

Ink	Dries Quickly	Dries Slowly	Permanent	Water Based	Special Cleaner needed	Stains ?	Watercolor	Blendabilities	Heat Embossable
Classic Pad	X			X		X Some colors can stain photopolymer	X		
Craft (white)		X	X	X			X		X
New Archival Black & Gray	X		X	X		X	X		
Versamark		X		X					X
StazOn	X		X		X	X	X		
Memento	X					X Can stain photopolymer		x	

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Ink	Pros	Cons
<p align="center">Classic Pad</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lots of colors • Dries quickly • Use for watercoloring with blenderpens or aquapainters • Lots of coordinating products • Sponging • Translucent colors (can be layered) • versatile 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • won't dry on non-porous surfaces like glass or plastic
<p align="center">Craft (white)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • opaque color • heat embossable • will dry on vellum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • slow to dry (can be smeared)
<p align="center">New Archival Black & Gray</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "true" black/gray color • Perfect for watercoloring • Dries quick but not too fast like stazOn 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "feathers" on vellum • Stains photopolymer • Can stain rubber
<p align="center">Versamark</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creates "watermark" look on any color cardstock • Heat-embossable • Very versatile 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Doesn't really work on white/vanilla cs
<p align="center">StazOn</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dries on just about every surface • Produces very crisp, precise images • Smells delightful 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dries super fast (even before it can be stamped sometimes) • Pad needs to be reinked constantly because it dries so fast • Stains rubber/photopolymer if not cleaned right away or without stazon cleaner • StazOn Cleaner can ruin photopolymer • Very permanent (I may have ruined clothes)
<p align="center">Memento</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dries quickly • Works with Blendabilities • Cleans up like a dream 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not quite a vivid black color • Can't watercolor with it (it smears) • Doesn't stamp perfectly crisp images • Can

