*efi REGGIANI AQUA Premium Water-based Reactive Inks* 

for Digital Textile Printing

# Boost your print capabilities with our water-based ink technology



# AQUA Premium reactive inks print brilliantly with EFI Reggiani digital printers

Outstanding printing results will boost your home textile and fashion productions. Deliver incomparable shades and deep intensive colours to your most demanding customers.

These eco-friendly, water-based inks are designed to leverage EFI<sup>™</sup> Reggiani digital printers' performance. And like all of our inks, they've been designed for the Kyocera printhead technology, which ensures an extraordinary level of print durability, longer life of printheads, and reduced maintenance costs.



#### **Integrated solution**

- Strongest worldwide experience and knowledge
- Full technological support provided by EFI Reggiani

#### **Technical information**

- Substrates
- Cotton, silk, viscose rayon, linen, and lyocell
- Printhead compatibility
- Kyocera KJ4B
- Jetting temperature
- 32°C

#### Continuous quality control

- 12-month warranty on the printheads provided by EFI Reggiani
- Recommended RH
- 50%-60%
- Shelf life
- 12 months if stored under recommended conditions
- Environmental conditions
- Inks must be stored out of direct sunlight and away from heat sources

### **Pretreatment process**

Basic recipe

COMPONENT	g/l
Thickener (alginate)	100-150
Reduction inhibitor	10-20
Alkali (Na <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> )	40
Hygroscopic agent (urea)	100—200

# EFI Reggiani AQUA Premium inks are available in the following colours:



## Application

Great performance for both home textile and fashion

#### Procedure

- Prepadding
- Drying (below 120°C)
- Printing
- Mild drying
- Steaming (102°C, 8–12 minutes)
- Wash-off (Cold→Hot→Warm→Cold)

#### **Fastness properties**

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Tect*	Light Fastness	Light Fastness	Washing	Water	Perspiration	Per

Test*	Light Fastness ISO 105-B02 100%	Light Fastness ISO 105-B02 50%	Washing 60°C ISO 105-C06	Water ISO 105-E01	Perspiration Acid ISO 105-E04	Perspiration Alkaline ISO 105-E04	Crocking Fastness: Dry ISO 105-X12	Crocking Fastness: Wet ISO 105-X12
Black	4	3	4–5	4–5	4–5	4–5	5	3-4
Cyan	5-6	5	4	4-5	4–5	4–5	4–5	3
Magenta	3-4	3–4	4–5	4–5	4–5	4–5	5	4
Yellow	6	5–6	4–5	4–5	4–5	4–5	4-5	3-4
Orange	4–5	3–4	4–5	4–5	4–5	4–5	4–5	3
Red	4	3–4	4–5	4–5	4–5	4–5	5	3
Blue	5-6	5	4–5	4–5	4–5	4–5	5	4
Grey	3-4	3	4–5	4–5	4	4–5	5	4–5
Light Magenta	3	2-3	4-5	4-5	4-5	4–5	5	4
Light Cyan	4	3-4	4–5	4–5	4-5	4–5	5	3-4

Please note that ink performances can vary according to the type of substrate used in the final application.



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