

Ultimate Thin Aluminium Pigment UTF - 410

Characteristics

- High brightness and particleless feeling appearance due to extreme thin flake and crushless edge by ball milling technology.
- Because of its excellent hiding power, a metal-like coating can be obtained in a thin coating design that takes advantage of the characteristics of this thin flaked aluminium.
- Good paint circulation properties although very thin flakes.
- Silica and resin encapsulation types are also available.

Product

Grade	Particle size ^(*1) D ₅₀ (μm)	N.V. ^(*2)	Flake thickness ^(*3) (μm) by calculation	Solvent
UTF-410	10	60	0.09	Medium aliphatic solvent Light aromatic solvent

(*1) D₅₀ is a general characteristic value, not specified, measured by a laser diffraction type particle size analyzer. (Microtrac MT3300EXII)

(*2) Non-volatile content

(*3) The average thickness of typical conventional aluminium flake pigments is around 0.1 to 0.8 μm.

Paint circulation test results

	Flake thickness ^(*3)	Color retention (head on brightness ^(*4))
UTF-410	0.09μm	100%
Existing product MS-650	0.08μm	95%
Existing product Z460	0.14μm	100%

(*4) measured by X-Rite MA-68II (L* @15°)

Evaluated each color panel made from bell type spray coating of high solid formulated paint before and after 12000 rpm × 5min mixing by waring blender.

Flake shape

