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# 3M™ Polyester Tape 8992/8992L

### **Product Description**

3M™ Polyester Tape 8992 is a dark green polyester tape with silicone adhesive. It can be used in a large variety of high temperature applications including powdercoat masking, flashbreaker, and bag sealing applications. Additional applications include, splicing, tabbing, or roll closing silicone treated liners or materials.

#### **Product Features**

- Polyester films offer excellent thermal, abrasion, and chemical resistance while maintaining their flexibility.
- Green color makes tape placement obvious for both application and removal.
- Backing leaves a sharp paint line.
- Silicone adhesives offer high heat resistance compared to many rubber and acrylic adhesives, reducing failure due to softening, oozing, and adhesive transfer.
- Silicone adhesives adhere well to tough-to-stick-to surfaces like silicone liners and fixtures coated with mold release.
- Silicone adhesive removes cleanly from many surfaces.
- Linered version available for die-cuts.



### **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**

Property	Values		Method
Color	Blue		
Total Tape Thickness	0.082 mm	3.2 mil	ASTM D3652
Backing Thickness	0.052 mm	2 mil	ASTM D3652
Backing	Polyester		
Adhesive	Silicone		
Liner	Polyester		
Liner Thickness	0.075 mm	3 mil	ASTM D3652

# **Typical Performance Characteristics**

Property	Values		Method	Substrate
Peel Adhesion	4.8 N/cm	44 oz/in	ASTM D3330	Stainless Steel
Tensile Strength	99.8 N/cm	912 oz/in	ASTM D3759	
Elongation at Break	148 %		ASTM D3759	
Temperature Use Range	Up to 204 °C	Up to 400 °F		

#### **Available Sizes**

Property	Values	
Standard Roll Length	65.8 m	72 yd

### Handling/Application Information

### **Application Ideas**

- Masking for powdercoat painting.
- Flashbreaker tape when pulling through cured coating such as epoxies.
- Holding and splicing difficult to stick to surfaces such as silicone liner.
- Holding parts or sealing vacuum bags during processing.

### Storage and Shelf Life

Store under normal conditions of 60° to 80°F (16° to 27°C) and 40 to 60% relative humidity in the original packaging material.

To obtain best performance, use this product within 24 months from date of manufacture.

#### **Trademarks**

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#### References

# **Safety Data Sheet (SDS)**

https://www.3m.com/3M/en\_US/company-us/SDS-search/results/?gsaAction=msdsSRA&msdsLocale=en\_US&co=ptn&q=8992/8992L

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