



# **Technical Data Sheet**

3M<sup>™</sup> Scotch® Superior Performance Box Sealing Tape 355





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### **Product Description**

Product Description Scotch® Box Sealing Tape 355 is a superior performance packaging tape used for box sealing, splicing, recouperage and other demanding packaging applications. This product has a strong abrasion resistant backing and a very consistent pressure sensitive hot melt adhesive system available. This time proven construction assures high performance in a wide range of environments and applications.

## **Product Features**

- Pressure sensitive hot melt rubber-resin adhesive.
  Can be certified to Fed. Spec. PPP-T-60E, Amend. 2, Type III, Class 2 (clear), CID A-A-1830B (clear), ASTM D5486 Type I, Class 2, Type II, Class 1 upon request.
  Adheres instantly to most surfaces, including cartons containing high levels of recycled content.
- Strong abrasion resistant backing with high edge tear and split resistance.
  Superior performance ensures reliable closures.

## **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	
Color		Clear and Tan	
Adla adi ya Tiya a		Pressure sensitive hot melt	
Adhesive Type		rubber-resin	
Backing		Biaxially oriented polyester film	
Backing Thickness	ASTM D3652	0.051 mm (2 mil)	
Total Tape Thickness	ASTM D3652	0.087 mm (3.43 mil)	

## **Typical Performance Characteristics**

Substrate: Stainless Steel Temperature: 22 °C (72 °F)

Dwell Time: 72 h

Attribute Name	Test Method	Value
180° Peel Adhesion	ASTM D3330	85.4 N/100mm (78.0 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>

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

Attribute Name	Test Method	Test Condition	Substrate	Value
Elongation at Break	ASTM D3759			130 %
Tensile Strength	ASTM D3759	Machine Direction		1173 N/100mm (67
		Machine Direction		lb/in)
Tensile Strength	ASTM D3759	Cusas Diversities		1208 N/100mm (69
		Cross Direction		lb/in)
Holding Power	ASTM D3654		Fiberboard	14,000+ min

## **Handling/Application Information**

## **Application Techniques**

An extensive line of application equipment including hand held manual dispensers and semi-automatic and fully automatic equipment is available. Application of Scotch® Box Sealing Tape 355 is most easily accomplished at room temperature. At colder temperatures, approaching 32°F (0°C), the adhesive becomes more firm. Once applied, Scotch® Tape 355 performs well throughout the normal temperature ranges typically encountered by packaged products in shipping and storage environments.

## **Industry Specifications**

- Can be certified to Fed. Spec. PPP-T-60E, Amend. 2, Type III, Class 2 (clear) upon request.
- Can be certified to CID A-A-1830B (clear) upon request.

### Storage and Shelf Life

Store in a clean, dry place. Temperature of 40-80°F (4-26°C) and 40 to 50% relative humidity are recommended. To obtain best performance, use this product within 18 months from date of manufacture.

#### **Available Sizes**

Attribute Name	Value
Core Size (ID)	76.2 mm (3 in)
	Imperial widths (11/2 in, 2 in, 3 in) and
Note	lengths (60 yd, 1000 yd) are available. Custom widths
	available upon request.
Standard Roll Length	50, 914 m (55, 1000 yd)
Standard Width	36, 48, 72 mm (1.4, 1.9, 2.8 in)

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