

## For near-edge printers

The AS1 is a new generation resin ribbon developed for applications requiring excellent mechanical and solvent resistance. It is the recommended product for use in harsh environment label printing for the chemical and pharmaceutical industries. The AS1 is compatible with most synthetic materials, and some matt and high gloss coated papers. It will withstand temperatures of up to 180°C (356°F) and has a blackness of 1.8 (ODR). It is UL recognized and has BGA approval (EU direct food contact). It also offers the very best in printhead protection, as with all Toshiba ribbon products.

**Toshiba AS1 is the preferred choice for all images destined for harsh situations.**

## Characteristics


Excellent print quality	Multi receptor compatibility and sensitivity
Good resistance to high temperatures	Available in colours
Outstanding scratch and solvent resistance	

## Specifications (Performances expressed in this sheet are for the black ribbon)

Ink	Type	Resin
	Melting point	80°C (176°F)
<b>Carrier</b>	Film thickness	<9 µm
	PET thickness	4.5 µm
	Tensile strenght	>220 N/mm <sup>2</sup> (MD)
<b>Back Coating</b>	Silicone product based	Friction coefficient Kd <0.2
<b>Colours</b>	● Black, ○White, ● Blue (286 C), ● Red (192 C), ● Green (Green C)	

Ribbon is anti static build up treated. Storage: 12 months, 5-35°C (40-95°F), 20-80% Humidity

## Certifications and Approvals (For other standards, please contact us)

<b>Food contact</b>	1935/2004/EC		UL/CSA Legibility and durability of the printed label.
<b>Heavy metals</b>	EC 98/638.		
<b>TSCA</b>	The ribbon does not contain any of the toxic substances mentioned in this list.		
	The ribbon does not contain any of the chemical mentioned in this list. (except for carbon black which as far as we know is present in every black TT ribbons).		
<b>EC Directives</b>	1999/45/EC. The ribbon does not contain any substance classified as dangerous for health.		

## Always Choose Toshiba Ribbons for Toshiba Printers


The wide range of Toshiba ribbons available today ensures that our valued customers have different product options for virtually every thermal transfer application. Using Toshiba ribbons ensures optimum print quality causing minimum wear on working parts - in particular to the printhead.

Before a ribbon is certified by Toshiba it must first undergo stringent tests to ensure its continuity and reliability in the field. It is assessed on a variety of receiving materials, and at every speed and temperature combination. Only once this procedure is complete and deemed successful will the ribbon receive its certificate of approval.

### Other Approved Ribbon Type Available

Standard applications	Wax	Wax/resin
	Super wax/ resin	Full resin
Specialist resins for	Wash-care & textile labelling	Harsh chemical and industrial uses
	Extreme automotive and aviation environments	

### The Complete Toshiba Ribbon Range

Quality codes	AW1F	AW5	AW6F	AW7F	AG2	AG3	AG4 AG4F	AG6E	AS1 AS1F	AS2 AS2F	AS3 AS3F
* Available in colour	*				*	*	*		*		
<b>RIBBON TYPE</b>											
General purpose wax	•	•	•	•							
General purpose wax/resin smearless					•	•		•			
Scratch/solvent resistant resin									•		
Economy resin/enhanced wax/resin							•				
Specialist super resin										•	
Washcare textile resin											•
<b>PRINTER TYPE</b>											
B-443, B-452, B-852, B-SV4T, & B-SA4T flat head printer	•	•	•	•		•	•		•	•	•
BX and SX near edge printer					•		•	•	•	•	•
CB-416 and CB-426 colour printer					•				•	•	•
B-EV4 flat head printer	•	•	•	•		•	•		•		
SX-600 flat head printer									•		
B-EX Type 1 near edge printer					•		•	•	•	•	•
B-EX Type 2 and 3 flat head printer	•	•	•	•		•	•		•	•	•

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