3M Durable Tire Label Material FVT30 • FVT36

Technical Data				December 2007
Product Description	3M™ Durable Tire I stock that offers du 3M™ Adhesive G11 applications.	Label Materials util urability, moisture 20 is a rubber-bas	lize a flexible and resistance, and di ed <i>aggressive</i> adl	conformable white label imensional stability. nesive for use in tire label
Construction	Product Number	Facestock	Adhesive	Liner
	3M™ Durable Tire Label Material FVT30	.0035 Soft White Vinyl TC2	G1120 Tire 30	50# SC Remoist – 20 1.4
	3M™ Durable Tire Label Material FVT36 (Calipers are nominal value	.0035 Soft White Vinyl TC2 Is)	G1120 Tire 36	50# SC Remoist – 20 1.4
Features	Specially formulated for improved adhesion to heavily micro-vented and mold release treated tires.			
Application Ideas	 Tire tread label applications Interior labels adhering to brick or cement surfaces 			

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

Adhesion properties determined per TLMI Method using 1.0 mil polyester with 1.5 mils of adhesive on a stainless steel panel.

Peel Adhesion	4.0 lbs./in. (704 N/m)	TLMI Method 180° Peel, 12"/min., 1" wide sample	
Loop Tack	4.0 lbs./in. (704 N/m)	TLMI Method 180° Peel, 12"/min., 1" wide sample	
Shear	1 hour	TLMI Method, 1.0 in ² x 1000g	
Adhesive 3M™ Durable Label Coat Material FVT30	3.0 g/100 in. ² ± 10%	TM-2279	
Weight 3M™ Durable Label Material FVT36	3.6 g/106 in? ± 10%	TM-2279	
Release Range	15 to 90 g/2 in.	TLMI Method, 180° removal, 300 in./min.	
Application Temperature	40°F to 120°F (5°C to 49°C)		
Service Temperature	-20°F to 140°F (-29°C to 60°C)		
Convertability	The extremely high tack and severe flow properties make 3M™ Tire Tread Adhesive G1120 an excellent choice for labeling tire and other rubber surfaces. However, this adhesive is prone to adhesive ooze and processing issues. Please contact your local 3M Sales Representative for information on specific handling of rubber adhesives.		

Environmental Performance	Do not use this adhesive in applications where the label will be exposed to outdoor environments or water.		
Application Techniques	The liner release has not been optimized for auto applied or auto dispensed applications. This material can only be hand applied		
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	 For maximum bond strength, surface should be clean and dry. A typical cleaning solvent is heptane or isopropyl alcohol. 		
	Note: Consult the manufacturer's MSDS for proper handling and storage of solvents. For best conditions, application surface should be at room temperature or higher. Low temperature surfaces (below 10°F [-12°C]) can cause the adhesive to become so firm that it will not develop maximum contact with the substrate. Higher initial bonds are achieved through increased rub down pressure.		

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Printing	The preferred print method for all tire materials is flexographic printing. If utilizing thermal transfer, be sure that the rolls have been properly stored, butt cut, pattern coated, and loosely wound to reduce adhesive ooze through the printer.		
Die Cutting/ Converting	• Use Talc powder or cornstarch on the edges of the rolls if they become too tacky.		
	 Pattern coating of the adhesive is available and recommended for improved processability. For details concerning pattern coating, please contact your local 3M Sales Representive. 		
	• Die cutting/matrix stripping of this material could lead to problems with excessive ooze and is not recommended. The preferred method of converting is butt cutting. No matter the cutting method used, be sure to utilize loose winding during both press and rewind operations.		
Packaging	All finished rolls must be loosely wound, properly stored, not tightly banded and shipped expeditiously to avoid any ooze issues between converting and the end use of the material.		
Storage Conditions	 Important – Do not store the material banded. Break the steel banking on the pallet upon receipt. 		
	 Do not store the material double stacked. 		
	 Store in a cool area if possible during summer months. 		
	 It is best not to ship over a weekend in summer months. Try to specify a ship date that will get the material directly to you during the week. 		
	• Rolls with excessive edge bleed are most likely to be found on the top layer directly under the wooden pallet top. These rolls can be salvaged by rewinding on a table top rewinder and then using Talc powder on the edges. This should be done as soon as possible.		
	 Recommended storage conditions are 72°F (22°C) and 50% relative humidity. 		

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Shelf Life	To obtain best performance, use this product within 6 months from date of manufacture.	
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