



# Technical Data Sheet

# 3M™ Polyester Tape 8402

# **Product Description**

3M™ Polyester Tape 8402 is a film tape with a silicone adhesive for holding down bagging materials and parts during composite and metal bonding operations. Ideal for splicing applications on surfaces that are difficult to adhere too, such as silicone coated papers and films.

#### **Product Features**

- Works in demanding conditions and retains flexibility in autoclave conditions in temperatures ranging from -60°F (-50°C) to 350°F (176°C)
- Higher heat resistance as compared with acrylics
- Silicone adhesive provides clean removal from a variety of surfaces
- Translucent green backing is easily identifiable for splicing applications
- Chemical resistant adhesive and backing provides durability in difficult environments

#### **Technical Information Note**

Test Method: ASTM D3652

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

Typical Physical Properties	should be considered representative or	typical only and should not be used for specification purposes.
Property	Values	Additional Information
Backing	Polyester	
Adhesive Type	Silicone	
Color	Translucent green	
Backing Thickness (mm)	0.02 mm	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D3652		
Total Tape Thickness (mil)	1.9 mil	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D3652		
Total Tape Thickness (mm)	0.05 mm	View ^

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Backing Thickness	0.92 mil	View	^
Test Method: ASTM D3652			
ypical Performance Characteristics			
Property	Values	Additi	onal Information
Tensile Strength	43.8 N/cm	View	^
Test Method: ASTM D3759			
180° Peel Adhesion	2.5 N/cm	View	^
Test Method: ASTM D3330  Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)			
180° Peel Adhesion	23 oz/in	View	^
Test Method: ASTM D3330 Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)			
Tensile Strength	400 oz/in	View	^
Test Method: ASTM D3759			
Elongation at Break (%)	125 %	View	^
Test Method: ASTM D3759			
Long Term Temp C	177 °C	View	^
Test Condition: Long Term (day, weeks)			
Minimum Long Term Temperature Resistance	-60 °C		
Long Term Temp F	350 °F	View	^
Test Condition: Long Term (day, weeks)			
Minimum Long Term Temperature Resistance	-50 °F		
Temperature Use Range note	Removes cleanly and remains flexible after 3 hours, 350°F (177°C), in autoclave.		



#### Available Sizes

Property	Values	Additional Information
Standard Roll Length	66 m	
Standard Roll Length	72 yd	

# Storage and Shelf Life

Store under normal conditions of 60° to 80°F (16° to 27°C) and 40 to 60% R.H. in the original packaging. To obtain best performance, use this product within 12 months from date of manufacture.

#### **Bottom Matter**

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# Handling/Application Information

Application Examples

- Flash breaker in metal bonding processes where the excess epoxy (flash) flows on the tape.
- Holding of bagging materials and parts during metal or composite bonding operations.
- Masking metal surfaces in acid or caustic chemical milling, etching, or anodization baths.
- Protective tape reduces scratches during handling and shipping.
- Paint mask for areas subject to higher temperature bake cycles.
- Splicing applications on surfaces that are difficult to adhere too, such as silicone coated papers and films.
- Splicing of films subject to high temperatures or chemicals.

# References

Property	Values
3m.com Product Page	https://www.3m.com/3M/en_US/p/d/b40070649/
Safety Data Sheet SDS	https://www.3m.com/3M/en_US/company-us/SDS-search/results/? gsaAction=msdsSRA&msdsLocale=en_US&co=ptn&q=8402

# Family Group

Link Tags:

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Products	Backing	Color	Backing Thickness (mm)	Total Tape Thickness (mm)	Tensile Strength	Long Term Temp C	Minimum  Long Term  Temperature  Resistance	Long Term Temp F
8403	Polyester	Translucent green	0.04 mm	0.06 mm	71.8 N/cm	177 °C	-60 °C	350 °F
8402	Polyester	Translucent green	0.02 mm	0.05 mm	43.8 N/cm	N/A	-60 °C	350 °F

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