



Ford ESB-M3G76-B2

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Tape, Polyester – Two Sided Pressure Sensitive
Automotive Interior Spec Testing

Technical Bulletin

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3M tested the following adhesive tapes to the Automotive OEM Spec: Ford ESB-M3G76-B2 Tape, Polyester – Two Sided Pressure Sensitive. The results of the testing are provided in the following information. Adhesives not listed on this document have not been tested to this spec.

Automotive specification testing was performed on lab substrates and not on actual automotive production parts. Additional testing by the converter, tier or supplier is needed to show that parts and adhesives meet such specification. Please carefully read the automotive specification for further information.

Revision	Date	Comments
Original release	August 2016	Testing and bulletin completed
Add lab substrate language and revision table	April 2020	

3M™ Scrim Reinforced Adhesive Transfer Tape L1+RT (3.2 mil)

3M™ Double Coated Polyester Tape L1+DCP (3.5 mil)

3M™ Double Coated Polyester Tape L2+DCP (4.8 mil)

3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tape L2+T5 (5.0 mil)

3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tape L3+T5 (5.0 mil)

Test	Test Condition / Environment
180° Peel Adhesion on ABS 300mm / 12 inch per min	3.6.1 20 minute dwell @ Room Temp
	3.6.2 72 hour dwell @ Room Temp
	3.6.3 Cycle Exposure (5 times) 4 hours @ 70°C / 158°F 4 hours @ 38°C / 100°F and 100% RH 16 hours @ -29°C / -20°F 4 hours @ 38°C / 100°F and 100% RH 4 hours @ 70°C / 158°F 16 hours @ -29°C / -20°F

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Adhesive		PU Ester	PU Ether	XLPE Foam	Microcellular Urethane Foam	EPDM Foam	Nitrile Foam	Neoprene Foam	EPDM Rubber	Neoprene Rubber	Santoprene™ Rubber	Butyl Rubber
L1 + RT	20 min	P	P	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	72 hour	F	F	P	F	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Cycle	P	P	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
L1 + DCP	20 min	P	P	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	72 hour	P	F	P	F	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Cycle	P	P	P	F	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
L2 + DCP	20 min	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	72 hour	F	P	P	P	P	F	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Cycle	P	P	P	P	P	F	F	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
L2 + T5	20 min	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	72 hour	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Cycle	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
L3 + T5	20 min	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	F	F
	72 hour	P	P	P	F	P	P	P	F	P	F	P
	Cycle	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	F	P	P	P

P = Pass, F = Fail, N/A = Not Tested

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L1 + RT Adhesive

3.6.1 20 min dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 219 N/m / 20.02 oz/in or foam tear
L1+RT Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	456	41.68	Clean Peel	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		525	47.98	Clean Peel	Pass
	XLPE Foam		320	29.25	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		394	36.01	Clean Peel	Pass

3.6.2 72 hour dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 219 N/m / 20.02 oz/in or foam tear
L1+RT Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	381	34.82	Clean Peel	Fail
	PU Ether Foam		511	46.70	Clean Peel	Fail
	XLPE Foam		219	20.02	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		478	43.69	Cohesive	Fail

3.6.3 Cycle Exposure						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 438 N/m / 40.03 oz/in or foam tear
L1+RT Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	709	64.80	Clean Peel	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		586	53.56	Clean Peel	Pass
	XLPE Foam		259	23.67	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		449	41.04	Cohesive	Pass

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L1 + DCP Adhesive

3.6.1 20 min dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	Avg Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 219 N/m / 20.02 oz/in or foam tear
L1+DCP Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	431	39.39	Clean Peel	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		499	45.6	Clean Peel	Pass
	XLPE Foam		187	17.0	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		242	22.1	Clean Peel	Pass

3.6.2 72 hour dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 657 N/m / 60.05 oz/in or foam tear
L1+DCP Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	780	71.2	Clean Peel	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		632	57.76	Clean Peel	Fail
	XLPE Foam		238	21.7	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		530	48.44	Clean Peel	Fail

3.6.3 Cycle Exposure						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 438 N/m / 40.03oz/in or foam tear
L1+DCP Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	460	42.04	Clean Peel	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		477	43.60	Clean Peel	Pass
	XLPE Foam		226	20.66	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		420	38.39	Cohesive	Fail

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L2 + DCP Adhesive

3.6.1 20 min dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 219 N/m / 20.02 oz/in or foam tear
L2+DCP Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	666	60.87	Clean Peel	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		602	55.02	Clean Peel	Pass
	XLPE Foam		232	21.20	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		362	33.09	Clean Peel	Pass
	EPDM Foam		204	18.64	Foam Tear	Pass
	Nitrile Foam		408	37.29	Clean Peel	Pass
	Neoprene Foam		506	46.25	Clean Peel	Pass

