



Technical Data Sheet

3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tape 966

Product Description

The 3M[™] Adhesive Transfer Tapes with 3M[™] High Temperature Acrylic Adhesive 100 are designed for temperature exposure to 450°F (232°C) for short periods of time and/or solvent resistance. They have exceptional shear values even at elevated temperatures. They also offer low "outgassing" properties, which is an important consideration for the aerospace, automotive and electronic industries.

Product Features

3M[™] Adhesive Transfer Tapes 941, 966, 9461P, 9461PC and 9462P use the same 3M[™] High Temperature Acrylic Adhesive 100 and come with different liners for a variety of die cutting applications. 3M[™] Adhesive Transfer Tape 965 uses a slightly modified 3M[™] High Temperature Acrylic Adhesive 100 to provide excellent resistance to jet fuel and other chemicals for identification labels on aircraft.

- Excellent bond to metal and high surface energy plastics.
- Outstanding temperature and chemical resistance.
- Two adhesive thicknesses: 1 mil for thin profile labels and 2 mil for rougher surfaces.
- Low outgassing and low leachable chloride, important considerations for electronic and aerospace industries.
- Available on various liners for specialized processing:
- 62# Densified Kraft for die-cutting metal nameplates
- 55# Densified Kraft for rotary die-cutting specialty labels
- 58# Polycoated Kraft for moisture stability

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	Additional Information
Adhesive Type	Acrylic	
Liner	62# Densified Kraft with "3M" printed in green	
Liner Thickness	0.09 mm	
Total Tape Thickness (mil)	2.3 mil	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D3652		
Total Tape Thickness (mm)	0.06 mm	View ^

Test Method: ASTM D3652



Liner Print None

Liner Thickness	3.6 mil	
Dispenser Selection	For assistance in helping you determine the best dispenser for your application, contact your local	
	3M sales representative, or the toll free 3M sales assistance number at 1-800-362-3550.	

Typical Performance Characteristics

Additional Test notes

Use on "Low Surface Energy Plastics" such as Polypropylene is not recommended. Consider priming Low Surface Energy substrates with 3M™ Tape Primer 94 or utilizing other 3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tapes designed for Low Surface Energy substrates such as 3M™ Adhesive 300LSE, 300MP, 350 or 300.

Property	Values	Additional Information
90° Peel Adhesion	8.5 N/cm	View ^

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

90° Peel Adhesion 78 oz/in View ^ Test Method: ASTM D3330 Dwell/Cure Time: 72.0 Dwell Time Units: hr Temp C: 23C Temp F: 72F Environmental Condition: 50%RH Substrate: Stainless Steel Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

90° Peel Adhesion 5.9 N/cm View ^

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Dwell/Cure Time: 72.0
Dwell Time Units: hr
Temp C: 23C
Temp F: 72F
Environmental Condition: 50%RH
Substrate: ABS

Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

90° Peel Adhesion

54 oz/in

View

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Dwell/Cure Time: 72.0

Dwell Time Units: hr

Temp C: 23C



Temp F: 72F Environmental Condition: 50%RH Substrate: ABS Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

90° Peel Adhesion	53 oz/in	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D3330		
Dwell/Cure Time: 20.0		
Dwell Time Units: min Temp C: 23C		
Temp F: 72F		
Environmental Condition: 50%RH Substrate: Stainless Steel		
Backing: 2 mil PET		
Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)		
Short Term Temperature Resistance	450 °F	
Short Term Temperature Resistance	232 °C	
Long Torm Tomporature Posistance	004.00	
Long Term Temperature Resistance	204 °C	
Long Term Temperature Resistance	400 °F	
Static Shear	10000 min	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D3654		
Notes: 1in x 1in size; test terminated after 10,000 minu	ites	
Static Shear	10000 min	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D3654		
Notes: 1in x 1in size; test terminated after 10,000 minu	ites	
Static Shear	10000 min	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D3654		
Notes: 1in x 1in size; test terminated after 10,000 minu	ites	
Static Shear	10000 min	View ^
	10000 min	
Test Method: ASTM D3654		
Notes: 1in x 1in size; test terminated after 10,000 minu	ites	

EN - May, 2022 3/10 3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tape 966



Notes: 1in x 1in size; test terminated after 10,000 minutes

90° Peel Adhesion View ^ 5.8 N/cm Test Method: ASTM D3330 Dwell/Cure Time: 20.0 Dwell Time Units: min Temp C: 23C Temp F: 72F Environmental Condition: 50%RH Substrate: Stainless Steel Backing: 2 mil PET Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min) 90° Peel Adhesion View ^ 15.9 N/cm Test Method: ASTM D3330 Substrate: Stainless Steel Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

