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# 3M<sup>™</sup> Polyurethane Protective Tape 8561

### **Technical Data Sheet**

#### **Product Description**

3M<sup>™</sup> Polyurethane Protective Tape 8561 is an indoor-grade tape made from an abrasion-resistant polyurethane elastomer that resists puncture, tearing, abrasion and erosion. 3M 8561 Tape provides a simple, easy, and fast method of protecting a surface from corrosion, abrasion, erosion and minor impact damage. 3M 8561 Tape is a transparent tape constructed with a long-aging, solvent-resistant, pressure-sensitive, acrylic adhesive protected with an easy-release poly liner.

#### **Typical Physical Properties and Performance Characteristics**

**Note:** 1) The following technical information and data should be considered representative or typical only and should not be used for specification purposes. 2) ASTM = American Society for Testing and Materials. 3) Metric values are listed in parenthesis

| Property                        | Test Method                             | Units            | Typical Value |
|---------------------------------|---|------------------|---------------|
| Tensile Strength @ Break        | ASTM D882                               | lb/in (N/100 mm) | 75 (1313)     |
| Elongation % @ Break            | ASTM D882                               | %                | 400           |
| Peel Adhesion @ 70°F (21°C) to: |   |                  |               |
| Plate Glass                     | ASTM D3330<br>Method A<br>24 hour dwell | oz/in (N/100 mm) | 36 (39)       |
| Anodized Aluminum               |   |                  | 62 (67)       |
| Acrylic Enamel Paint            |   |                  | 26 (28)       |
| Mil-P-23377 Epoxy Primer        |   |                  | 42 (45)       |
| Max. Service Temperature        |   | °F (°C)          | 180°F (82°C)  |

#### Dimensions

| Approximate Applied Thickness* | 0.012 inch (0.30 mm) Film              |  |
|--------------------------------|--|--|
|                                | 0.002 inch (0.06 mm) Adhesive          |  |
|                                | 0.014 inch (0.36 mm) = Total thickness |  |
| Standard Roll Length           | 36 yd (32.9 m)                         |  |
| Available Widths               | Minimum 1 inch                         |  |
|                                | Maximum 48 inches                      |  |
|                                | (2.54 cm to 122 cm)                    |  |
| Approximate Weight*            | 0.79 lb/yd² (428 g/m²)                 |  |

\*Excludes the liner that is removed from the tape prior to application.

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#### **General Information**

- 3M Polyurethane Protective Tape and Films have weather resistance properties and have been used to isolate and protect substrates from environmental damage and corrosive elements
- Polyurethane Protective Tape may be painted per 3M<sup>™</sup> Technical Bulletin Polyurethane Protective Tape, Paint Instructions

#### **Shipping and Storage**

No special/hazardous labeling or packaging required or regulations for air, ground or water shipment for this product.

Keep film in a clean area, away from excessive moisture and out of direct sunlight. Store rolls in the shipping carton. Return partially used rolls to the shipping carton.

Shelf life: Two (2) years from date of manufacture

#### **Additional Information**

In the U.S. call toll free 1-800-235-2376, or fax 1-800-435-3082 or 651-737-2171. For U.S. Military, call 1-866-556-5714. If you are outside of the U.S., please contact your nearest 3M representative.

\*These products were manufacture under a 3M Quality Management System registered to the AS9100 standard

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