

# 3M<sup>™</sup> 9988 Surfactant-Free Fluid Transport Film Our Next Generation Fluid Transport Technology

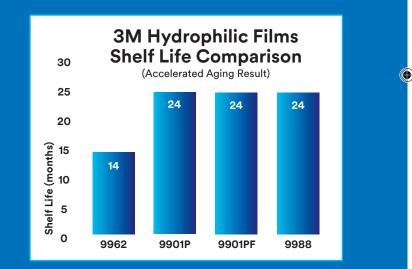
## Reduce test bias in your biosensor

3M 9988 Surfactant-Free Fluid Transport Film is a chemically inert film construction designed for the transport of fluids through a microfluidic device. The quality of construction materials plays an important role in determining the accuracy of blood glucose measurements and can be affected by various factors. 3M 9988 provides a non-leaching, insoluble surface for the flow of sample fluids to the test sites therefore reducing concerns of interference with enzyme reactions used during fluid analysis.



# Longer shelf life

9988 has a shelf life up to 24 months under the recommended storage and packaging conditions. The stable quality improves your inventory management.



# Better durability in converting process

3M 9988 Surfactant-Free Fluid Transport Film is supplied with a treatment to one side of an optically clear PET film that does not require a protective pre-mask. Unlike other surfactant-based films, 9988 maintains good hydrophilic properties even after a light accidental scratch or following alcohol treatment to remove finger oils during the converting process. The contamination resistant properties of 9988 enhance your test performance and reduce the likelihood of waste during device manufacture.

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#### **3M Hydrophilic Films**

3M Go-To Product	Hydrophilic Technology	1-Side or 2-Sides Treated	Thickness	Product Properties:				Go-To
				Contact Angle	Wet Index	Shelf Life	Base Film	Applications
9962 Hydrophilic Film	Surfactant-Based	2-Sides Treated	3.9 mils (99 microns)	< 20	> 32	14 months <sup>1</sup>	PET	Biosensors, Test Strips
9901P Hydrophilic Film	Surfactant-Based	1-Side Treated with Pre-Mask	3.9 mils (99 microns w/o pre-mask)	< 20	> 36	24 months	PET	Biosensors, Test Strips
9901PF Hydrophilic Film	Surfactant-Based	1-Side Treated	3.9 mils (99 microns)	< 20	> 36	24 months	PET	Biosensors, Test Strips
9988 Hydrophilic Film	Surfactant-Free	1-Side Treated	4 mils (100 microns)	< 20	> 36	24 months <sup>1</sup>	PET	Biosensors, Test Strips

1. At time of publication.

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