90° Peel Adhesion 145 oz/in View ^

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Substrate: Stainless Steel Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

90° Peel Adhesion 4.8 N/cm View ^

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

Dwell/Cure Time: 20.0 Dwell Time Units: min Temp C: 23C

Temp F: 72F Environmental Condition: 50%RH

Substrate: ABS

Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

90° Peel Adhesion

44 oz/in

View

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Dwell/Cure Time: 20.0

Dwell Time Units: min

Temp C: 23C

Temp F: 72F

Environmental Condition: 50%RH
Substrate: ABS
Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

90° Peel Adhesion 4.4 N/cm View ^

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

Dwell/Cure Time: 72.0 Dwell Time Units: hr Temp C: 23C Temp F: 72F Substrate: ABS



Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)

90° Peel Adhesion	40 oz/in	View ^	
Test Method: ASTM D3330			
Dwell/Cure Time: 72.0 Dwell Time Units: hr Temp C: 23C Temp F: 72F Substrate: ABS Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil			
Notes: 12 in/min (300 mm/min)			

Available Sizes

Property	Values	Additional Information
Standard Roll Length	180 yd	
Minimum Available Width	1 in	
Maximum Available Width	48 in	
Core Size (ID)	76.2 mm	
Core Size (ID)	3 in	
Nata		
Note	For other than standard sizes contact your 3M sales representative.	

Electrical and Thermal Properties

Property	Values	Additional Information
Insulation Resistance	>1 x 10^15 Ω	View ^
Test Method: Mil-I-46058C		
Notes: test voltage = 100 VDC		
Insulation Resistance	1.5 x 10^11 Ω	View ^

Test Method: Mil-I-46058C

Notes: test voltage = 100 VDC



Insulation Resistance	9.4 x 10^10 Ω	View ^
Test Method: Mil-I-46058C		
Notes: test voltage = 100 VDC		
Insulation Resistance	9.7 x 10^12 Ω	View ^
Test Method: Mil-I-46058C		
Notes: test voltage = 100 VDC		
Dielectric Constant 1KHz	2.92	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D150		
Temp C: 23C Temp F: 72F		
Dissipation Factor 1KHz	0.025	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D150		
Temp C: 23C Temp F: 72F		
Dielectric Strength	1100 V/mil	View ^
Test Method: ASTM D149		
Thermal Conductivity	0.103 (btu-ft)/(h-ft²-°F)	View ^
Test Method: ASTM C518		
Thermal Conductivity	0.178 W/m/K	View ^
Test Method: ASTM C518		
Thermal Conductivity	0.106 (btu-ft)/(h-ft²-°F)	View ^
Test Method: ASTM C518		
Thermal Conductivity	0.183 W/m/K	View ^
Test Method: ASTM C518		
Thermal Conductivity	0.108 (btu-ft)/(h-ft²-°F)	View ^
Test Method: ASTM C518		
Thermal Conductivity	0.187 W/m/K	View ^
Test Method: ASTM C518		

EN - May, 2022 3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tape 966



View ^ Volume Resistivity $4 \times 10^{15} \Omega$ -cm Test Method: ASTM D257 Temp C: 23C Temp F: 73F Surface Resistivity >1 x 10^15 Ω Surface Resistivity >5.6 x 10^16 Ω Coefficient of Thermal Expansion View ^ 19.9 x 10^-5 m/m/°C Test Method: ASTM D696 View ^ Coefficient of Thermal Expansion 58.4 x 10^-5 m/m/°C

Typical Environmental Performance

Test Method: ASTM D696

Property	Values	Additional Information
Chemical and Environmental Exposure	The 3M™ High Temperature Acrylic Adhesive 100	
	is well known in industry for environmental and	
	chemical resistance. For many applications, any	
	one of the products in this grouping will perform	
	satisfactorily when exposed to different chemicals	
	or temperatures. Jet fuels, however, are a	
	challenge for pressure sensitive products. More	
	specifically, the Aviation Turbine Fuel, Grade JP-4	
	(MIL H-T-5624), will attack many of the best	
	adhesives within 72 hours. In response to the	
	demands of this market and the corresponding	
	military specification MIL-T- 9906C, 3M™	
	Adhesive Transfer Tape 965 was developed as it	
	differs slightly in chemistry from the rest of the 3M	
	adhesive 100 family to provide the extra chemical	
	resistance.	
	-	
	In addition to the added fuel resistance, 3M tape	
	965 retains all of the notable features of the	
	adhesive 100: excellent adhesion to metals, good	
	adhesion to high surface energy plastics, low	
	outgassing, and excellent static shear values for	
	room temperature and heated conditions. The	
	chart below shows adhesion values (to stainless	
	steel) of 3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tapes 965 and	
	966, with an emphasis on fuel and oil exposure.	
	The data represents representative or typical	
	values and should not be used for specification	
	purposes.	

