

BLOCKER

Since some materials tend to "bleed" through the heat transfers, we have developed an add-on to prevent this, which we call "Blocker".

Blocker can be ordered for all heat transfers in the STARK™ product range and serves as an add-on during the ordering process. Heat transfers with Blocker are of the same quality, but with the characteristic that it prevents bleeding/migration on most materials.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS ABOUT BLOCKER

What does migration mean?

Migration is usually the word used to describe the chemical process of colour pigment moving in plastics. The most affected materials are polyester and Soft Shell. Migration causes the heat transfers to become discoloured and can sometimes be perceived as mould or bleeding.

What does Blocker mean?

We have developed a barrier that prevents migration. The barrier consists of several layers printed behind the design. Heat transfers with Blocker are easy to distinguish from our usual heat transfers, as they have a dark grey back side instead of white.



Without Blocker on a Soft Shell jacket

With Blocker on a Soft Shell jacket

When is Blocker needed?

Ascertain from your garment supplier whether they previously had problems with migration. If you don't get any information that way, we can help you by testing your material in our test lab, with you being able to access the test report.

Blocker's durability?

Since it isn't possible to test all materials, we cannot guarantee Blocker's durability over the long run. However, we are constantly testing new materials and have had very good results so far, which we'd like to share with you.

BLOCKER PRICES

x 1.3 - Blockers are charged as an increment of x 1.6 on the fixed unit price of the item.