

BCS series

The pigmentation of the series is identical, but they differ with regard to their drying properties and binder.

Series / product	Characteristics	Consisting of	Advantages
Novavit® BCS BIO INTENSIVE	Duct-fresh, ready-to-print base colour ink series. Duct-fresh & highly pigmented. Based on renewable raw materials. Optimally suited for mixing colour shades of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. BCS mixing books with all PANTONE® recipes.	 12 base colour inks, black and transparent white. 5 inks with enlarged fastness properties. 2 inks with particularly high fastness properties. 	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. Highly pigmented. Excellent colour intensity. High brilliance. Very fast setting.
Novavit® BCS BIO ND/NA	Base colour ink series featuring variable drying speeds and wide choice of applications and substrates. Highly pigmented. Based on renewable raw materials. Optimally suited for mixing colour shades of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. BCS mixing books with all PANTONE® recipes. Depending on the addition of drier or antidier different drying properties.	 12 base colour inks, black and transparent white. 5 inks with enlarged fastness properties. 2 inks with particularly high fastness properties. 	 Variable drying properties. Wide range of applications. Useable on a variety of substrates. Highly pigmented. Excellent colour intensity. High brilliance. Very fast setting.
Novaboard® BCS BIO INTENSIVE	Rub-resistant, fast drying base colour ink series, specially for the printing of returnable bottle labels. Highly pigmented. Based on renewable raw materials. Optimally suited for mixing colour shades of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. BCS mixing books with all PANTONE® recipes.	 11 base colour inks, black and transparent white. 3 inks with particularly high fastness properties. 	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. Highest rub-resistance. For all substrates, also metallized papers. Highly pigmented. High brilliance. Excellent colour intensity. Very fast setting and fast oxidative drying.
Novasens® BCS PREMIUM	Extremely low-migration and low-odour base colour ink series. Highly pigmented. For the outer printing of food and semi-luxury food packagings. Optimally suited for mixing colour shades of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. For packaging that complies with EU regulation 1935/2004 and 2023/2006 as well as Swiss Ordinance 817.023.21. Free of mineral oil.	 10 base colour inks, black and transparent white. 3 inks with particularly high fastness properties. 	 Extremely low-migration and low-odour. Complies with the requirements for printing inks for food packaging (according to EuPiA-guideline). Low swelling. Ready-to-print. Highly pigmented. High brilliance. Excellent colour intensity. Ideally suited for gloss coated papers and board.

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PANTONE® series

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Novavit® Easy Mix BIO	Duct-fresh, ready-to-print PANTONE® base colour ink series. Duct-fresh & highly pigmented. Based on renewable raw materials. PANTONE®-certified. Optimally suited for mixing colour shades of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book.	17 base colour inks, black and transparent white. 2 highly concentrated inks for single printing. Can be supplemented by 5 inks with enlarged fastness properties of the Novavit® BCS BIO INTENSIVE series.	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. PANTONE®-certified. Colour shades can be mixed according to colour book formulations. Excellent colour intensity. High brilliance. Very good ink/water balance.
Novavit® Eco Mix BIO	Duct-fresh, ready-to-print and economical base colour inks series. Duct-fresh. Based on renewable raw materials. Suited for mixing colour shades of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. Formulations of the colour book can only be adopted to a limited degree.	13 base colour inks, black and transparent white. Can be supplemented by 5 inks with enlarged fastness properties of the Novavit® BCS BIO INTENSIVE series. Can be supplemented by 4 base colour inks of the Novavit® Easy Mix range to mix the 336 new shades of the PANTONE® PLUS system.	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. High economic efficiency. High brilliance. Very good ink/water balance.
Novaspot® GLOBAL PLUS BIO	Duct-fresh spot colour ink series corresponding to the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. Duct-fresh. Based on renewable raw materials. Colour shades are matched on the basis of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book.	 Includes all colour shades of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. Novaspot® GLOBAL PLUS "C" BIO for coated papers and Novaspot® GLOBAL PLUS "U" BIO for uncoated papers. 	 Ready-to-print spot colours. Colour shades correspond to the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. Available for coated and uncoated papers. Very good ink/water balance.
Novaspot® GLOBAL FAST BIO	Duct-fresh spot colour ink series with enlarged fastness properties corresponding to the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. Duct-fresh. Based on renewable raw materials. Colour shades are matched on the basis of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. Alcohol, solvent mixture and alkali resistant.	 Includes all colour shades of the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. Novaspot® GLOBAL FAST "C" BIO for coated papers and Novaspot® GLOBAL FAST "U" BIO for uncoated papers. 	 Ready-to-print spot colours with enlarged fastness properties. Colour shades correspond to the PANTONE® PLUS colour book. Available for coated and uncoated papers. Very good ink/water balance.

