



Technical Data Sheet

3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tape 9485EK



Additional Info



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Product Description

3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tape 9485EK with 3M™ Adhesive 350 is a modified acrylic adhesive ideal for very high-bond strength to many surfaces. It offers excellent shear and peel resistance even at elevated temperatures. This tape is reinforced with discrete glass fibers, which limits elongation, provides structure and is important for roll stability in narrow widths and resists edge oozing. 3M™ 9485EK is designed for temperature exposure to 177 °C (350 °F) for short periods of time and up to 149 °C (300 °F) over long time frames.

Product Features

- Intended for metal, high surface energy and low surface energy plastics.
- Designed for chemical resistance and shear and peel strength even at elevated temperatures.
- Reinforced with (or contains) discrete glass fibers, which limits elongation, provide structure and is important for roll stability in narrow widths and resists edge oozing.
- Low odor for improved working environment.
- 78 lb. EK (Extensible kraft) paper liner provides increased tensile strength for robust processing in narrow width slitting application or where extra liner strength is needed.
- Additional constructions and thicknesses available using 350 adhesive.

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	Value
Primary Liner Color		White
Adhesive Type		350 Fibered Acrylic
Total Tape Thickness	ASTM D3652	0.127 mm (5 mil)
Liner		78# Extensible Polycoated Kraft
Liner Thickness		0.14 mm (5.7 mil)

Typical Performance Characteristics

180° Peel Adhesion

Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Dwell Time	Temperature	Environmental Condition	Substrate	Value
20 min	23 °C (73 °F)		Stainless Steel	13.3 N/cm (121 oz/in) 1
72 h	23 °C (73 °F)		Stainless Steel	14.9 N/cm (136 oz/in) 1
72 h	23 °C (73 °F)		ABS	14.1 N/cm (129 oz/in) 1

Dwell Time	Temperature	Environmental Condition	Substrate	Value
72 h	23 °C (73 °F)		Polypropylene (PP)	16.3 N/cm (149 oz/in) ¹
72 h	70 °C (158 °F)		Stainless Steel	19.3 N/cm (176 oz/in) ¹
72 h	32 °C (90 °F)	90 %RH	Stainless Steel	17.3 N/cm (158 oz/in) ¹

¹ 300 mm/min (12 in/min)

90° Peel Adhesion

Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Dwell Time	Temperature	Substrate	Value
20 min	23 °C (73 °F)	Stainless Steel	9.9 N/cm (90 oz/in) ¹
72 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Stainless Steel	11.0 N/cm (101 oz/in) ¹
72 h	23 °C (73 °F)	ABS	9.5 N/cm (85 oz/in) ¹
72 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Polypropylene (PP)	9.1 N/cm (83 oz/in) ¹
72 h	70 °C (158 °F)	Stainless Steel	14.4 N/cm (132 oz/in) ¹

¹ 300 mm/min (12 in/min)

Substrate: Stainless Steel

Test Condition: 500 g

Test Method: ASTM D3654

Attribute Name	Value
Long Term Temperature Resistance	149 °C (300 °F) ¹
Short Term Temperature Resistance	177 °C (350 °F) ²

¹ Maximum temperature where tape supports indicated load per 6.5cm² (1 in²) in static shear for 10,000 minutes.

² Maximum temperature where tape supports indicated load per 6.5cm² (1 in²) in static shear for 60 minutes.

Substrate: Stainless Steel

Temperature: 23 °C (73 °F)

Test Condition: 1000 g

Dwell Time: 72 h

Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Attribute Name	Test Method	Value
Static Shear	ASTM D3654	10,000 min ¹

¹ 25 x 25 mm (1 in x 1 in) sample area, test terminated after 10,000 minutes

Shear Adhesion Failure Test - SAFT

Substrate: Stainless Steel

Dwell Time: 72 h

Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Test Method: PSTC 17

Test Condition	Value
500 g	205 °C (401 °F) ¹
1000 g	122 °C (251 °F) ¹

¹ 25 x 25 mm (1 in x 1 in) Area Contact

Typical Environmental Performance

90° Peel Adhesion

Substrate: Stainless Steel
 Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil
 Test Method: ASTM D3330

Dwell Time	Temperature	Environmental Condition	Value
72 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Control	100 % ¹
1 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Isopropyl alcohol	89 % of control ¹
1 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Acetone	73 % of control ¹
1 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Gasoline	75 % of control ¹
72 h	49 °C (120 °F)	Oil (10W30)	146 % of control ¹
4 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Weak Acid (pH 4)	89 % of control ¹
4 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Weak Base (pH 10)	87 % of control ¹
72 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Salt Water (5% by weight)	80 % of control ¹
100 h	23 °C (73 °F)	Water Immersion	102 % of control ¹
72 h	32 °C (90 °F)	90 %RH	106 % of control ¹
96 h		Temperature Cycling: 4 Hours at 70 °C (158 °F). 4 Hours at -29 °C (-20 °F). 16 Hours at 23 °C (73 °F). Repeat four times	140 % of control ¹

¹ 300 mm/min (12 in/min)

Electrical and Thermal Properties

ASTM - E1356
 (Reporting Midpoint Tg)

Attribute Name	Value
Glass Transition Temperature (Tg)	-28 °C ¹

¹ Glass Transition Temperature (Tg) determined using DSC Analyzer with a heating rate of 10 °C per minute. Second heat values given.

Handling/Application Information

Application Examples

Ideal adhesive application temperature range is 21 °C to 38 °C (70 °F to 100 °F). Initial application to surfaces at temperatures below 10 °C (50 °F) is not recommended for most pressure sensitive adhesives because the adhesive becomes too firm to adhere readily. However, once properly applied, low temperature holding is satisfactory. For more specific information, contact our toll free 3M sales assistance number at 1-800-362-3550.

0.05 mm (2 mil) thick tapes may generally be used for joining materials that are relatively smooth, thin and have low residual stress. For materials with a rough or textured surface, the thicker adhesive film of the 0.127 mm (5 mil) tapes would be more appropriate for evaluation.

Application Techniques

For maximum bond strength the surface should be thoroughly cleaned and dried. Typical cleaning solvents are heptane or isopropyl alcohol. Consult manufacturer's Material Safety Data Sheet for proper handling and storage instructions. Bond strength can also be improved with firm application pressure and moderate heat (for metal surfaces only), from 38 °C (100 °F) to 54 °C (130 °F), promoting intimate contact with the bonding surfaces.

Storage and Shelf Life

Store under normal conditions of 16° to 27 °C (60° to 80 °F) and 40 to 60 %relative humidity in the original packaging, out of direct sunlight.
For best performance, use this product within 24 months from date of manufacture.

Available Sizes

Attribute Name	Value
Core Size (ID)	76.2 mm (3 in)
Maximum Available Width	1220 mm (48 in)
Minimum Available Width	3.175 mm (0.125 in)
Normal Slitting Tolerance	± 0.8 mm (± 1/32 in)
Note	Subject to Minimum Order Requirements

Recognition/Certification

TSCA: These products are defined as articles under the Toxic Substances Control Act and therefore, are exempt from inventory listing requirements.

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