





## DESIGN INTENT: VIRTUAL™ ENERGY

Since the release of the Virtual Gravity, Storm has been inundated with positive feedback and inquires of future designs. The combination of the Gravity Shift and Virtual Gravity gave bowlers a look that they had never seen before on heavier oil; mid-lane control with explosive back-end reactions. One of the greatest features is their adaptability on changing back-end motion depending on the layout chosen.

Our intent with the Virtual Energy is to utilize the early revving motion and explosive back-end characteristics of the Shape-Lock™ HD core, along with the performance proven R2X™ coverstock. The coverstock is the key element to this equation and engineering the right blend of solids and pearls to create the perfect compliment to its predecessors.

## **OVERVIEW:**

The testing phase brought several factors into play. We tested several coverstock combinations with the profilometer, as well as, on-lane C.A.T.S. testing. Our goal was to develop a ball that utilizes the best characteristics of its predecessors as well as creating its own unique performance.

Our final product is the R2X™ Hybrid. The combination of the two pearls and a solid reactive delivers the perfect fit within our product line. The solid generates just enough mid-lane read on the heavier volume patterns, while the two pearlized parts deliver the strong motion on the back-end.

The Virtual™ Energy is the perfect complement to Storm's Premier line of bowling balls.

## **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

**COVERSTOCK**: R2X™ Hybrid Reactive

**WEIGHT BLOCK**: Shape-Lock™ HD

BALL FINISH: 1500-grit Polish

**DUROMETER**: 73 – 75

FLARE POTENTIAL: 6" Plus (High)

BALL COLOR: Emerald/Olympic Gold/Black

FRAGRANCE: Pear Berry

**WEIGHTS**: 12 – 16 lbs.

SKU# TVE



LBS.	RG	DIFF.	MASS BIAS DIFF.
16	2.48	.048	.019
15	2.48	.052	.020
14	2.53	.050	.017