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HKS® series

The HKS® colour system consists of different series that are matched to the particular types of substrate, which promotes colour fidelity and best possible colour match.

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Novavit® HKS® K BIO	 Duct-fresh, ready-to-print HKS® series for coated papers. Duct-fresh. Based on renewable raw materials. Especially for coated papers. Base colour inks are optimally suited for mixing of colour shades of the HKS® K colour book. Additional colour shades in the HKS® 3000+ colour book. 	 9 base colour inks, black, gold and silver. 76 ready-to-print inks of the HKS® K colour book. 	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. Excellent colour intensity. High brilliance. Very good ink/water balance. Different matched series' promote colour fidelity and best possible colour shade on different types of substrate.
Novavit® HKS® N BIO INTENSIV	 Duct-fresh, ready-to-print HKS® series for uncoated papers. Duct-fresh & highly pigmented. Based on renewable raw materials. Especially for uncoated papers. Optimum colour shade consistency between HKS N and K through modified recipes. Base colour inks are optimally suited for mixing of colour shades of the HKS® N colour book. Additional colour shades in the HKS® 3000+ colour book. 	 9 base colour inks, black, gold and silver. 78 ready-to-print inks of the HKS® N colour book. 	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. Excellent colour intensity. High brilliance. Very good ink/water balance. Different matched series' promote colour fidelity and best possible colour shade on different types of substrate.
Novaform® HKS® E BIO	 Duct-fresh, ready-to-print HKS® series for continuous printing. Duct-fresh. Based on renewable raw materials. Especially for continuous printing. Base colour inks are optimally suited for mixing of colour shades of the HKS® E colour book. 	 9 base colour inks, black, gold and silver. 78 ready-to-print inks of the HKS® E colour book. 	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. Excellent colour intensity. High brilliance. Very good ink/water balance. Different matched series' promote colour fidelity and best possible colour shade on different types of substrate.

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Special series and spot inks

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Novaplast® BIO	Series for foil and other non-absorbent substrates. Based on renewable raw-materials. Extremely fast oxidative drying. For mixing of colour shades of the PANTONE® PLUS and HKS colour books	 10 mono-pigmented base colour inks, transparent and opaque white. Process inks yellow, magenta, cyan, black. 	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. Low swelling. Especially for non-absorbent substrates. Very fast oxidative drying.
Novaspot® special effect inks	Several special effect inks for differentiation and to protect the printed products. Inks to achieve different special effects. Partly based on renewable raw materials.	1 watermark imitation ink. 1 coin scratching ink. 3 marking inks which fluoresce under UV-light.	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. Good printability. Effective measure to protect the printed products against counterfeit.
Novaspot® Fluorescent BIO	Fluorescent range. Special pigments, that feature a strong luminescence effect in day light, which becomes stronger under UV-light. Drying by oxidation and setting.	7 primary colours (PANTONE® 801-807) 7 secondary colours (PANTONE® 808-814) Chartreuse yellow 220 815	 Ready-to-print – no addition of drier / antidrier. Good printability. Makes the printed material stand out.

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Metallic ink series

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Novaflash® Metallic	Wide metallic ink range. One- and two-component inks. Inks based on leafing and non-leafing pigments.	 Two-component metallic pastes. Different one-component silvers. One-component gold ink series. High gloss one-component PANTONE® gold ink series. Non-leafing metallic inks. Limited low-odour one-component gold ink series. 	Excellent metallic effect. High brilliance. Very good printability. For further individual features and advantages please refer to the particular product brochure.
Novasens® Metallic PREMIUM	Low-odour and low-migration metallic ink series. For the outer printing of food and semi-luxury food packagings. For packaging that complies with EU regulation 1935/2004 and 2023/2006 as well as Swiss Ordinance 817.023.21. Free of mineral oil.	Rich gold, rich pale gold, pale gold and silver.	 Low-odour and low-migration. Complies with the requirements for printing inks for food packaging (according to EuPiA-guideline). Low swelling. Ready-to-print. High brilliance. Very good printability.

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