

Nikkalite® Flexible Engineering Grade (FEG)

Description

Nikkalite® Flexible Engineering Grade (FEG) is a flexible glass-beaded retroreflective sheeting that renders retroreflectivity during darkness. It is designed for use on emergency vehicles and fleet markings where application to riveted and corrugated surfaces may be required. The material is highly resistant to extremes of hot, cold, dry and humid weathering conditions and vehicles liveried with FEG sheeting are attractive in appearance and highly visible during both day and night-time conditions.



Traffic Signs Manual Chapter 8 Operations; O5.2.3(c)

Chapter 8 requires high visibility rear vehicle chevron marking for vehicles stopping on the highway for works purposes or inspections.

O5.2.3(c) states; Chevron markings comprising alternate strips of retroreflective red material and fluorescent yellow non-retroreflective material, of not less than 150mm width each, inclined at 45-60° to the horizontal and pointing upwards, should cover as much of the rear-facing portion of the vehicle as possible..."



Nikkalite 48005 Red FEG used with Hi-S Cal Fluorescent Light Yellow 7F-310 complies with O5.2.3(c) colour requirements

(Refer to separate technical information for Hi-S Cal sheetings)

Retroreflectivity

Nikkalite FEG is available in 24" and 48" x 50yds rolls in the following colours;

Colour	Black	Yellow	Red	Blue	Green	White
Product No	48003	48004	48005	48006	48008	48012
OA 0.2°	2	50	5	6	7	70
EA -4°		50	5	0	/	70

Average coefficient of retroreflection cd/lux/sq.mtr. OA; Observation angle EA; Entrance angle

Physical properties

Properties	Test method	Results	
Average thickness	Micrometer	150+/-5um	
Average Gloss	Glossmeter	>85 at 60°C	
Tensile strength	Instron tester	>2.3kgf/25mm	
Elongation	Instron tester	>120	
Min application temperature	Flat smooth surface	15°C	
Max application temperature	Corrugated / Riveted surfaces	25°C	

Removal of livery

Warm the panel by applying gentle heat to the surface and peeling away.



Reliability of information

All recommendations and technical information contained herein are based on experience and tests, which the manufacturer believes to be reliable, but their accuracy and completion are not warranted.

The user is cautioned to undertake tests to determine the suitability of a particular product for the intended application.

Warranty

Nikkalite® products are warranted to be free from defects in materials and workmanship at the time of their sale. Nikkalite® products are sold without any warranty whatsoever, including warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose. The sole remedy for failure of **Nikkalite®** products to conform to said warranty is the replacement of the defective products; neither the manufacturer nor the seller shall be liable for any loss, damage or injury, direct or indirect, consequential or incidental, arising from the use of or inability to use said products.



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