Environmental Resistance

Bond Build-up:

The bond strength of 3M[™] Adhesive 100 increases



as a function of time and temperature.

-

Humidity Resistance:

High humidity has a minimal effect on adhesive performance. Bond strengths are generally higher after exposure for 7 days at 90°F (32°C) and 90% relative humidity.

-

U.V. Resistance:

When properly applied, nameplates and decorative trim parts are not adversely affected by outdoor exposure.

-

Water Resistance:

Immersion in water has no appreciable effect on the bond strength. After 100 hours in room temperature, the bond actually shows an increase in strength.

-

Temperature Cycling Resistance:

Bond strength generally increases after cycling four times through:

4 hours at 158°F (70°C)

4 hours at -20°F (-29°C)

16 hours at room temperature

-

Chemical Resistance:

When properly applied, nameplate and decorative trim parts will hold securely after exposure to numerous chemicals including gasoline, oil, Freon™ TF, sodium chloride solution, mild acids and alkalis.

_

Heat Resistance:

The 3M adhesive 100 is usable for short periods (minutes, hours) at temperatures up to 450°F (232°C) and for longer periods (days, weeks) up to 300°F (149°C).

-

Low Temperature Service: -40°F (-40°C). Parts should be tested for low temperature shock service.

Storage and Shelf Life

Humidity controlled storage 60°F (16°C) to 80°F (27°C) and 40 to 60% R.H. and in a plastic bag. If stored properly, product retains its performance and properties for 24 months from date of manufacture.

Recognition/Certification

TSCA: These products are defined as articles under the Toxic Substances Control Act and therefore, are exempt from inventory listing requirements. Additional regulatory information for IATD products is available on the regs website: www.3m.com/regs.

MSDS: 3M has not prepared a MSDS for these products which are not subject to the MSDS requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration's Hazard Communication Standard, 29 C.F.R. 1910.1200(b)(6)(v). When used under reasonable conditions or in accordance with the 3M directions for use, the products should not present a health and safety hazard. However, use or processing of the products in a manner not in accordance with the directions for use may affect their performance and present potential health and safety hazards.

UL: 3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tapes 941, 966 and 9462P have been recognized by Underwriters Laboratories Inc. under Standard UL 969 Marking and Labeling in File MH26206. For more information on the UL Certification, please visit the website at http://www.3m.com/converter, select UL Recognized Materials, and then select the specific product area.

Bottom Matter

ЗМ



Industrial Adhesives and Tapes Division 3M Center, Building 225-3S-06 St. Paul, MN 55144-1000 800-362-3550

Trademarks

3M is a trademark of 3M Company.

Automotive Disclaimer

Automotive Applications: This product is an industrial product and has not been designed or tested for use in certain automotive applications, including, but not limited to, automotive electric powertrain battery or high voltage applications. This product does not fully adhere to typical automotive design or quality system requirements, such as IATF 16949 or VDA 6.3. This product may not be manufactured in an IATF certified facility and may not meet a Ppk of 1.33 for all properties. The product may not undergo an automotive production part approval process (PPAP). Customer is solely responsible for evaluating the product and determining whether it is appropriate and suitable for customer's automotive application and for conducting incoming inspections before use of the product. Failure to do so may result in injury, death, and/or harm to property. No written or verbal statement, report, data or recommendation by 3M related to automotive use of the product shall have any force or effect unless in an agreement signed by the Technical Director of 3M's Automotive Division. Customer assumes all responsibility and risk if customer chooses to use this product in an automotive electric powertrain battery or high voltage application, and 3M will not be liable for any loss or damage arising from or related to the 3M product or customer's use of the product, whether direct, indirect, special, incidental, or consequential (including, but not limited to, lost profits or business opportunity or recall costs), regardless of the legal or equitable theory asserted, including, but not limited to, warranty, contract, negligence, or strict liability. In no event shall 3M be liable for any damages in excess of the purchase price paid for the product.

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER STATEMENT TO THE CONTRARY, 3M MAKES NO REPRESENTATIONS, WARRANTIES OR CONDITIONS WHATSOEVER, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, REGARDING THE PRODUCT IF USED IN AN AUTOMOTIVE ELECTRIC POWERTRAIN BATTERY OR HIGH VOLTAGE APPLICATION, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ANY WARRANTY ON PERFORMANCE, LONGEVITY, SUITABILITY, COMPATIBILITY, OR INTEROPERABILITY, OR ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OR CONDITION OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, OR ARISING OUT OF A COURSE OF DEALING, CUSTOM, OR USAGE OF TRADE.