3.6.2 72 hour dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 657 N/m / 60.05 oz/in or foam tear
L2+DCP Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	584	53.38	Clean Peel	Fail
	PU Ether Foam		660	60.32	Foam Tear	Pass
	XLPE Foam		241	22.03	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		596	54.47	Foam Tear	Pass
	EPDM Foam		219	20.02	Foam Tear	Pass
	Nitrile Foam		586	53.56	Cohesive	Fail
	Neoprene Foam		950	86.83	Clean Peel	Pass

3.6.3 Cycle Exposure						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 438 N/m / 40.03 oz/in or foam tear
L2+DCP Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	771	70.47	Clean Peel	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		645	58.95	Clean Peel	Pass
	XLPE Foam		204	18.64	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		667	60.96	Foam Tear	Pass
	EPDM Foam		211	19.28	Foam Tear	Pass
	Nitrile Foam		319	29.16	Clean Peel	Fail
	Neoprene		321	29.34	Cohesive	Fail

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	Foam					
L2 + T5 Adhesive						

3.6.1 20 min dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel oz/in	Observation	Requirement 219 N/m / 20.02 oz/in or foam tear
L2+T5 Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	982	89.75	Foam Tear	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		588	53.74	Foam Tear	Pass
	XLPE Foam		226	20.66	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		446	40.76	Clean Peel	Pass
	EPDM Foam		214	19.56	Clean Peel	Pass
	Nitrile Foam		510	46.61	Clean Peel	Pass
	Neoprene Foam		485	44.33	Clean Peel	Pass

3.6.2 72 hour dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel Oz/in	Observation	Requirement 657 N/m / 60.05 oz/in or foam tear
L2+T5 Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	937	85.64	Foam Tear	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		628	57.40	Foam Tear	Pass
	XLPE Foam		202	18.46	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		666	60.87	Clean Peel	Pass
	EPDM Foam		211	19.28	Foam Tear	Pass
	Nitrile Foam		941	86.01	Clean Peel	Pass
	Neoprene Foam		1170	106.94	Foam Tear	Pass

3.6.3 Cycle Exposure						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel Oz/in	Observation	Requirement 438 N/m / 40.03 oz/in or foam tear
L2+T5 Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	914	83.54	Foam Tear	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		617	56.39	Foam Tear	Pass
	XLPE Foam		198	18.10	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		735	67.18	Foam Tear	Pass
	EPDM Foam		205	18.74	Foam Tear	Pass
	Nitrile Foam		573	52.37	Clean Peel	Pass
	Neoprene Foam		469	42.87	Clean Peel	Pass

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L3 + T5 Adhesive

3.6.1 20 min dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel Oz/in	Observation	Requirement 219 N/m / 20.02 oz/in or foam tear
L3+T5 Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	698	63.80	Clean Peel	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		552	50.45	Clean Peel	Pass
	XLPE Foam		189	17.27	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		454	41.49	Clean Peel	Pass
	EPDM Foam		221	20.20	Foam Tear	Pass
	Nitrile Foam		525	47.98	Clean Peel	Pass
	Neoprene Foam		514	46.98	Clean Peel	Pass
	EPDM Rubber		268	24.49	Clean Peel	Pass
	Neoprene Rubber		1020	93.23	Clean Peel	Pass
	Santoprene™ Rubber		101	9.23	Clean Peel	Fail
	Butyl Rubber		206	18.83	Clean Peel	Fail

3.6.2 72 hour dwell @ Room Temp						
	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel Oz/in	Observation	Requirement 657 N/m / 60.05 oz/in or foam tear
L3+T5 Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	1030	94.14	Foam Tear	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		593	54.20	Foam Tear	Pass
	XLPE Foam		211	19.28	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		605	55.30	Clean Peel	Fail
	EPDM Foam		200	18.28	Foam Tear	Pass
	Nitrile Foam		867	79.24	Clean Peel	Pass
	Neoprene Foam		1250	114.25	Foam Tear	Pass
	EPDM Rubber		276	55.23	Clean Peel	Fail
	Neoprene Rubber		1120	102.37	Clean Peel	Pass
	Santoprene™ Rubber		623	56.94	Clean Peel	Fail
	Butyl Rubber		749	68.46	Clean Peel	Pass

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L3 + T5 Adhesive (cont.)

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	Substrate	Substrate	AVG Peel N/m	AVG Peel Oz/in	Observation	Requirement 438 N/m / 40.03 oz/in or foam tear
L3+T5 Adhesive	PU Ester Foam	ABS	999	91.31	Foam Tear	Pass
	PU Ether Foam		589	53.83	Foam Tear	Pass
	XLPE Foam		227	20.75	Foam Tear	Pass
	Microcellular Urethane Foam		690	63.07	Foam Tear	Pass
	EPDM Foam		190	17.37	Foam Tear	Pass
	Nitrile Foam		742	67.82	Clean Peel	Pass
	Neoprene Foam		1060	96.88	Foam Tear	Pass
	EPDM Rubber		177	16.18	Clean Peel	Fail
	Neoprene Rubber		967	88.38	Clean Peel	Pass
	Santoprene™ Rubber		553	50.54	Clean Peel	Pass
	Butyl Rubber		453	41.40	Clean Peel	Pass

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