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Technical Data – EpiTech 1332 – Surface Protection Film

Clear polyethylene removable film with pressure sensitive adhesive on one side, designed for short term protection of painted steel

► Film Technical Data

Film material: LDPE co - extruded Polyethylene Gauge 35um Colour Natural Strength at break: Transverse Direction 3.5 N/cm Nominal Machine Direction 4.5 N/cm Nominal **Tensile Strength maximum load:** Transverse Direction 5.0 N/cm Nominal Machine Direction 7.0N/cm Nominal Roll Cores dimension 76mm ID 10mm wall

Adhesive Technical Data

Adhesive Type Acrylic Adhesive Level Medium Nominal Peel Strength (1) 5.0N / 50mm @ 24hrs on SS Nominal Looptack (2) 0.8N on standard glass.

Principle Uses

Used for the protection of painted surfaces against dirt, scratches and tool marks during:

- Handling
- Transport and Storage
- Forming and Assembly

Can be used to protect painted surfaces such as

- Painted Steel
- Painted Wallboards

► Application of Film

The protective film should be applied by mechanical means. Best results are obtained at an application temperature between 15°C and 38°C.

Precautions

Adhesive properties are susceptible to change due to following parameters chemical and physical state of the surface to be protected, presence of impurities on the substrate, elongation of the film during application and temperature of surroundings and of substrate.

Storage and Application

- The film must be stored in its original packaging and in clean, dry conditions.

- Film should be applied within 6 months of delivery.
- Film should be removed within 6 months after application (or 3 months if exposed to outdoors).
- The rolls should be protected from extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.
- Out of its packaging, the film should be protected against dust and impurities.
- Film may be recycled.

► Note

The film is not designed to protect against corrosion, humidity or chemicals. Customers must always conduct a full trial to ensure suitability product.

The trials must take into account the type of surface being protected, storage, transport and conditions of (interior/exterior) use.