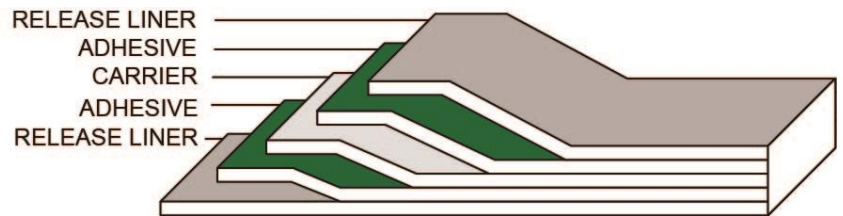


ARclad® 8458 is a double-coated tape with silicone adhesive on either side of a polyetherimide carrier film. This tape is designed for use in high and low temperature applications requiring excellent long-term stability.

**PRODUCT APPLICATIONS**

The typical use for this product is for flexible circuits, gaskets and flexible heaters where a wide service temperature range is required.



**FEATURES AND BENEFITS**

- High performance pressure-sensitive silicone adhesive
- Tear resistant release liner
- Outstanding high/low temperature performance
- Easy to die cut and apply
- Excellent UV, moisture and chemical resistance

Product Construction			
	Typical Values*		Description
Liner thickness	2.0 mil	51 µm	Clear PET release liner
Adhesive thickness	2.2 mil	56 µm	Silicone adhesive
Carrier thickness	1.0 mil	25 µm	Polyetherimide film
Adhesive thickness	2.2 mil	56 µm	Silicone adhesive
Liner thickness	2.0 mil	51 µm	Clear PET release liner
Total thickness	5.4 mil	137 µm	(Excluding liner)

\*All stated values are nominal and should only be used as a guide for selection. They are not specifications.

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Technical Properties			
Attribute*	Typical Values*		Test Method*
Peel adhesion on stainless steel (both sides) (180°, 12 in/min, 5 min dwell)	60 oz/in	17 N/25.4 mm	ASTM D3330
Static shear (both sides) (23 °C, 0.25 in <sup>2</sup> , 1000g)	> 1440 min		ASTM D3654
Liner release (both sides) (180°, 300 in/min)	21 g/2 in		ASTM D5375
Maximum temperature	500 °F	260 °C	
Service temperature	-67 °F – 392 °F	-55 °C – 200 °C	
Recommended storage of unconverted product	70°F ± 77°F 50% ± 20% RH	21°C ± 11°C 50% ± 20% RH	
Shelf life of unconverted product	Not to exceed one year from date of manufacture		

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#### For best results...

- 1) The surfaces you wish to bond should be clean and free of oil, moisture and dust. If the surface temperature is below 40 °F, it may be difficult to achieve a proper bond.
- 2) Do not use a pressure-sensitive adhesive product where it will be exposed to temperatures lower or higher than those designated for each product. Heat can destroy the effectiveness of the bond and extreme cold can cause the adhesive to harden and not adhere properly.
- 3) When the tape is applied, use firm hand or lamination pressure to achieve contact between the adhesive and the surface to which it is applied. Hand rollers or nip rollers may be needed for certain products or applications.

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