



CHEMICAL PROCESS INDICATOR LABEL FOR HAND-HELD LABELING SYSTEMS For Monitoring Radiation (Gamma / E-beam) (CLASS 1/TYPE 1)

Crosstex Code: CPI-R02

Product Description

Crosstex Radiation Chemical Process Indicator Labels for hand-held labelling systems are manufactured to monitor whether radiation conditions were met at the point of application using pressure sensitive adhesive. The indicators can accept any ink-based print by hand-held labeling system. The indicators are designed to demonstrate that exposure to at least 10 kGy of gamma or beta irradiation has occurred.

Physical Properties

Process	Radiation (Gamma and E-beam)
Dimensions	25 mm x 12 mm (1" x 0.5") Thickness: 0.17 mm (indicator); 0.24 mm (indicator and liner)
Packaging	1,000 Indicators/Roll
Chemical Indicator	Initial Color: Yellow Signal Color: Red

Intended Use

Class 1/Type 1 Process Indicator

- 10 kGy

Instructions for Use





Use an indicator on each item, pack, peel pouch, or tray intended for radiation exposure. Process the packages/items as required.

Upon exposure to radiation, the indicator will transition from yellow to red. The transition color may vary depending on the load configuration, length and conditions of exposure. A color transition from yellow to a shade of red provides indication of exposure to radiation. If the signal color is not achieved, this suggests ideal conditions were not met. If the load was not successfully processed, re-process the load using a new chemical indicator.

The chemical reaction which causes the color transition from yellow to red is a radiation specific reaction and is irreversible under most conditions.

Performance Characteristics

Result Availability	Immediately following exposure to radiation
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Unexposed*	1 kGy*	10 kGy*	25 kGy*
			

*Colors shown are representations of printed ink initial and signal colors but may vary from actual use.

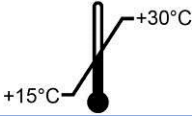

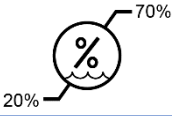




The signal color achieved from exposure to radiation may vary from the example above due to differences in processing parameters (i.e. load content, cycle time, radiation dose, etc.). For a Type 1 Process Indicator, any color change produced during exposure to radiation which is different from the initial color is considered acceptable.

Compliance

ISO 11140-1:2014 Sterilization of health care products – Chemical Indicators- Part 1: General Requirements

Storage and Shelf Life

	15°C to 30°C		Protect from heat and radioactive sources
	20% to 70% relative humidity		Keep dry
Shelf life	2 years from the date of manufacture The date of manufacture is based on the day the indicating ink is applied to the substrate. The remaining shelf life upon receipt will be shorter than 2 years		
	Keep away from sterilants. Do not use damaged Indicators or Indicators which have transitioned to red. Do not use after expiration date		

Disposal

Discard as general waste.