Series R6000 Halogen Free

Brady Series R4400 (colors - red, blue, green, white)

Brady Series R4900 and R6200 (alternates)

**REGULATORY/AGENCY APPROVALS**

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All other regions: [www.bradyid.com/weee-rohs](http://www.bradyid.com/weee-rohs)

**SPECIAL FEATURES**

Brady B-711 is underside printed for increased abrasion and chemical resistance of the print.

Note: Dimensions of the label will include the border, therefore, the printable area will be less than the size of the label.

**Details:**

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES	TEST METHODS	AVERAGE RESULTS
Thickness	ASTM D 1000 -Substrate -Adhesive -Total including border (excluding liner)	0.005 inch (0.127 mm) 0.002 inch (0.051 mm) 0.007 inch (0.178 mm)
Adhesion to:	ASTM D 1000	
-Stainless Steel	20 minute dwell 24 hour dwell	69 oz/inch (76 N/100 mm) 69 oz/inch (76 N/100 mm)
-Textured ABS	20 minutes dwell 24 hour dwell	11 oz/inch (12 N/100 mm) 11 oz/inch (12 N/100 mm)
-Polypropylene	20 minutes dwell 24 hour dwell	30 oz/inch (33 N/100 mm) 30 oz/inch (33 N/100 mm)
-Polyester Powder Coated Paint	20 minutes dwell 24 hour dwell	42 oz/inch (46 N/100 mm) 46 oz/inch (50 N/100 mm)

Performance properties tested on B-711 underside printed with the Brady Series R6000 Halogen Free ribbon. Printed samples were laminated to aluminum and allowed to dwell 24 hours before exposure to the indicated environments.

PERFORMANCE PROPERTIES	TEST METHOD	TYPICAL RESULTS
Long Term High Service Temperature	30 days at various temperatures	No visible effect to label at 100°C. Slight discoloration at 120°C. Moderate discoloration at 130°C but label is still functional.
Long Term Low Service Temperature	30 days at -80°C	No visible effect
Short Term High Service Temperature	5 minutes at various temperatures	No visible effect to label at 170°C. Slight shrinkage at 190°C, label remains functional. Label becomes non-functional at 210°C due to shrinkage.
Humidity Resistance	30 days at 100°F (37°C) and 95% relative humidity.	No visible effect
UV Light Resistance	ASTM G155, Cycle 1 (No Spray) 30 days in Q-Sun Xenon Test Chamber	No visible effect
Weatherability	ASTM G155, Cycle 1 30 days in Xenon Arc Weather-Ometer®.	No visible effect
Salt Fog Resistance	ASTM B 117 30 days in 5% salt fog solution chamber	No visible effect
Abrasion	Taber Abraser, CS10 grinding wheels, 1,000 g/arm (Fed. Std. 191A, Method 5306)	Print legible after 1,000 cycles

PERFORMANCE PROPERTY	CHEMICAL RESISTANCE
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Samples were printed with the Brady Series R6000 Halogen Free ribbon. Samples were laminated to aluminum panels and allowed to dwell 24 hours prior to testing. Testing was conducted at room temperature and consisted of 30 minute immersions in the specified test fluid. After immersion, the samples were removed from the test fluid and the printed image rubbed 10 times with a cotton swab saturated with the test fluid. The rating scale below shows the effect to the quality of the print for each sample.

CHEMICAL REAGENT	SUBJECTIVE OBSERVATION OF VISUAL CHANGE		
	EFFECT TO LABEL STOCK	EFFECTS TO PRINTED IMAGE	
		R6000 Halogen Free	
		WITHOUT RUB	WITH RUB
Methyl Ethyl Ketone	Slight adhesive ooze	1	1
Toluene	Slight adhesive ooze	1	1
Isopropyl Alcohol	No visible effect	1	1
Mineral Spirits	No visible effect	1	1
Gasoline	Slight adhesive ooze	1	1
JP-8 Jet Fuel	Slight adhesive ooze	1	1
Brake Fluid DOT 3	No visible effect	1	1
SAE 20 WT Oil at 70°C	No visible effect	1	1
Skydrol® 500B-4	Slight adhesive ooze	1	1
Formula 409® Cleaner	No visible effect	1	1

Super Agitene	No visible effect	1	1
Deionized Water	No visible effect	1	1
3% Alconox	No visible effect	1	1
10% Sodium Hydroxide	No visible effect	1	1
10% Sulfuric Acid	No visible effect	1	1

**Rating Scale:**

- 1= no visible effect
- 2= slight smear or print removal, detectable but minimal smear
- 3= moderate smear or print removal (print still legible)
- 4= severe smear or print removal (print illegible or just barely legible)
- 5= complete print and/or topcoat removal
- NP= print removed prior to rub

**Shelf Life:**

Shelf life is two years from the date of receipt for this product as long as this product is stored in its original packaging in an environment below 80° F (27° C) and 60% RH. It remains the responsibility of the user to assess the risk of using this product. We encourage customers to develop testing protocols that will qualify a product's fitness for use in their actual application.

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**Note:** All values shown are averages and should not be used for specification purposes.

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