Product Information

Tapes	Structure (Backing/Adhesive)	Backing Thickness mils (mm)	Total Thickness mils (mm)	Adhesion to Steel oz./in. (N/100 mm)	Tensile Strength Ibs./in. (N/100 mm)	Elongation at Break %	Comments
ASTM Tes	st Method:	D-3652	D-3652	D-3330	D-3759	D-3759	
600	UPVC/Acrylic	1.5 (.038)	2.3 (.058)	40 (44)	28 (490)	45	Long aging, premium performance
605*	Polypropylene/Acrylic	1.6 (.041)	2.5 (.064)	27 (30)	22 (385)	15	Cold temperature stability
610	Cellophane/Natural Rubber	1.4 (.036)	2.3 (.058)	43 (47)	23 (403)	15	Heat resistant up to 300° F
640	UPVC/Acrylic	1.5 (.038)	2.3 (.058)	28 (30)	32 (560)	65	Clean removal for tabbing apparel
650	Cellophane/High Temperature Rubber	1.4 (.036)	2.5 (.064)	30 (33)	20 (350)	60	High temperature application up to 350° F
681	UPVC/Natural Rubber	1.5 (.038)	2.4 (.061)	30 (33)	25 (438)	60	Good moisture, solvent resistance
690	UPVC/Natural Rubber	1.5 (.038)	2.3 (.058)	30 (33)	35 (613)	45	Colored film tapes for sealing; color coding in red, white, blue, black, green, and yellow
5910**	Polypropylene/Acrylic	1.2 (.030)	1.8 (.046)	20 (22)	10 (175)	15	Utility grade for light duty packaging applications
5912	Cellophane/Synthetic Rubber Resin	1.4 (.036)	2.4 (.061)	54 (59)	28 (490)	15	Utility grade for light duty packaging applications
6887	UPVC/Synthetic Rubber Resin	1.5 (.038)	2.5 (.064)	50 (55)	30 (525)	55	Heat shrinkable, tamper indication

*FDA acceptable dry ingredients listed as indirect food contact additives when used in food packaging with minimal opportunity for exposure **Highland brand

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	Backings						
Adhesives		Cellophane • Heat resistant	UPVC • Moisture resistant • Chemical resistant • Heat shrinkable	Polypropylene • Clear • Conformable			
	Natural Rubber • Wet grab • High adhesion • Yellow color	 High temperature splicing 	SealingHoldingTabbing				
	Suggested Products	610, 650	681, 690				
	Synthetic Rubber • Tabbing • Clear • Bag closing • Superior adhesion • Light packaging • Clean removal • Hand application		 Small L-clips Attaching Tamper evident seal Heat shrink 	 Conformability General use packaging 			
	Suggested Products	5912	6887				
	Acrylic • Clear • Long aging • Non-yellowing • Cold temperature stability		 Holding Attaching Small carton L-clips Tabbing Light duty packaging where clarity and aging are important 	 Cold temperature packaging Economics 			
	Suggested Products		600, 640	605, 5910			

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Light Duty Packaging Tapes



Streamlined selection of film tapes and dispensers for packaging products from candy to T-shirts



Versatility with choices of film backings and adhesives for applications success

With the streamlined selection of Scotch[®] Light Duty Packaging Tapes, readily match backing and adhesive combinations to light duty applications and surfaces.

Typical light duty applications:

Garment bundling

- Cookie tin seam sealing
- Plastic bag closure
- Attaching extended application
 tube to aerosol can
- Variety of surfaces:
- Fabrics
- Molded plastics
- Metals

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CorrugatedVinyl and films

· Party tray closure

• Wrapper closure

• Wrapped candy box closure

Document envelope closure

• Innerpack box closure

• Clay-coated paperboard

- Tapes for apparel tabbing and holding
- Scotch[®] Transparent Film Tape 600: UPVC backing with very high strength acrylic adhesive
- Scotch[®] Transparent Film Tape 640: UPVC backing with clean removal acrylic adhesive for a wider variety of fabric finishes and treatments; formulated for tabbing shirts and underwear
- Scotch[®] Transparent Film Tape 5910: Polypropylene backing with long-aging utility grade acyclic adhesive

Tapes for other light duty applications

- Scotch[®] Transparent Film Tape 605: Polypropylene backing with very aggressive acrylic adhesive for cold temperature applications
- Scotch[®] Colored Film Tape 690: UPVC backing with natural rubber adhesive for sealing and color coding
- Scotch[®] Heat Shrinkable Film Tape 6887: UPVC backing and rubber adhesive for tamper-indicating secondary closures on the seams of tins and jars

Technologies matched to the application

Choice of backings:

- UPVC film for transparency, UV resistance, and non-staining
- Polypropylene for flexibility and moisture resistance in food packaging
- Cellophane for dimensional stability without shrinkage or distortion at up to 300°F; tears by hand for easy package opening

Choice of adhesives:

- Acrylic for long aging and UV resistance
- Rubber for high initial bond strength and adhesion to wide variety of materials including hard-to-bond plastics



Bundle a wider range of fabrics with clean removal Scotch[®] Transparent Film Tape 640.

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Transparent Film Tape 605

 Attach applicator tube
 Secure cookie tin lid

 to aerosol can with
 with tamper-indicating

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 Scotch® Heat Shrinkable

 Film Tape 600.
 Film Tape 6887.

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Choices of dispensers to seal, hold, attach, and tab



Scotch[®] Manual Dispenser S63 applies a neat, consistently sized L-clip of tape in a single pass of a box.



Scotch[®] Definite Length Dispenser M96 dispenses pre-set lengths of .75" to 5" per stroke.



Scotch® Bag Sealer P400 applies tape in an adhesive-to-adhesive flag seal, includes bag trimmer.



Scotch[®] Multi-Roll Dispenser P56/P56W for pull and tear of up to 6" total width of tapes. P56W offers weighted base.



Scotch[®] Heavy-Duty Tabletop Dispenser C22 for pull and tear convenience.

Dispensers	Applications	Max. Tape Width
C22	Sealing, holding, attaching and tabbing	2 in.
M96	Sealing, holding, attaching and tabbing	1 in.
P56 / P56W	Sealing, holding, attaching and tabbing	6 in.
P400	Bag sealing	0.375 in.
S63	Box closing	15mm