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## Material Safety Data Sheet

### Color Ribbon

#### SECTION 1 *Product Identification and General Information*

**Manufacturer:** IIMAK

**Product Information:** 716-691-6333 (contact Chief R&D Chemist)

**Emergency Phone Number (24 Hour):** Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300 (for chemical emergencies)

**Product Numbers:** Color Ribbon (Mono or Multicolor)

**Chemical Name:** Color Ribbon

**Date MSDS Prepared:** 12/21/2005

#### SECTION 2 *Composition/Information on Ingredients*

Contents	Percent by Weight	CAS No.	OSHA PEL	LISTED CARCINOGEN (IARC/OSHA/NTP)
Polyethylene terephthalate	60 - 70	25038-59-9	N/A	No
Modified Hydrocarbon Waxes	10 - 30	N/A	Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated*	No
Synthetic Waxes	10 - 30	N/A	Regulated*	No
EVA Copolymer	10 - 15	24937-78-8	Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated*	No
Color Pigments (various)	5 - 10	various	Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated* Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated* Particulates Not Otherwise Regulated*	No

\*Nuisance Dust – 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> and Respirable Dust – 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

#### SECTION 3 *Hazards Identification*

##### Health Hazard Information (Acute and Chronic):

This product is not considered hazardous to man or the environment under normal conditions of use. These products are articles as defined by OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200, Canadian WHMIS and the EC Directives.

**Appearance:** Product consists of inks and resins coated on plastic film and wound onto a plastic or cardboard core.

**Potential Hazards:** None currently known or expected. The form and intended use of this product should prevent the release of the hazardous components into the air and creating a hazard.

**Inhalation:** This material is not considered an inhalation hazard.

**Ingestion:** Although ingestion is unlikely, this material would irritate the digestive tract.

**Skin Contact:** Skin irritation may occur from prolonged skin contact.

**Eye Contact:** May cause irritation and redness.

**Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** None currently known.

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Cancer Information: None of the components of these products are listed a carcinogen or suspected carcinogen by the IARC, NTP, or OSHA..

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SECTION 4 *First-Aid Measures*

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**Eye Contact:** Flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** Wash thoroughly with soap and water.

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention.

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SECTION 5 *Fire-Fighting Measures*

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**Flash Point:** NA

**Extinguishing Media:** Water spray, foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide

**Special Fire Fighting Procedures:** Wear normal fire fighting protective equipment, such as SCBA, in buildings or confined spaces.

**Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:** None

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Burning may produce carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, oxides of nitrogen, acetaldehyde, methane, ethane, ethylene, toxic gases, and smoke.

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SECTION V6 *Accidental Release Measures*

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**Spill Procedure:** Pick up and store as solid waste.

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SECTION 7 *Handling and Storage*

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There are no special storage or handling procedures required.

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SECTION 8 *Exposure Controls/Personal Protection*

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**Eye Protection:** It is a good industrial hygiene practice to minimize eye contact.

**Respiratory Protection:** No special respiratory protection required.

**Ventilation:** Provide sufficient mechanical ventilation.

**Protective Clothing:** Wear chemical-resistant gloves and protective clothing appropriate for the risk of exposure.

**Work and Hygienic Practices:** Eye wash and shower facility should be available. Practice good hygiene and maintain a clean work environment.

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SECTION 9 *Physical and Chemical Properties*

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**Solubility:** Neither inks nor plastic films are soluble in water.

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SECTION 10 *Stability and Reactivity*

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**Stability:** Stable

**Conditions to Avoid:** None

**Incompatibility (materials to avoid):** None known.

**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur.

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SECTION 11                    *Toxicological Information*

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No data available at this time.

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SECTION 12                    *Ecological Information*

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No data available at this time.

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SECTION 13                    *Disposal Considerations*

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**Waste Disposal Method:** Dispose of product in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

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SECTION 14                    *Transport Information*

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US DOT or IATA/ICAO does not regulate these products as hazardous materials for transportation.

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SECTION 15                    *Regulatory Information*

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**USEPA SARA 311 Hazards Classification:** N/A

**USEPA SARA 313:** This product does not contain chemicals subject to the reporting requirements under SARA Title III, Section 313.

**Hazardous Substance (40 CFR 116):** N/A

**CERCLA Reportable Quantity:** N/A

**WHMIS Classification:** Not a controlled product.

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SECTION 16                    *Other Information*

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**HMIS Hazard Rating:** Health – 0; Fire – 1; Reactivity – 0

**NFPA Hazard Rating:** Health – 0; Fire – 1; Reactivity – 0

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