## 3M<sup>™</sup> Polyester Tapes 8991 and 8992

Economical &reliable

# powder coat Masking



## Tight on contact, clean removal after 400°F baking

With pressure sensitive silicone adhesive,  $3M^{\text{TM}}$  Polyester Tapes 8991 and 8992 grab on contact for reliable masking in most powder coat painting operations with baking at up to 400°F (204°C).

- Sharp, clean paint edge
- 8991 1.0 mil polyester backing and 1.4 mil silicone adhesive
- 8992 2.0 mil polyester backing and 1.2 mil silicone adhesive
- High dimensional and tensile strength (8992 37 lbs./in.) for tearing through cured paint without slivering or breaking
- · Resists shrinking, curling, and edge lifting but removes without adhesive residue
- Transparent blue (8991) and transparent dark green (8992) for identification and alignment
- · Also used for masking in e-coating, electroplating, and anodizing



Clean removal, sharp paint edge.

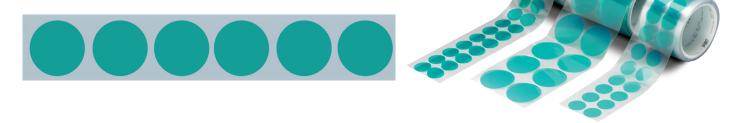


### 3M<sup>™</sup> Polyester Tapes for High Temperature Applications

Product Information

| Product/Color                | Tape Structure<br>(Backing/ Adhesive) | Backing<br>Thickness<br>mils (mm) | Total<br>Thickness<br>mils (mm) | Adhesion<br>to Steel<br>oz./in.<br>(N/100 mm) | Tensile<br>Strength<br>Ibs./in.<br>(N/100 mm) | Elongation<br>at Break % | Temperature<br>Range<br>°F (°C) | Comments  |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| ASTM Test Me                 | thod:                                 | D-3652                            | D-3652                          | D-3330  | D-3759  | D-3759                   |                                 |   |
| 8991/8991L<br>Blue           | Polyester/Silicone                    | 1.0 (0.03)                        | 2.4 (0.06)                      | 31 (34)                                       | 21 (374)                                      | 49                       | -60 to 400°F<br>(-50 to 204°C)  | "Go-to" for reliable,<br>cost-effective powder<br>coat masking.   |
| 8992/8992L<br>Green          | Polyester/Silicone                    | 2.0 (0.05)                        | 3.2 (0.08)                      | 44 (48)                                       | 37 (642)                                      | 46                       |                                 |   |
| 8992D Green<br>Regular Discs | Polyester/Silicone                    | 2.0 (0.05)                        | 3.3 (0.09)                      | 33 (36)                                       | 48 (840)                                      | 83                       | (-50 to 204°C)                  | Die cut discs with<br>standard diameters<br>of 0.375, 0.5, 0.625,<br>0.75, 1, 2, and<br>4 inches. Misc. sizes<br>also available.        |
| 8992D Green<br>Tabbed Discs  | Polyester/Silicone                    | 2.0 (0.05)                        | 3.3 (0.09)                      | 33 (36)                                       | 48 (840)                                      | 83                       |                                 | Tabbed die-cut discs<br>with standard<br>diameters of 0.393,<br>0.5, 0.625, 0.75, 1, 2,<br>and 4 inches. Misc.<br>sizes also available. |
| 8901/Blue                    | Polyester/Silicone                    | 0.9 (0.02)                        | 2.3 (0.05)                      | 29 (31)                                       | 26 (455)                                      | 115                      | -60 to 400°F<br>(-50 to 204°C)  | High performance.   |
| 8902/Blue                    | Polyester/Silicone                    | 2.0 (0.05)                        | 3.5 (0.08)                      | 37 (40)                                       | 37 (718)                                      | 110                      |                                 |   |
| 8905/Blue                    | Polyester/Silicone                    | 5.0 (0.12)                        | 6.5 (0.16)                      | 26 (28)                                       | 110 (1920)                                    | 115                      |                                 |   |

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