

TC 437US POLYESTER THERMOPLASTIC FILM ADHESIVE

KEY FEATURES

- Moderate activation temperature
- Excellent adhesion to textiles
- Good plasticizer resistance

DESCRIPTION

Bostik's TC 437US is a thermoplastic, copolyester film adhesive for product assembly and automotive interior applications. With moderate activation temperature and fast set speeds, it helps keep production energy usage to a minimum and lines running smoothly. Additionally, it possesses good temperature and plasticizer resistance which improves enduse product durability. TC 437US also bonds to a variety of textiles along with vinyls and foams, to increase design options.

PACKAGING

TC 437US film is sold in roll form. Rolls are typically 2000 linear meters long rolls on a 152 mm (6 IN) inner diameter core. For further packaging details please contact your Bostik sales or technical representative.

SHELF LIFE

TC 437US must be stored away from heat (< 30°C/86°F), humidity and light. The shelf life is 12 months under these conditions.

HEALTH AND SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Please refer to Safety Data Sheet for complete details.



TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Description	Results
Appearance	Transparent film
Thickness	20 microns (0.8 mils) ¹
Width	1290 mm (51 IN) ¹
DSC Melting Range	120-135°C / 248-275°F
Tensile Strength	~18 MPa (2600 PSI) ²
Elongation at Break	400-500% ²
Density	1.24 g/cm ³

¹ For more options please contact your Bostik sales or technical representative

² Tested following internal procedure at 100 mm/min

APPLICATION TECHNIQUES

TC 437US can be activated by applying heat and pressure to the film against the substrate. This can be done using a heat press, but other equipment can be used.

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