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# Technical Data Sheet

## 3M™ Tartan™ Box Sealing Tape 369

### Product Description

Tartan™ Box Sealing Tape 369 is a general purpose packaging tape used for noncritical box sealing applications. This product has a conformable backing and a pressure sensitive hot melt adhesive system. This construction provides a good closure for lightweight boxes exposed to minimal distribution hazards.

### Product Features

- Adheres to a variety of surfaces.
- Low strength conformable backing.
- Edge tear and split resistance.
- Good holding power to fiberboard.
- Reliable closures.
- Roll to roll consistency increases productivity for improved unit costs.

### 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
Adhesive Type		Pressure sensitive hot melt rubber-resin
Backing		Biaxially oriented polypropylene film
Backing Thickness	ASTM D3652	0.025 mm (1 mil)
Total Tape Thickness	ASTM D3652	0.041 mm (1.6 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	32.8 N/100mm (30.0 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>

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

Attribute Name	Test Method	Test Condition	Substrate	Value
Elongation at Break	ASTM D3759			160 %
Tensile Strength	ASTM D3759	Machine Direction		333 N/100mm (19 lb/in)
Tensile Strength	ASTM D3759	Cross Direction		665 N/100mm (38 lb/in)
Holding Power	ASTM D3654		Fiberboard	1,000+ 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 Tartan™ Box Sealing Tape 369 is most easily accomplished at room temperature. At colder temperatures, approaching 32°F (0°C), the adhesive becomes more firm. Once applied, Tartan tape 369 performs well throughout the normal temperature ranges typically encountered by packaged products in shipping and storage environments.

### **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)
Standard Roll Length	50, 100, 914, 1500 m (55, 109, 1000, 1641 yd)
Standard Width	48, 72 mm (1.9, 2.8 in)

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