Handling/Application Information

Application Examples

Ideal tape application temperature range is 70°F to 100°F (21°C to 38°C) and application to surfaces at temperatures below 50°F (10°C) is not recommended for most pressure sensitive adhesives because the adhesive becomes too firm to adhere readily. However, once properly applied, low temperature holding is satisfactory. For more specific information, contact Customer Service at 1-800-223-7427.

The liner used for 3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tapes 9461P, 9461PC and 9462P is not intended to provide premium release characteristics. Testing is urged for applications where liner release is critical. These products are not recommended for use with non-transferable facestocks such as 3M™ Label Material 8070, 8071 or 8074 because of the potential for liner caused pre-destruct.

3M[™] Adhesive Transfer Tape 965 has been specially modified to provide outstanding performance for fuel line identification labels, bar code labels for harsh environments and specially performance-engineered labels for automotive, aerospace and industrial markets. It also meets MIL-T-9906C specification requirements.

Application Techniques

For maximum bond strength the surface should be thoroughly cleaned and dried. Typical cleaning solvents are heptane or isopropyl alcohol.*

Bond strength can also be improved with firm application pressure and moderate heat, from 100°F (38°C) to 130°F (54°C), causing the adhesive to develop intimate contact with the bonding surface.

*Note: Carefully read and follow the manufacturer's precautions and directions for use when working with solvents. These cleaning recommendations may not be compliant with the rules of certain Air Quality Management Districts in California; consult applicable rules before use.

References

Property	Values
3m.com Product Page	https://www.3m.com/3M/en_US/p/d/b40072018/
Safety Data Sheet SDS	https://www.3m.com/3M/en_US/company-us/SDS-search/results/? gsaAction=msdsSRA&msdsLocale=en_US&co=ptn&q=966

ISO Statement

This Industrial Adhesives and Tapes Division product was manufactured under a 3M quality system registered to ISO 9001 standards.



Information

Technical Information: The technical information, guidance, and other statements contained in this document or otherwise provided by 3M are based upon records, tests, or experience that 3M believes to be reliable, but the accuracy, completeness, and representative nature of such information is not guaranteed. Such information is intended for people with knowledge and technical skills sufficient to assess and apply their own informed judgment to the information. No license under any 3M or third party intellectual property rights is granted or implied with this information.

Product Selection and Use: Many factors beyond 3M's control and uniquely within user's knowledge and control can affect the use and performance of a 3M product in a particular application. As a result, customer is solely responsible for evaluating the product and determining whether it is appropriate and suitable for customer's application, including conducting a workplace hazard assessment and reviewing all applicable regulations and standards (e.g., OSHA, ANSI, etc.). Failure to properly evaluate, select, and use a 3M product and appropriate safety products, or to meet all applicable safety regulations, may result in injury, sickness, death, and/or harm to property.

Warranty, Limited Remedy, and Disclaimer: Unless a different warranty is specifically stated on the applicable 3M product packaging or product literature (in which case such warranty governs), 3M warrants that each 3M product meets the applicable 3M product specification at the time 3M ships the product. 3M MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTIES OR CONDITIONS, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OR CONDITION OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, OR ARISING OUT OF A COURSE OF DEALING, CUSTOM, OR USAGE OF TRADE. If a 3M product does not conform to this warranty, then the sole and exclusive remedy is, at 3M's option, replacement of the 3M product or refund of the purchase price.

Limitation of Liability: Except for the limited remedy stated above, and except to the extent prohibited by law, 3M will not be liable for any loss or damage arising from or related to the 3M product, whether direct, indirect, special, incidental, or consequential (including, but not limited to, lost profits or business opportunity), regardless of the legal or equitable theory asserted, including, but not limited to, warranty, contract, negligence, or strict liability.

Disclaimer: 3M industrial and occupational products are intended, labeled, and packaged for sale to trained industrial and occupational customers for workplace use.

Unless specifically stated otherwise on the applicable product packaging or literature, these products are not intended, labeled, or packaged for sale to or use by consumers (e.g., for home, personal, primary or secondary school, recreational/sporting, or other uses not described in the applicable product packaging or literature), and must be selected and used in compliance with applicable health and safety regulations and standards (e.g., U.S. OSHA, ANSI), as well as all product literature, user instructions, warnings, and limitations, and the user must take any action required under any recall, field action or other product use notice. Misuse of 3M industrial and occupational products may result in injury, sickness, or death. For help with product selection and use, consult your on-site safety professional, industrial hygienist, or other subject matter expert. For additional product information, visit www.3M.com.