

3M™ PTFE and UHMW-PE Tapes

Low Coefficients of Friction With Choice of Other Characteristics

3M™ PTFE and UHMW-PE Tapes meet many application requirements for Printing, Aerospace, Automotive and MRO (Maintenance and Repair).

3M™ PTFE Tapes

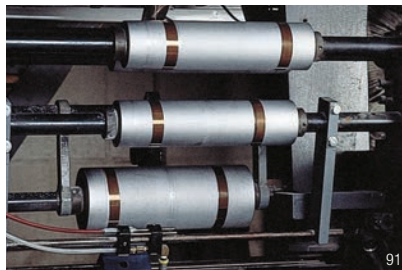
- Low coefficient of friction to help improve web processing
- Resists up to 500°F (260°C) for long performance on heat sealing machines
- Anti-stick for easy cleanup of hot plastic
- Chemical-resistant barrier
- Silicone-free adhesive available

3M™ UHMW-PE Tapes

- Abrasion resistant to protect chutes, guide rails, and containers from wear
- Low coefficient of friction for “slip plane” effect between surfaces to reduce noise
- Anti-stick for ready release of many inks and adhesives



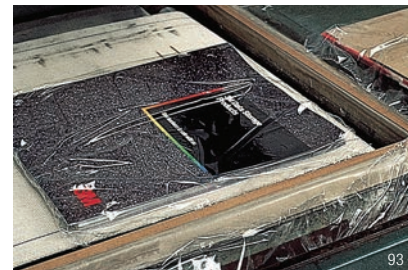
For automotive noise reduction, 3M™ UHMW-PE Tape 5425 provides a “slip plane” effect between incompatible surfaces to help reduce squeaks and rattles.



Conformable 3M™ PTFE Tape helps the movement of web materials in many types of roller wrapping applications.



Corrugated boxes slide more easily down a chute lined with abrasion-resistant 3M™ UHMW-PE Tapes.



In shrink wrapping operation, 3M™ PTFE Glass Cloth Tape 5451 helps protect the bar underneath where the hot wire seals the plastic film.

3M™ Slick Surface Tapes — Performance Comparison

Attribute	Good	Better	Best
Heat Resistance	UHMW-PE Tape	PTFE Film Tape	PTFE Glass Cloth Tape
Wear Life	PTFE Film Tape	PTFE Glass Cloth Tape	UHMW-PE Tape
Conformability	PTFE Glass Cloth Tape	UHMW-PE Tape	PTFE Film Tape
Low Friction Coefficient	UHMW-PE Tape	PTFE Glass Cloth Tape	PTFE Film Tape
Anti-stick/Solvent Resistance	PTFE Glass Cloth Tape	UHMW-PE Tape	PTFE Film Tape

