PIF 01467

PROTEX

PRESS & SCREEN WASH FOR TEXTILE

UP TO **1,024**

SCREENS PER GALLON · 0.125 FL OZ EACH

Use as supplied | Solvent blend | Citrus odor

Textile Printing | Manual

DESCRIPTION

ProTex quickly opens dried or clogged images on the screen during the production run. Use it on textile inks without harming the emulsion, for press-side wash-up, color changes and as a pre-step to color changes. ProTex is a combustible solvent blend with a citrus odor; use it with good ventilation, away from heat and flame.

ADVANTAGES

Quick Action
Opens dried or clogged images on press

Emulsion Safe
Cleans textile inks without harming the stencil

Color Changes
Press-side wash-up and pre-step to color changes

Economical
$0.07 per screen at 0.25 fl oz (drum MSRP)

DIRECTIONS

- Spray or wipe the affected area on the ink side of the screen with ProTex, as supplied.
- Keep wiping, turning the towel often, until the area is dry.
- Before resuming printing, test print on scrap material to make sure all residue is gone.
- Use in a well-ventilated area away from heat, sparks and flame. Ground and bond containers when transferring from drums or pails.



55 gal drum
01467-D5505



5 gal pail
01467-P5010



1 gal · 4 × 1 gal
B1201 · C4201



12 × 1 qt
01467-C3004

COST PER SCREEN

FL OZ PER SCREEN	SCREENS PER GAL	SCREENS PER DRUM	COST PER SCREEN
0.125 fl oz	1,024	56,320	$0.04
0.25 fl oz	512	28,160	$0.07
0.5 fl oz (reference)	256	14,080	$0.15

Reference use: 0.5 fl oz per screen, about 15 trigger sprays at 1 ml per spray, for $0.15 per screen. Cost = fl oz used × $0.30 per fl oz ($38.00/gal, 55 gal drum MSRP, effective July 3, 2026). Actual use varies with screen size and ink load; your distributor price may differ.

AVAILABLE PACK SIZES

ITEM NO.	PACK SIZE	DOT
01467-D5505	55 gal drum	Not regulated
01467-P5010	5 gal pail	Not regulated
01467-C4201	4 × 1 gal	Not regulated
01467-B1201	1 gal bottle	Not regulated
01467-C3004	12 × 1 qt	Not regulated

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Read the product label and Safety Data Sheet before use. Orders: 800-752-6627 · sales@kor-chem.com

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PROTEX

WHERE IT FITS IN THE RECLAIM PROCESS

1 INK REMOVAL — ProTex (this product) › **2 EMULSION REMOVAL** — ER-160 · ER-190 · ER-1-2-5 › **3 STAIN REMOVAL (HAZE)** — GIR-4U Plus · Pink Scrub · Bio-1 › **4 DEGREASE** — DG-520 · ProClean · Bio-1

TYPICAL PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

Appearance	Colorless, clear liquid	**Flash point**	124°F (51°C)
Odor	Citrus	**Flammability**	Class II combustible
pH	Not applicable (solvent)	**VOC**	Not stated on SDS
Specific gravity	0.875	**Solubility in water**	Insoluble
Weight, per U.S. gallon	7.3 lb	**Inks covered**	Textile inks

SAFETY & HANDLING

HAZARDS (GHS)

- Flammable liquid and vapor (H226)
- May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways (H304)
- Causes skin irritation (H315)
- May cause an allergic skin reaction (H317)
- Causes serious eye irritation (H319)
- May cause drowsiness or dizziness (H336)
- Toxic to aquatic life with long-lasting effects (H411)

FIRST AID

- **If swallowed:** Immediately call a poison center or doctor. Do NOT induce vomiting (aspiration hazard). Rinse mouth.
- **If on skin or hair:** Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Rinse skin with water; wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.
- **If inhaled:** Move to fresh air and keep at rest. Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell.
- **If in eyes:** Flush with water for at least 15 minutes, holding eyelids open. Remove contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

- **Eyes:** Safety glasses with side shields or splash-proof goggles; face shield if splashing is possible.
- **Hands & body:** Chemical-resistant (impervious) gloves and boots; apron for large amounts.
- **Breathing:** Use in a well-ventilated area. NIOSH-approved organic vapor respirator if the PEL is exceeded or vapors cause irritation.

STORAGE & DISPOSAL

- **Shelf life:** 1 year minimum at 75°F in the original closed container.
- Keep from freezing.
- **Lot number:** bottom right corner of every label, a Julian date followed by the item number.
- Keep away from heat, flame and sunlight; keep cool. Keep tightly closed in a well-ventilated place, locked up, away from strong oxidizers and acids.
- **Disposal:** Do not dump into sewers, on the ground or into waterways. Dispose of per federal, state and local regulations. Waste may be RCRA D001 (ignitable).

Safety information summarized from the ProTex Safety Data Sheet. The SDS governs; see it for full precautions.

REGISTRATIONS & COMPLIANCE

GHS signal word	WARNING
VOC	Not stated on SDS
California SCAQMD Rule 1171	Not determined; contact Kor-Chem
California Prop 65	Contains no listed chemicals
DOT, ground	Combustible liquid: not regulated in containers of 119 gal or less (49 CFR 173.150(f)); UN1993, 3, PG III at 120 gal or more.
Air and vessel	IATA / IMDG: UN1993, 3, PG III

ORDERING & SUPPORT

- **Orders:** 800-752-6627 · sales@kor-chem.com · shop.kor-chem.com
- **SDS:** scan the code below or visit kor-chem.com/sds
- **Find a distributor:** kor-chem.com/distributor-locator
- **Technical service:** our screen printing team can help set up ProTex for press-side wash-up and color changes.
- **Next step:** after printing, clean the screen with a Kor-Chem ink degradent (Bio-1, Bio-4, Bio-11).
- **Equipment:** Kor-Chem also supplies dip tanks, spray guns, scrub pads and InPro TigerClean automatic screen reclaiming systems.
- **Made in Atlanta:** manufactured by Kor-Chem, Inc., Atlanta, Georgia.

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