

3M Display Materials & Systems Division

2020 Technical Data

3M™ Automotive Roll Optically Clear Adhesive

ARO 04N-XXX Series

- High durability for automotive plastic display bonding
- Excellent bonding to curved displays

Product Description

3M™ Automotive Roll OCA (ARO) films are specialized optically clear adhesives offering excellent clarity and adhesion to display substrates. 3M ARO 04N-XXX is designed for automotive applications requiring plastic bonding and high durability. 3M ARO 04N-XXX adhesive is non UV curable and can even bond curved displays.



Construction

Product	3M ARO	3M ARO	3M ARO	3M ARO
	04N-025	04N-050	04N-075	04N-100
Adhesive Type:	Acrylic	Acrylic	Acrylic	Acrylic
Adhesive Carrier:	None	None	None	None
Approximate Thickness:				
Release Liner:	50 um	50 um	50 um	50 um
	(2.0 mils)	(2.0 mils)	(2.0 mils)	(2.0 mils)
	Clear Polyester	Clear Polyester	Clear Polyester	Clear Polyester
Adhesive:	25 um	50 um	75 um	100 um
	(1.0 mils)	(2.0 mils)	(3.0 mils)	(4.0 mils)
Release Liner:	100 um	100 um	100 um	100 um
	(4.0 mils)	(4.0 mils)	(4.0 mils)	(4.0 mils)
	Clear Polyester	Clear Polyester	Clear Polyester	Clear Polyester

^{*} Other liner thicknesses may be available upon request

Typical Physical Properties and Performance Characteristics

Note: The following technical information and data should be considered representative or typical only and should not be used for specification purposes.

Performance to Environmental Conditions:

The following environmental tests were conducted in the 3M laboratory under the conditions specified without any appreciable deterioration in visible appearance (no bubbles, delamination, haze <0.2%, b* <1). Sample construction is cover glass/ARO 04N-XXX/Substrate.

	Condition	Float Glass Duration	PC Duration
High Temperature	+95°C	1000 hours	1000 hours
High Temp/Humidity-1	+65°C/90%RH	1000 hours	
High Temp/Humidty-2	+85°C/85%RH	1000 hours	1000 hours
Thermal Shock	-40°C and +85°C (1 hour dwell, <1 min ramp time)	300 cycles	300 cycles
UV	.55 W/m² at 340nm, Daylight filter	500 hours	

Peel Adhesion:

ASTM D3330 modified, 180 degree peel from glass, 1 cm wide peel strips, 12 in/min (305 mm/min), 2.0 mil polyester backing, 3M ARO 04N-XXX

	Glass	PC
Dwell Time	3 days dwell at 25°C/50%RH	3 days dwell at 25°C/50%RH
Units	N/cm	N/cm
3M ARO 04N-200	6.21	6.02

Color:

Ultra Scan Pro (Hunter Lab), ASTM E308, D65/10° 3M ARO 04N-XXX on LCD glass.

3M ARO 04N-250		
L* = 96.1		
a* = -0.45		
b* = 0.48		

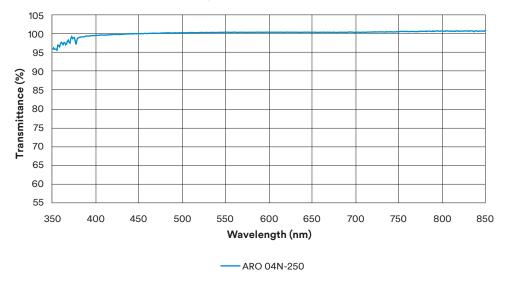
Haze:

Haze is measured according to ASTM D1003-92, 3M ARO 04N-XXX on LCD glass, uncured.

3M ARO 04N-250		
0.08%		

Transmission Curve:

Transmission vs. Wavelength (Corrected for Reflection Loss of LCD) for 3M ARO 04N-XXX on Glass



Typical Electrical Properties of 3M™ ARO 04N-XXX at Room Temperature

ASTM-D150-92.

Dielectric Constant:

3M ARO 04N-XXX			
Frequency (kHz)	Dielectric Constant		
100	4.57		
500	4.16		

Suggested Lamination Process

Step 1: Remove secondary liner, and then laminate 3M ARO 04N-XXX to first adherent substrate by roller at room temperature

Recommendation: roller pressure 0.1 – 0.2 MPa, roller speed 0.5 – 1 m/min

Step 2: Remove primary liner, and then laminate 3M ARO 04N-XXX/first adherent to second adherent by vacuum lamination

Recommendation: Vacuum condition < 50 Pa, pressure around 0.1 – 0.2 MPa

Step 3: Autoclave process recommendation: 30-60°C/3-5kgf/cm²/20-30 min



Storage

- Avoid applying pressure or resting objects on the product to prevent marking, denting, or deforming the surface.
- Wear gloves to prevent fingerprints or nail marks when handling.
- Product needs to be unpacked and handled in a clean-room facility.
- Product must be protected from light exposure.
- Store in sealed, foil bag under -20°C to 30°C and less than 70% relative humidity. If removed from cold storage, ensure no condensation on packaging.

Regulatory

For regulatory information about this product, please contact your 3M representative.

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