

GANS AUTOWASH ZERO

Item Code S-1849 A ZERO VOC BLANKET AND ROLLER WASH FOR MANUAL OR AUTOMATIC WASH APPLICATIONS

The SCAQMD Rule 1171 for Cleanup Solvents:

Southern California Air Quality Management District is moving in the direction of implementing 100 gram per liter solvents for the use of both blanket and roller washes. This new ruling is scheduled to take effect January 1, 2008.

Contact PIASC for further details.

Gans Ink & Supply has made a continuous effort to be the innovators of "Low V.O.C. Solvents" that comply with the ever changing 1171 rules. As the 1171 V.O.C. allowed limits are being dramatically reduced annually, many commercially available wash blends contain high amounts of <u>acetone</u> or <u>organic methyl esthers</u> which can ultimately lead to plate sensitivity, premature roller swelling, and color fluctuation as a result of poor ink transfer throughout the roller train.

Gans' **Autowash ZERO** is indeed a V.O.C. Free solvent that defies all negative experiences normally associated with these new generation products. This solvent is water miscible and has a moderate evaporation time allowing for speedy color washes without having to apply additional steps to remove any residues.

Be Compliant, Buy Compliant!

ADVANTAGES

- Moderate dry time, with no oily residue requiring additional wash-up steps.
- Will not damage press paint, rollers, blankets or solvent lines or seals.
- Water Miscible for further longevity of the product.
- Excellent ink cutting ability.
- Suitable for manual or auto wash systems.
- Available in 5 Gallon and 55 Gallon packaging.
- Free of any Hazardous Air Pollutants.
- Free of any Xylene, Cumene, or Benzene which are known carcinogens.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

As a Blanket wash:

Pour a liberal amount onto a shop towel or sponge and wipe. Clean the entire blanket surface using a side-to-side motion until ink residues have been fully removed.

As a Roller wash:

Apply a liberal amount to the ink roller train. Allow the solvent to emulsify the inks, adding more if needed. Engage the wash-up device or wash-up blade allowing for the ink to be removed until the rollers appear clean. A final water rinse can be done to assist in the removal of water-soluble contaminants.

In Automatic wash systems:

Consult with your local Gans technical representative or press manufacturer for appropriate wash settings.

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