3M™ PTFE Tapes

Product	Color	Adhesive Type	Backing Material	Backing Thickness mils (mm)	Total Thickness mils (mm)	Adhesion to Steel oz/in (N/100 mm)	Tensile Strength lb/in (N/100 mm)	Elongation at Break %	Temperature Range °F (°C)	Comments
Based on ASTM Test Method:				D-3652	D-3652	D-3330	D-3759	D-3759		
Glass Cloth										
5151/ 5151L/ 5151PL	Light Brown	Silicone	PTFE GC	3.0 (0.08)	5.3 (0.13)	33 (36)	110 (1925)	5	-100 to 500 (-73 to 260)	General purpose PTFE glass cloth tape. 5151L is a lined version of 5151. 5151PL is a thicker, premium liner.
5153/ 5153L	Light Brown	Silicone	PTFE GC	5.8 (0.15)	8.0 (0.20)	43 (47)	290 (5075)	5	-100 to 500 (-73 to 260)	General purpose PTFE glass cloth tape. 5153L is a lined version of 5153.
5451	Brown	Silicone	PTFE GC	3.2 (0.08)	5.6 (0.14)	28 (31)	100 (1760)	5	-100 to 500 (-73 to 260)	Heat seal tape.
5453	Brown	Silicone	PTFE GC	6.0 (0.15)	8.2 (0.21)	55 (56)	175 (3065)	5	-100 to 500 (-73 to 260)	Heat seal tape.
Skived Film										
5180	Gray	Silicone	PTFE	2.0 (0.05)	3.5 (0.09)	25 (28)	30 (525)	100	-65 to 500 (-54 to 260)	General purpose PTFE skived film tape.
5181	Gray	Silicone	PTFE	5.0 (0.13)	6.5 (0.17)	35 (39)	75 (1300)	100	-65 to 500 (-54 to 260)	General purpose PTFE skived film tape.
5185	Red	Silicone	PTFE	2.7 (0.07)	4.2 (0.11)	27 (30)	41 (716)	117	-65 to 500 (-54 to 260)	Roller wrapping tape.
5480	Gray	Silicone	PTFE	2.0 (0.05)	3.7 (0.09)	20 (22)	27 (473)	140	-65 to 500 (-54 to 260)	Roller wrapping tape.
5481	Gray	Silicone	PTFE	5.0 (0.13)	6.8 (0.17)	32 (35)	49 (858)	335	-65 to 500 (-54 to 260)	Heavy-duty roller wrapping tape.
Extruded Film										
5490	Gray	Silicone	PTFE	2.0 (0.05)	3.7 (0.09)	27 (29)	22 (385)	150	-65 to 500 (-54 to 260)	Lay-flat backing.
5491	Gray	Silicone	PTFE	5.0 (0.13)	6.7 (0.17)	35 (38)	40 (700)	200	-65 to 500 (-54 to 260)	Lay-flat backing.
5498	Brown	Rubber	PTFE	2.0 (0.05)	4.0 (0.10)	48 (53)	19 (332)	105	40 to 350 (4 to 177)	Non-silicone adhesive.

3M™ UHMW-PE Tapes

Product	Color	Adhesive Type	Backing Material	Backing Thickness mils (mm)	Liner Type	Total Thickness mils (mm)	Adhesion to Steel oz/in (N/100 mm)	Tensile Strength lb/in (N/100 mm)	Elongation at Break %	Temperature Range °F (°C)	Comments
Based on ASTM Test Method:				D-3652		D-3652	D-3330	D-3759	D-3759		
5421	Transparent	Rubber	UHMW-PE	5.0 (0.13)	60# Densified Kraft Paper	6.7 (0.17)	26 (28)	30 (526)	275	-30 to 225 (-34 to 107)	General purpose tape to protect plastic and metal chutes, guide rails and containers from wear.
5423	Transparent	Rubber	UHMW-PE	10.0 (0.25)	60# Densified Kraft Paper	11.7 (0.30)	26 (28)	55 (963)	300	-30 to 225 (-34 to 107)	Excellent abrasion resistance and low coefficient of friction makes this an effective solution for noise and vibration problems.
5425	Transparent	Acrylic	UHMW-PE	3.0 (0.08)	55# Densified Kraft Paper	5.0 (0.13)	30 (33)	45 (788)	100	-30 to 225 (-34 to 107)	Solvent resistant adhesive with low coefficient of friction and abrasion resistance.
5430	Transparent	Acrylic	UHMW-PE	5.0 (0.13)	55# Densified Kraft Paper	7.0 (0.18)	75 (82)	40 (696)	175	-30 to 225 (-34 to 107)	High tack adhesive.
9324	Black	Acrylic	UHMW-PE	5.0 (0.13)	55# Densified Kraft Paper	6.5 (0.17)	75 (82)	40 (696)	175	-30 to 225 (-34 to 107)	Black version of 5430 tape.
9325	Transparent	Acrylic	UHMW-PE	3.0 (0.08)	55# Densified Kraft Paper	5.0 (0.13)	50 (55)	40 (696)	175	-30 to 225 (-34 to 107)	Thin version of 5430 tape.

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