

# PrintMetal ASLAN CA 30

## Printable metal effect film with extra long durability

This self-adhesive metal effect film offers 5 years outdoor durability and is perfectly suited both for plotting and for printing with solvent, eco-solvent, latex and UV-curing inks. With identical colour effects on both sides, PrintMetal ASLAN CA 30 is ideal for use on transparent surfaces. The range includes six different coloured metal effects for creative and striking designs on all smooth surfaces. Available in polished silver and gold as well as brushed copper, aluminium, gold and silver.

For further information or questions regarding special applications please contact our technical advisory service: **+49 2204.708-80**

### Construction

Face film:	PET/PVC	
Thickness:	~ 140 µm (~ 5.5 mil)	
Adhesive:	pressure sensitive polyacrylate	square quantity: ~ 30 g/m <sup>2</sup>
Release liner:	double sided PE coated paper	square weight: ~ 140 g/m <sup>2</sup>

### Characteristics

Adhesive strength (ASTM D903):	immediately: after 1 week:	~ 6 N/25mm ~ 14 N/25mm
Chemical resistance:	In a preece test of 24 hours the applied film is resistant to most petroleum based oils, greases and aliphatic solvents, mild acids, alkaline and salts.	
Temperature:	application temperature: service temperature range:	min 15 °C (59 °F) -30 °C (-22 °F) up to +80 °C (176 °F)
Durability:	Up to 5 years outdoors, with vertical exposure, in central European standard climatic conditions.	

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## Processing

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<b>Digital cutting:</b>	The self-adhesive film is ideally suited for cutting. The vertical height of capital letters should not be smaller than 20 mm. When cutting the self-adhesive film, the pen pressure should be set a high and a cutter blade for thicker materials should be chosen.
<b>Printability:</b>	The material is printable with solvent, eco-solvent, latex and UV-curing as well as screen printing inks.
<b>Application:</b>	<p>In general, the film can be applied dry.</p> <p>A wet application reduces static and helps repositioning.</p> <p>Being a PET base film water diffuses poorly through the film. Therefore, all water used has to be squeegeed out during application. For the application of letterings etc. we recommend our ASLAN Application Tapes.</p> <p>The PrintMetal ASLAN CA 30 can only be applied on smooth and even surfaces and is not suitable for curved surfaces.</p>
<b>Storage:</b>	Before application the films can be stored up to 2 years from date of production. The film must be stored at room temperature (15-25 °C / 59-77 °F) and at a relative air humidity of 50-60%. To avoid pressure points appearing on the roll surface, we recommend the rolls be stored either standing vertically or in a purposely designed 'hanging' racks

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The quality of our products is regularly examined, upgraded and developed. We take the right, without prior notice, to adjust, upgrade and improve the chemical structures or physical characteristics of our products in accordance with our latest knowledge.

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