

### Commercial Solutions Division

# 3M™ Safety-Walk™ General Purpose Anti-slip

## Series 600

Product 3M™ Safety-Walk™ General Purpose Anti-slip Adhesive Tape Series 600 consist of abrasive particles bonded by a durable polymer to a dimensionally stable plastic film. The reverse side is coated with a rubber based pressure Description sensitive adhesive, covered by a removable protective liner. The product provides an improved durable, slip resistant surface for a large variety of applications.

> Primarily for use as a durable, slip resistant surface for dry, wet, oily floors in industrial and commercial applications with intensive pedestrian or light vehicle traffic such as: corridors, production and storage rooms, ramps, stairways, ladders, footplates on machines, emergency exits.

**Product Line** 

620	Clear
630	Yellow
640	Green
660	Brown

Sizes The Safety-Walk General Purpose Tapes are available in different roll width and in different pre-cut treads. Please contact your local 3M contact for further information.

Accessories 3M Primer (non exhaustive list)

- 3M<sup>™</sup> Tape Primer 83 - 3M™ Primer 94

- rubber hand roller

3M Safety-Walk Edge Sealer

- 3M™ Edge Sealing Compound

## **Product Characteristics**

These are indicative values for unprocessed products.

Contact your 3M representative for a custom specification.

### Physical & Application Property and Test Method

Thickness (without liner) 1.01 mm Weight (without liner) 732 g/m<sup>2</sup>

Resistance to UV good can be used for outdoor application

Value / Result

Fire behaviour Classification

EN 13501-1: 2010 Bfl s1

**EU Building and Construction** EN ISO 9239-1: 2010

Slip Resistance Classification DIN 51130: 02.2014 R = 13 $(\mu \ge 0.71)$ 

Displacement volume ۷4 +4°C Minimum Application Temperature

Service Temperature -29°C to +66°C

The values above are the results of illustrative lab test measurements and shall not be considered as a commitment from 3M.

Chemical Resistance Water

R

R = Recommended for non continuous Soap (1% Ivory Flakes in water) R immersion

Detergent (1% Dreft in water) R I = Recommended for intermittent exposure

Bleach (5.25% sodium Hypochlorite)

1% Sodium Hydroxide NR = Not recommended IC = Can stand incidental contact, if thorough 1% Hydrochloric Acid R

NR

weekly cleaning/rinsing

25% Sulfuric acid in water

Isopropyl Alcohol (25%) R Methyl Ethyl Ketone Mineral Spirits NR Trichloroethylene NR Peanut Oil R

Hydraulic Fluid (Skydrol 500B) R Motor Oil R Gasoline (unleaded) IC Diesel fuel 50% Anti-freeze in water R Wind screen washer fluid R

Storage Shelf life 5 years from the date on the original box

> Storage conditions! +4°C to +38°C, out of sunlight, original container in clean area, humidity: 50% -

R

60%.

The shelf life as defined above remains an indicative and maximum data, subject to many external and non-

controllable factors. It may never be interpreted as warranty.

Disposal Post-consumer waste can be disposed of in appropriate containers and/or be incinerated.

Origin Made in USA

Salt Water

Converted in France.

Source of Supply France

## **Durability**

When exposed to pedestrian traffic only, the product will stand at least 1 million crossings (approx. 3 years if 1,000 people walking over every day).

Wheeled traffic will significantly reduce product life.

## Surface **Preparation**

Make sure surface is clean, dry, smooth and above minimum temperature of application.

Repair or replace any damaged or broken surface.

Remove chipped, cracked or peeled paint from surface.

Strip waxed floors prior to washing.

Use appropriate cleaner or solvent wipe to clean surface.

Type of surface Recommended preparation

Bare metal, polyethylene, Solvent wipe

polypropylene

Painted metal, painted plastics, Solvent wipe or degrease wash, rinse and let dry

painted wood, gel-coated

fiberglass, epoxy floors

Porous concrete Degrease wash, rinse and let dry

Painted concrete Degrease wash, rinse and let dry

Vinyl tile, marble, terrazzo, Strip off floor finish, wash, rinse and let dry

ceramic

Quarry tile Degrease wash, rinse and let dry

## Application Tools needed:

rubber hand roller or rubber mallet

- Individual pieces should be spaced a minimum of 12 mm apart and a maximum of 50 mm apart.
- 2. Round the corners of any pieces cut from rolls.
- 3. Peel protective liner back about 50 mm from one end and position piece on surface. Note: minimize touching (contaminating) adhesive with fingers.
- Continue to remove liner and press firmly in place as liner is removed.
- For small pieces, peel liner off piece. Holding piece by its edges, curve it gently with the adhesive side out. Align the middle of the piece over the middle of the target surface and press down.
- Finally press into firm contact with surface using a rubber hand roller by starting in middle and rolling out towards edges.
- On steps, apply 3M Safety-Walk materials 12 to 15 mm from stair edge to prevent edge curl and premature

### Helpful hints for proper application

#### Rough or smooth, porous surfaces:

Prime coat with a 3M primer is recommended for proper adhesion.

3M Safety-Walk materials can be applied on most painted surfaces which are in good condition and will adhere as well as the base paint. Painted surfaces must be thoroughly dry before the application.

### Treated and untreated wood:

Wood surfaces must be sealed or painted before application of 3M Safety-Walk materials.

#### Immersed surfaces:

Do not apply 3M Safety-Walk materials on surfaces with constant water contact or moisture seepage.

#### **Grouted floors:**

Do not bridge over grouting, cracks or breaks in all surfaces. Cut into smaller pieces.

#### Kitchen and greasy floors:

Application of 3M Safety-Walk materials is not recommended for guarry tile in commercial kitchens (because guarry tiles are often impregnated with grease).

#### Wet areas:

For extra protection from excessive moisture or liquids (not constant moisture) use 3M Edge Sealer to protect the edges of 3M Safety-Walk materials against penetration of liquids.

## **Priming**

- Properly clean the floor following "surface preparation" procedure.
- Use a paint brush and paint on a thin coat of primer where the 3M Safety-Walk 280 materials are to be applied.
- Allow the primed area to dry thoroughly (no evidence of stickiness or tackiness) before applying 3M Safety-Walk material.

## Maintenance

Periodically inspect product application to maintain product effectiveness.

Keep free of dirt and other residue that might impair functionality.

General purpose treads should be decked-brushed regularly.

Use appropriate degreaser/cleaner as a general maintenance cleaner to keep material and surrounding surfaces free of soil and grease.

## Removal and Replacement

To remove and replace worn or torn material:

Start by pulling up old material. Use of a heat gun and a scraper will assist in this process.

After total removal of old materials, use a degreaser or solvent based cleaner to remove adhesive residues before proceeding with re-application of 3M Safety-Walk materials.

## Remarks

This bulletin provides technical information only.

Important notice

All questions of warranty and liability relating to this product are governed by the terms and conditions of the sale, subject, where applicable, to the prevailing law.

Before using, the user must determine the suitability of the product for its required or intended use, and the user assumes all risk and liability whatsoever in connection therewith.

Additional information Visit the web site of your local subsidiary at www.3M.eu/facilities.com for getting:

- a complete product overview about materials 3M is offering



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