



# PERFORMANCE GUIDE

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## **PRODUCT: 6300 Metallic Enhancers** **High Performance Cast Vinyl Series**

### **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:**

Metallic Enhancer film 6300 is a premium 2.5-mil (**Crystal**) and 3.0-mil (**Silver** and **Multicolor** metallic flake) cadmium-free clear cast vinyl with high gloss and a high concentration of light refracting additives for a glistening appearance on the surface of your substrate or to use as an overlaminating film to greatly enhance your high quality graphics. These MACtac films are designed for high profile applications over *flat to slightly curved surfaces*. The products are coated with a high-performance permanent, clear solvent acrylic adhesive protected with 78# bleached white kraft liner for good stability and layflat. These films are outstanding choices for creating unique effects in fleet marking, container decals, marine, logos, automotive, equipment identification, signs, etc.

<b><u>PHYSICAL PROPERTIES:</u></b>	<b><u>TYPICAL VALUES*</u></b>	<b><u>TEST METHOD</u></b>
<b>Thickness, inches (µm)</b>		ASTM D-645
Film plus adhesive		
Crystal	0.0037 (94)	
Silver and Prism	0.0042 (107)	
<b>Peel Adhesion, lb. /in. (N/25 mm)</b>		ASTM D-903
180° on Stainless Steel - 20 min.	2.8 (12.7)	
- 24hrs.	4.0 (17.8)	
<b>Face Material Data, 68°F (20°C)</b>		
Tensile strength lb. /in. (N/m)	>7.5 (1300)	DIN 53455
Elongation %	>120%	
<b>Dimensional Stability (shrinkage), %</b>		10" x10" Sample mounted on aluminum
48 hours @ 158°F (70°C) bonded to aluminum	<0.1	
<b>Temperature Ranges</b>		
Application:	40° to 104°F (5° to 40°C)	
End Use:	-50° to 225°F (-45° to 107°C)	

### **DURABILITY:**

This product is good for 5-year in outdoor durability. This use-life estimate is based upon accelerated age studies based on vertical applications under "normal" temperate climates. Please note that exposure to severe temperatures, ultra-violet light and also tropical, sub-tropical or desert regions will cause more rapid deterioration. This also applies to polluted areas, high altitude and south facing exposure.

### **SHELF LIFE:**

Two years when stored between at 60- 80°F (15 - 25°C) and 50% relative humidity or less.

## **CHEMICAL RESISTANCE:**

A sample is prepared in the same manner as for the Chemical Resistance Test and is immersed in the test fluid followed by drying at each stage.

<b>Test Fluid</b>	<b>Observation</b>
Gasoline (30min)	No Effect
Distilled Water (24 hrs)	No Effect
SAE 20 Motor Oil (1 hr)	No Effect
10% HCL (10min)	No Effect
10% NH <sub>4</sub> OH (10 min)	No Effect

## **APPLICATION:**

**Used as cut vinyl** - Application of 6300 when used as cut-vinyl is made easier if **MACtac** pre-spacing tape is used, or can be applied as an overlaminating film with a standard laminator. Where exposures to chemical and solvent spills are likely to occur, edge sealing of decals with a varnish or clear coat will prevent edge lift. Correct varnishing of decals gives greater protection and longer end-use life against any prolonged effect of weathering, abrasion and other erosive effects such as frequent cleaning.

**Used as an Overlamine for Vehicle Wraps** - Because this is a much thicker overlamine **MACtac** offers a limited warranty on flat to slightly curved surfaces. There is no warranty for Enhancers on motor vehicle wraps, over rivets and corrugations, through complex surfaces or for marine graphics.

- 1) The user is responsible for determining the product's suitability, including adhesion and if needed, removal characteristics when used in applications other than listed specifically in this Performance Guide.**
- 2) If there are any questions about applications, please contact your MACtac sales representative to discuss your requirements for recommendations.**
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*\* Values given are typical and are not necessarily for use in specification.*

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