

# Technical Data Sheet

3M™ Membrane Switch Product with Adhesive 200MP 7959MP



Product Details



Regulatory Info/SDS

## Product Description

Finite Element Analysis (FEA) data is available for this product at: [3m.com/FEA](https://www.3m.com/FEA)

3M™ High Performance Acrylic Adhesive 200MP is a popular choice and industry standard, for graphic attachment and general industrial joining applications. It provides outstanding adhesion to metal and high surface energy plastics. This adhesive provides some initial repositionability for placement accuracy when bonding to plastics. It also performs well after exposure to humidity and hot/cold cycles and provides the assurance the switch will perform through difficult environmental conditions and millions of actuations.

## Product Features

- Up to 400°F short-term heat resistance
- Excellent solvent resistance
- Excellent shear strength to resist slippage and edge lifting

3M™ Double Coated Membrane Switch Spacers feature 2.0 or 5.0 mil adhesive layers for industry-standard, high-performance requirements.



## Technical Information Note

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

## Typical Physical Properties

Attribute Name	Test Method	Test Condition	Value
Adhesive Type			200MP Acrylic
Adhesive Carrier			Polyester Film (PET)
Adhesive Thickness		Faceside	0.05 mm (2 mil) <sup>1</sup>
Carrier Thickness			0.13 mm (5 mil)
Adhesive Thickness		Backside	0.05 mm (2 mil) <sup>2</sup>
Total Tape Thickness	ASTM D3652		0.05 mm (2 mil)
Liner Print			200MP
Primary Liner Type			58# Polycoated Kraft Paper (PCK) <sup>3</sup>
Secondary Liner Type			58# Polycoated Kraft Paper (PCK) <sup>3</sup>
Primary Liner Thickness			0.11 mm (4.2 mil)

Attribute Name	Test Method	Test Condition	Value
Secondary Liner Thickness			0.11 mm (4.2 mil)

<sup>1</sup> Faceside adhesive is on the interior of the roll, exposed when unwound and liner removed.

<sup>2</sup> Backside adhesive is on the exterior of the roll, exposed when liner is removed.

<sup>3</sup> Inner liner is primary (stays with die-cut part); Outer liner is secondary (removed first)

## Typical Performance Characteristics

### 90° Peel Adhesion

Dwell Time: 72 h

Backing: 2 mil PET

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Temperature	Substrate	Value
22 °C (72 °F)	Aluminum	7.4 N/cm (68 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
22 °C (72 °F)	PET	5.8 N/cm (53 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
22 °C (72 °F)	Polycarbonate (PC)	5.9 N/cm (54 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
22 °C (72 °F)	Stainless Steel	9.0 N/cm (83 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
70 °C (158 °F)	Aluminum	13.6 N/cm (124 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
70 °C (158 °F)	PET	12.9 N/cm (118 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
70 °C (158 °F)	Polycarbonate (PC)	7.2 N/cm (66 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
70 °C (158 °F)	Stainless Steel	14.7 N/cm (134 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

Backing: 2 mil PET

Attribute Name	Test Method	Temperature	Substrate	Value
Overlap Shear Strength	ASTM D1001	22 °C (72 °F)	Stainless Steel	0.54 MPa (78 lb/in <sup>2</sup> )
Overlap Shear Strength	ASTM D1001	22 °C (72 °F)	Polycarbonate (PC)	0.48 MPa (69 lb/in <sup>2</sup> )
Tensile Strength	ASTM D2370		Stainless Steel	6,462 lb/in

### Static Shear

Substrate: Stainless Steel

Backing: 2 mil PET

Test Method: ASTM D3654

Temperature	Test Condition	Value
22 °C (72 °F)	1000g	10,000+ min <sup>1</sup>
70 °C (158 °F)	500g	10,000+ min <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> 1/2 in x 1 in sample area, test terminated at 10,000 minutes

Attribute Name	Value
Short Term Temperature Resistance	149 °C (300 °F) <sup>1</sup>
Long Term Temperature Resistance	93 °C (200 °F) <sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Short Term (minutes, hour)

<sup>2</sup> Long Term (day, weeks)

## Typical Environmental Characteristics

### Environmental Resistance

Humidity Resistance - High humidity has a minimal effect on adhesive performance. Bond strength shows no significant

reduction after exposure for 7 days at 90°F (32°C) and 90% relative humidity.

UV Resistance - When properly applied, nameplates and decorative trim parts are not adversely affected by outdoor exposure.

Water Resistance - Immersion in water has no appreciable effect on the bond strength. After 100 hours at room temperature, the high bond strength is maintained.

Temperature Cycling Resistance - High bond strength is maintained after cycling four times through:

4 hours at 158°F (70°C)

4 hours at -20°F (-29°C)

4 hours at 73°F (22°C)

Chemical Resistance - When properly applied, nameplate and decorative trim parts will hold securely after exposure to numerous chemicals including oil, mild acids and alkalis.

Bond Build-up: The bond strength of 3M™ High Performance Acrylic Adhesive increases as a function of time and temperature as the adhesive further wets the surface and reaches maximum bond strength after 72 hours at room temperature.

Temperature/Heat Resistance: 3M™ High Performance Acrylic Adhesive on polyester carriers is usable for short periods (minutes, hours) at temperatures up to 300 °F (149°C) and for intermittent longer periods (days, weeks) up to 250°F (121°C).

**Lower Temperature Service Limit:** -40°F (-40°C).

## **Electrical and Thermal Properties**

Attribute Name	Test Method	Temperature	Test Condition	Value
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion	ASTM D696		First Heat (125°C to 175°C)	$4.7 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m/m/}^\circ\text{C}$
Surface Resistivity	ASTM D257	22 °C (72 °F)		$>5.6 \times 10^{16} \Omega$

Attribute Name	Test Method	Temperature	Test Condition	Value
Dissipation Factor	ASTM D150	22 °C (72 °F)		0.011
Dielectric Strength	ASTM D149			1,600 V/mil <sup>1</sup>
Insulation Resistance	Mil-I-46058C		100VDC, 60 sec	$1.9 \times 10^{13} \Omega$
Volume Resistivity	ASTM D257	22 °C (72 °F)		$1.5 \times 10^{15} \Omega\text{-cm}$

<sup>1</sup> Short time method (air)

## **Handling/Application Information**

### **Application Examples**

- 3M™ Double Coated Membrane Switch Spacers are ideal for circuit separation

## **Industry Specifications**

### **FDA Statement**

This product might be suitable for use in indirect food contact applications. Please see the applicable Regulatory Data Sheet for more information relating to FDA compliance.

## **Storage and Shelf Life**

It is suggested that products are stored at room temperature conditions of 70°F (21°C) and 50% relative humidity. If stored properly, product retains its performance and properties for 24 months from date of manufacture.

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