

# **Uncoated Abrasive Belt Splicing Tapes**

Uncoated tapes are pre-primed to obtain maximum bond strength when using a thermosetting adhesive. The standard products consist of polyester film reinforced with polyester yarns. Below is listed our standard product line with suggested applications.

| <u>T1930</u>                                  | <u>T1880</u>          | <u>T1882</u>           | <u>T1884</u>             | <u>T1886</u>           | <u>T1878</u>                          |
|---|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Yellow  | Pink                  | White                  | Blue                     | Green                  | Woven                                 |
| (YL-UNC)                                      | (PK –UNC)             | (WH-UNC)               | (BL-UNC)                 | (GR-UNC)               | (FABRE)                               |
| Paper<br>Fine Grit<br>J & X Wt.<br>Paper/Poly | 120 grit and<br>finer | 120 grit to 60<br>grit | 100-40 grit<br>high flex | 60 grit and<br>coarser | Air Tools &<br>Non-Woven<br>Abrasives |



# **SPECIFICATION**

| Model<br>Number | (Mass)   |         | Tensile Strength (Min.) |              | Application Notes                         |  |
|-----------------|----------|---------|-------------------------|--------------|---|--|
|                 | Metric   | English | Metric                  | English      |   |  |
| T1930           | 0.069 mm | 0.0027" | 175 N/cm                | 100 lbs./in. | ultra-thin, replace lap, J-Weight         |  |
| T1880           | 0.094 mm | 0.0037" | 290 N/cm                | 165 lbs./in. | thin, versatile, highest flex             |  |
| T1882           | 0.145 mm | 0.0057" | 402 N/cm                | 230 lbs./in. | most versatile, strength & flex           |  |
| T1884           | 0.185 mm | 0.0073" | 542 N/cm                | 310 lbs./in. | high flex & tensile,<br>uniform thickness |  |
| T1886           | 0.239 mm | 0.0094" | 595 N/cm                | 340 lbs./in. | strong abrasion and<br>hinge resistant    |  |
| T1878           | 0.198 mm | 0.0078" | 392 N/cm                | 224 lbs./in. | air tools, surface conditioning           |  |

Standard Bias Angle: 55°, 67°, 75° (reverse angles indicated by the letter "R" after model number)

Standard Roll Widths: 19 mm (¾") and 25.4 mm (1") Standard Roll Lengths: 100 meter, (200 meter available)

NOTE: Please consult Customer Support for complete details about our products.

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# BELT MAKING PROCEDURE

#### **SPLICE PREPARATION**

- 1. Cut belts to desired angle.
- 2. Abrade ends with wire brush, sandblast, etc.
- 3. Apply adhesive to both belt ends and the yarn side of the splicing tape.



|               | Adhesive<br>Formulation      | Weight                            | Volume         |
|---------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| Resin:        | Sheldahl® Brand<br>Adhesives | 100 parts by weight at 20% solids | 100 volumes    |
| Curing Agent: | NE-S                         | 9-11 parts by weights             | 8 - 10 volumes |

NOTE: Adhesive can be applied using a roller coater or brush and is compatible with spray equipment when diluted. Allow adhesive to dry at room temperature for 10-20 minutes or 4 to 6 minutes at 66°C (150°F).

## RECOMMENDED COATING GAP

| Product Type        | Coating Gap                         |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| T1880, T1882, T1878 | 300-400 microns plus tape thickness |
| T1884 and T1886     | 550-650 microns plus tape thickness |

Allow adhesive to dry at room temperature for 20-40 minutes.

## **PRESSING**

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Place pre-tacked belt in bonding press with a release sheet/press pad configuration to prevent bonding to the heated bars.

| Press Cycle  | Metric                              | English          |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| Temperature: | 40°C to 60°C                        | 104°F to 140°F   |
| Pressure:    | 140 to 210 kg <sub>f</sub> /sq. cm. | 2000 to 3000 PSI |
| Time:        | 10 seconds                          | 10 seconds       |

Adhesive open time is dependent upon coating thickness, press temperature and room environment.

#### ADHESIVE/CURING AGENT OR HARDNERS

Sheldahl<sup>®</sup> Brand Adhesives (See PB-1000) and Curative NE-S.

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