



# Two-Sided Metalized Polyester Tape

## 8437

Technical Data

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**Product Description** 3M™ Polyester Tape 8437 is a two-sided metalized polyester film backing with an acrylic adhesive system utilizing an easy release silicone treated paper liner.

Construction	Backing	Adhesive	Color	Roll Length
	1 mil (0.25 mm) transparent polyester film both surfaces of which have a very thin coating of aluminum metal.	Transparent acrylic	Silver	72 yds. (66 m)

**Typical Physical Properties and Performance Characteristics**

**Note: The following technical information and data should be considered representative or typical only and should not be used for specification purposes.**

		ASTM Test Method
Adhesion to Steel:	40 oz./in. width (44 N/100 mm)	D-3330
Tensile Strength:	20 lbs./in. width (350 N/100 mm)	D-3759
Elongation at Break:	70%	D-3759
Tape Thickness:	2 mils (.05 mm)	D-3652

**Application Ideas**

- Splice detection.
- For many applications where reflectivity and low emissivity are desired.
- Can be used for certain applications requiring a conductive surface.

**Storage**

Store under normal conditions of 70°F (21°C) and 50% R.H.

**Shelf Life**

Not recommended to exceed one year from date of manufacture

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## For Additional Information

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