GENERAL SEALANTS, INC.

GS# Solar Tape

Technical Data Sheet

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

GS# Solar Tape is a custom butyl tape specifically designed to be used during solar panel installation. This pressure sensitive sealant has excellent sound and vibration absorption, is resistant to mildew, will withstand extreme temperature fluctuations, and is extremely water resistant. GS# Solar Tape typically is used at each roof attachment point to prevent water and moisture from entering through penetrated roofing paper where lag and fasteners get attached to the roofing frame.

PRODUCT ADVANTAGES

- Excellent weatherability
- Non-Hazardous
- Fast and easy to apply by hand
- Compatible with water/acrylic-based paints
- Allows for expansion and contraction
- Great UV resistance
- Service temperature of -40°F to 200°F (-40°C to 93°C)

APPLICATION

Surface should be free of moisture, oil and dust for maximum bond. Apply the sealant by hand to the application surface and press the sealant into place with the release liner still adhered to the sealant on one side to prevent contamination. Remove release liner when ready to apply the sealant to remaining application site. Ideal application temperature is 45°F (7°C) or above.

Product is not considered hazardous to skin however wash hands before eating. DO NOT TAKE INTERNALLY.



TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Chemical Base	Butyl Rubber
Color	Black or Gray
Specific Gravity (ASTM D792)	1.68
Total Solids	100%
Penetration (ASTM D217) cone at 72°F / 150 grams	45-65 (4.5 to 6.5 mm)
Rolling Ball Tack (ASTM D3121)	20 cm max (11/16" Ball)
Flexibility (ASTM C765)	No cracking or loss of adhesion at -10°F (-23°C) when bent around 3/8″ mandrel (9.5mm)
Staining (ASTM D925)	Will not stain painted or unpainted surfaces
Odor (ASTM D1833)	None
Vehicle Bleed Out (ASTM C772)	No exudation of vehicle on Whatman No. 40 filter paper
Crazing to Acrylic Plastics	Will not craze plastics
Resistance to Fungus/Mildew Growth	Will resist fungal attack and mildew growth
Tensile Adhesive Strength (ASTM C907)	14 psi (typical failure mode 100% cohesive)

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Adhesion	Great
Water Resistance	Excellent
Corrosivity	Aluminum: None Galvanized Metal: None
Service Temperature	-40°F to 200°F (-40°C to 93°C)
Shelf Life (Storage at 72°F/ 22°C)	3 Years from DOM

NOTE: TECHNICAL INFORMATION AND DATA SHOULD BE CONSIDERED REPRESENTATIVE OR TYPICAL ONLY AND SHOULD NOT BE USED FOR SPECIFICATION PURPOSES.

PACKAGING

GS# Solar Tape is available in a wide range of extruded sizes supplied in roll form on a release liner.

STORAGE AND HANDLING

Material should be stored at 72°F (22°C) in a dry area in its original sealed case and case must remain right side up.

For more information on GS# Solar Tape, please email <u>Sales@GeneralSealants.com</u> or call (800)-762-1144 to speak with a representative from our sales department.

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