

# How to Use GO HotColor Self-Weed Paper and Metallic Foil



GO HotColor one step transfer paper uses a single-sheet process to transfer a solid image without the background. The "self-weeding" process is achieved as the GO HotColor no weed will transfer only where toner is present. As a result, the image being transferred will appear as if it were screenprinted onto the textile. GO HotColor no weed transfer paper works ideally with the OKI proColor Series and the GO UNO.

## Printing HotColor No Weed Transfers

Check the settings on your printer to determine the best way to print and on how many pages. The back side of each sheet is printed with a logo distinguishing the blank side as the front. Transfers may be transferred to cotton, cotton/polyester blend and polyester T-shirts or fabrics. After printing your GO HotColor design, use the following settings on your heat press:

Temperature: 330 F \*  
Platen Closure Time: 30 seconds \*  
Pressure: Approximately 80 - 90 psi (heavy) \*

\* The above settings are to be used as starting guidelines. Depending upon heat press and printing environment, you may need to edit the above settings.

Peel: Upon removing apparel from the heat press, wait ~5-10 seconds before peeling off the GO HotColor transfer paper. For increased washability and durability, place apparel back into the heat press, cover the transfer with a sheet of siliconized kraft cover paper, and repress for an additional 25 seconds with the same settings.

## Using a Textile Metallic Foil to Highlight the Transfer

GO metallic foils can be used to jazz up your GO HotColor transfer. Place the T-shirt with the transfer image side up back into the press only covering the part to be highlighted with metallic foil (metallic side up). Cover the entire image including foil with a sheet of siliconized kraft cover paper. Close the press using the same settings as previously noted. Wait until the image is completely cool after removing it from the press, then simply "cold peel" the foil to reveal a beautiful metallic image.

## Using a Textile Metallic Foil For Dark Fabrics

For black or dark T-shirts or fabrics, print the image with black toner (gray scale). Transfer the black image to the T-shirt. The transferred image will appear dark on the shirt. Next, apply GO metallic foil over the top of the entire dark transferred image and follow the remaining instructions mentioned in "Using a Textile Metallic Foil to Highlight the Transfer."

## Washing Instructions

To wash your newly HotColor decorated apparel, turn the item inside-out and set to a cold water cycle. To dry the item, leave turned inside-out and tumble dry on a low to moderate heat temperature setting. For best results, avoid dryer and hang dry item.

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