# DEC INTERNATIONAL **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**



# **MOUNTING INSTRUCTIONS FIXING & SEALING**



#### **GOLDEN RULE:**

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For all of the products of the tapes and sealants group the next golden rule is mainly in force:

#### THE SURFACE HAS TO BE CLEAN, DRY AND FAT-FREE

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ASB	max. adhesion after 24 hours (press firmly)
PSB	max. adhesion after 24 hours (press firmly)
ALU	low percentage of elongation
ALU-R	can be applied at temperatures below zero
PVC	adhesion relative weak
DUCT	adhesion relative weak
GT	high percentage of elongation

Points of attention

high percentage of elongation SDS ventilate during processing **WDS** storage/processing frost resistant

#### **USERS GUIDE ASB/PSB**

THE SURFACE HAS TO BE CLEAN, DRY AND FAT-FREE.

The application temperature must be higher than 5°C. Particularly when the tape is going to be attached at a lower temperature it should be pressed firmly. Applicate on round (PSB/ASB) or square (ASB) ducts. A max stretch (PSB) of 3% is allowed and will help the tape to set itself on the duct. If the duct has a diameter >250mm, some clearance between the ducts can be expected due to tolerances; we advice to use only ASB width 75mm or wider. Use an overlap of 5cm or larger. Do not use PSB for outdoor applications.

### **DEC PRODUCTS**

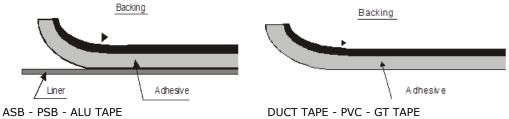
### 1/SELF ADHESIVE TAPE

- PSB (polyethylene foil) - ASB (aluminium foil)

#### 2/SEALANTS

- WDS606 (waterbased mastic) - SDS400 (solvent based mastic)

# **CONSTRUCTION**



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#### SOME CATEGORIES/NAMES

#### Aluminium tapes

Cloth tapes **PVC** tapes Polyethylene tapes Foam tapes

backing

#### Bitumen tapes

Butyl tapes Acrylic tapes Silicone tapes

adhesive

#### Packaging tapes

Splicing tapes Electrical tapes First aid & hospital tapes Corrosion tapes Duct sealing tape

application

**PSB** = Polyethylene tape (backing)

(application/function) = Duct sealing tape

= Cold shrinking tape (property) = (Butyl rubber tape) (adhesive)

**ASB** = Aluminium tape (backing) (application) = Duct sealing tape

= Cold shrinking tape (property) = (Butyl rubber tape) (adhesive)

#### SPECIFICATION

cold shrinking tape specially made for duct sealing

Backing: light grey polyethylene Adhesive: hotmelt (PSA)

Liner silicone treated paper

tape specially made for duct sealing **ASB** 

Backing: aluminium foil Adhesive: hotmelt (PSA)

Liner silicone treated paper

#### **EXPRESSIONS**

Adhesion: the strength which connect 2 materials together (tape and substrate)

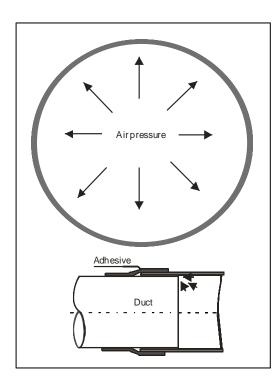
Cohesion: the mutual connection force between parts (molecules) in an adhesive.

Tack: the quick binding capability; It is the property which enables an

adhesive to form a bond with a surface of another material upon brief

contact under light pressure

Cold flow: material (adhesive) is seeking its lowest level with respect to gravity



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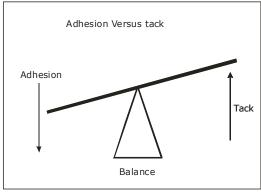


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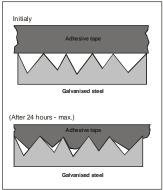


**FIXING & SEALING** 

# ADHESION VERSUS TACK



# ADHESIVE TAPE TO BE APPLIED ON GALVANISED MATERIAL



ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES				
PSB		ASB		
ADVANTAGES	DISADVANTAGES	ADVANTAGES	DISADVANTAGES	
100 % airtight flexible by stretching more tape aborbs oil saves labour costs DIN 4102 B2	material price not suitable for wet surfaces	100 % air tight absorbs oil high tack/ high adhesion saves labour costs DIN 4102 B2	material price not suitable for wet surfaces cannot be stretched	

# The tapes are non toxic and contains no solvents!!

ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES WDS606/SDS400				
WATERBASED SEALANTS (WDS606)				
ADVANTAGES	DISADVANTAGES			
not harmful not flammable environmentally friendly can be applied by brush adheres on surfaces with some moisture long shelf life easy cleaning 100 % use	drying time depends on humidity limited for outdoor application			
SOLVENT BASED SEALANTS (SDS400)				
ADVANTAGES	DISADVANTAGES			
short drying time (fast skinning) application does not depend on weather adheres on slightly oily surfaces not flammable (dry)	harmful inflammable (wet) not environmentally friendly can only be used in well ventilated places limited shelf life			

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