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# **3™ Scotch® Box Sealing Tape 311**

#### **Product Description**

Scotch® Box Sealing Tape 311 is a general purpose box sealing tape designed specifically for utility type applications on light to medium weight boxes. The product offers good performance over broad temperature ranges; specifically in colder and damper applications; and adheres to recycled fiberboard.

## **Product Features**

- Adheres instantly to a variety of surfaces.
- Conformable backing.
- Edge tear and split resistant.
- Good aging in sunlight or fluorescent lighting.

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- Reliable closures.
- Long life in use.



# 3<sup>™</sup> Scotch<sup>®</sup> Box Sealing Tape 311

#### **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		Method
Color	Clear and Tan		
Total Tape Thickness	0.052 mm	2.05 mil	ASTM D3652
Backing Thickness	0.028 mm	1.1 mil	ASTM D3652
Backing	Biaxially oriented polypropylene film		
Adhesive	*Pressure sensitive acrylic		
*Note	Requires no moisture, heat or solvent for activation.		

## **Typical Performance Characteristics**

Property	Values		Method	Substrate
Peel Adhesion	24.1 N/100mm	22 oz/in	ASTM D3330	Stainless Steel
Elongation at Break	125 %		ASTM D3759	

Tensile Strength		Test Condition
438 N/100mm	25 lb/in	Machine Direction
701 N/100mm	40 lb/in	Cross Direction

Property: Tensile Strength Method: ASTM D3759

# **Available Sizes**

Property	Values	
Standard Length	50, 100, 914, 1500 m	55, 109, 1000, 1641 yd
Standard Width	48, 72 mm	1.9, 2.8 in
Core Size (ID)	76.2 mm	3 in

## 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. Scotch® Box Sealing Tape 311 has been applied to fiberboard boxes with good results at refrigeration temperatures of 32°F to 50°F (0°C to 10°C). Once applied, Scotch® Tape 311 performs well on fiberboard boxes subjected to temperatures below 32°F (0°C).

## 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.

## Trademarks

Scotch is a registered trademark of 3M.

#### References

Property	Values
3m.com Product Page	https://www.3m.com/3M/en_US/company-us/all-3m-products/~/Scotch- Box-Sealing-Tape-311?N=5002385+3293242208&rt=rud
Safety Data Sheet (SDS)	https://www.3m.com/3M/en_US/company-us/SDS-search/results/? gsaAction=msdsSRA&msdsLocale=en_US&co=ptn&q=311

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