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Product Description	8959 is a general purpose tape reinforced with two directional (cross weave) glass filaments.
Key Features	The ScotchPro™ polypropylene backing provides excellent abrasion, moisture and scuff resistance. The adhesive is specially formulated to provide good adhesion to fiberboard surfaces.

Construction

Adhesive Type	Synthetic Rubber Resin (Hot Melt)
Backing	BOPP
Reinforcement	Glass Yarns
Total Thickness AFERA 5006	130 µm
Core size (ID)	76 mm (3")
Colour	Transparent

Performance Characteristics

Adhesion to Stainless Steel AFERA 5001	9,0 N/cm
Tensile Strength AFERA 5004	280 N/cm
Elongation at Break AFERA 5004	6 %
Static Shear AFERA 5012	2000+ minutes

Storage	Store in clean dry place. Temperature of 21 °C and 50 % relative humidity are recommended.
Shelf Life	Scotch 8959 has a shelf life of 12 months from date of dispatch by 3M.
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