## **Technical Information**

# Scotch<sup>™</sup>brand No. 5126 Polyethylene Tape (Clear)



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#### SCOTCH BRAND NO. 5126 POLYETHYLENE TAPE (CLEAR)

# **DESCRIPTION:** A polyethylene tape with a medium-tack adhesive system designed to offer maximum abrasion resistance for painted metals, molded fiberglass and plastic materials.

#### CONSTRUCTION:

Backing:	Low-density polyethylene
Adhesive:	Acrylic
Colors:	Clear*
Standard Roll Size:	48 in. (1,21 mm), 60 in. (1,52 m), 72 in. (1.82 m)x 1000 ft.(304,8 m) to 3000 ft. (914,4 m)

#### **TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES:**

Not Recommended for Specification Purposes.

ASTM	METHOD

Adhesion to Steel:	5.0oz./in. width (6 N/100mm) nominal	D-3330
Tensile Strength:	2500 PSI/1.7 MPA	D-882
(Break or Yield) Elongation:	450%	D-882
(Break or Yield)	45070	D-002
Total Tape Thickness:	50 mils (.13mm) nominal	D-3652

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

Protective tape No.5126 is designed to provide maximum surface protection of mill finished stainless and aluminum with a minimum adhesion build up. For optimum performance, Scotch brand protective tapes should be applied and removed at a room temperature not less than  $60^{\circ}F(16^{\circ}C)$ . This product is not designed for prolonged exposure to direct sunlight for extended periods.

#### **POSSIBLE USES:**

Protection for painted semi-gloss metal panels.

Protection of mill finish aluminum and stainless coils and sheets.

Automotive applications include hand application to painted metal panels, painted fascias and chrome bumpers.

Protection for molded fiberglass, polyester tubs and showers.

\*Contact your local 3M sales representatives for additional information on colors.

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<b>FEATURES</b>	<b>ADVANTAGES</b>	<b>BENEFITS</b>
Medium-tack adhesive	Ease of applying both by hand and by machine	Reduces labor costs
Transparent backing	Allows inspection without tape removal	Reduces reworks
5 mil backing	Enhanced abrasion resistance	Reduces reworks Increases surface protection
Elastic backing	Withstands most forming operations	Saves money on reworks

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