



# Technical Data Sheet

## 3M™ Adhesive Transfer Tape 9555



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### **Product Description**

3M™ Industrial Acrylic Adhesive 220 is an economical choice for most general industrial bonding in metal, painted metal, and high surface energy plastic applications.

### **Product Features**

- Up to 350°F short-term heat resistance
- Good chemical resistance
- Good shear strength

### **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
Adhesive Type		Acrylic
Total Tape Thickness	ASTM D3652	0.12 mm (4.9 mil)
Liner Print		3M
Primary Liner Type		58# Polycoated Kraft Paper (PCK) <sup>1</sup>
Primary Liner Thickness		0.11 mm (4.2 mil)
Primary Liner Color		Tan
Secondary Liner Type		58# Polycoated Kraft Paper (PCK) <sup>1</sup>
Secondary Liner Thickness		0.11 mm (4.2 mil)
Secondary Liner Color		Tan

<sup>1</sup> Inner liner is primary (stays with die-cut part); Outer liner is secondary (removed first)

### **Typical Performance Characteristics**

#### **90° Peel Adhesion**

Temperature: 22 °C (72 °F)

Backing: 2 mil Aluminum Foil

Test Method: ASTM D3330

Dwell Time	Substrate	Value
15 min	Stainless Steel	5.8 N/cm (53 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
72 h	ABS	7.1 N/cm (65 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
72 h	Glass	9.7 N/cm (89 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
72 h	Polycarbonate (PC)	7.1 N/cm (63 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>
72 h	Stainless Steel	11 N/cm (98 oz/in) <sup>1</sup>

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

## Static Shear

Temperature	Test Condition	Value
22 °C (72 °F)	2000g	5,000 min <sup>1</sup>
70 °C (158 °F)	1000g	4,000 min <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> 1 in x 1 in sample area, test terminated after 10,000 minutes

Attribute Name	Value
Short Term Temperature Resistance	177 °C (350 °F) <sup>1</sup>
Long Term Temperature Resistance	93 °C (200 °F) <sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Short Term (minutes, hour)

<sup>2</sup> Long Term (day, weeks)

## Typical Environmental Characteristics

### Environmental Resistance

Humidity Resistance - High humidity has a minimal effect on adhesive performance. Bond strength shows no significant reduction after exposure for 7 days at 90°F (32°C) and 90% relative humidity.

UV 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 at room temperature, the high bond strength is maintained.

Temperature Cycling Resistance - High bond strength is maintained after cycling four times through:  
4 hours at 158°F (70°C)  
4 hours at -20°F (-29°C)  
4 hours at 73°F (22°C)

Chemical Resistance - When properly applied, nameplate and decorative trim parts will hold securely after exposure to numerous chemicals including oil, mild acids and alkalis.

Bond Build-up: The bond strength of 3M™ Industrial Acrylic Adhesive 220 increases as a function of time and temperature

Temperature/Heat Resistance: 3M™ Industrial Acrylic Adhesive 220 is usable for short periods (minutes, hours) at temperatures up to 350°F (177°C) and for intermittent longer periods (days, weeks) up to 250°F (121°C).

**Lower Temperature Service Limit:** 40°F (-40°C). The glass transition temperature, TG, for 3M™ Industrial Acrylic Adhesive 220 is -31°F (-35°C). Many applications survive below this temperature. Factors to consider are: the materials being bonded, the dwell at RT before cold exposure and the stresses below the TG (ie. expansion/contraction stresses, impact). Optimum conditions are: bonding HSE materials, longer time at RT before cold exposure and little or no stress below the glass transition temperature.

## **Handling/Application Information**

### **Application Examples**

- Attaching nameplates, appliques, and decorative trim to metal and high surface energy plastics
- Laminating to sub-surface printed polycarbonate or polyester graphic overlay materials
- Used in the automotive, appliance and electronics industries for cost-effective, long-term bonding applications

### **Storage and Shelf Life**

Store under normal conditions of 16° to 27°C (60° to 80°F) and 40 to 60% relative humidity in the original packaging, out of direct sunlight. For best performance, use this product within 24 months from date of manufacture.

### **Available Sizes**

<b>Attribute Name</b>	<b>Value</b>
Master Width	1.22 m (48 in) <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> More sizes may be available. Please talk to your local 3M representative for more information.

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