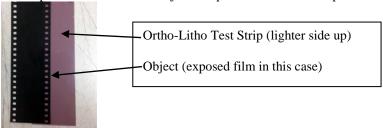
Ortho-Litho Effects

This process has a great deal of variance in how you approach it. Probably the most obvious and most effective way to start would be to create a "photogram" with the Ortho-Litho film and integrate it with a normal negative.



To make your Ortho-Litho "Photogram":

- Get the Ortho-Litho box out of the Posterization drawer located in the check-out table. ONLY OPEN IN THE DARKROOM!
- 2. There are tests strips in the Ortho-Litho box. If there are not, cut an 8x10 up into strips
- 3. Take an object and place it on a test strip of ortho-litho with the **lighter side** facing up. Part of the test strip should be under the object and part of it should be exposed to light (see image below)



- 4. Make an incremental test strip.
- 5. Put in the developer for full time (2 minutes), then after the 30 seconds in the stop bath, be sure to let it sit in the fixer for 5 minutes. Being premature in any of these will give murky results.
- 6. After being in the water rinse, study the test strip. You should choose the time that gives a completely black result in the fully exposed area but it should not be murky. Overexposure can create a murkiness.
- 7. If the exposure looks good, Go ahead and layout your object(s) on an 8x10 of orhto-litho and expose for you selected time.
- 8. You may run the 8x10 through the print dryer.
- 9. If you wish to invert your Ortho-Litho, place it on top of another piece of Ortho-Litho. You could do a test strip first or possibly you can use the same time and aperture setting you used for your first exposure.

To make the final image where you combine your orhto-litho with an image from a negative:

- 10. Choose your negative and do your test strip and look for proper contrast using a filter if necessary.
- 11. Once proper exposure of your negative is determined, lay down an 8x10 photo paper on your print easel and then lay your Ortho-Litho on top of the photo paper and make your exposure.