# ETM-C31 Mil-spec 3:1 continuous tubing

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ETM-C31 is a flat continuous format heat shrink tubing suitable for wire and cable marking. This basic method provides a low cost solution suited for repetitive markers. Supplied on a continuous reel the tubing can be thermally printed and cut by hand, or with a printer cutter/perforator attachment.



## **Ordering information**

#### ETM-C31 standard spools

Sleeve Diameter	Part Number (WHITE)	Part Number (YELLOW)	Pack Size
2.4	ETM-9-024C31-30M	ETM-4-024C31-30M	30M
3.2	ETM-9-032C31-30M	ETM-4-032C31-30M	30M
4.8	ETM-9-048C31-30M	ETM-4-048C31-30M	30M
6.4	ETM-9-064C31-30M	ETM-4-064C31-30M	30M
9.5	ETM-9-095C31-30M	ETM-4-095C31-30M	30M
12.7	ETM-9-127C31-25M	ETM-4-127C31-25M	25M
19.0	ETM-9-190C31-25M	ETM-4-190C31-25M	25M
25.4	ETM-9-254C31-20M	ETM-4-254C31-20M	20M
38.1	ETM-9-381C31-20M	ETM-4-381C31-20M	20M



All dimensions are in mm

#### ETM-C31 bulk spools

Sleeve Diameter	Part Number (WHITE)	Part Number (YELLOW)	Pack Size
2.4	ETM-9-024C31-50M	ETM-4-024C31-50M	50M
3.2	ETM-9-032C31-100M	ETM-4-032C31-100M	100M
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38.1	ETM-9-381C31-60M	ETM-4-381C31-60M	60M



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## **Black High Performance Ribbon**

1966-RIBBON 100mm x 300M
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Compatible with the following printer models: T2212, T200-IDENT, T3212, T3224, TE3112, TE3124, EOS1, EOS2 and SQUIX.



## **External Reel Holder**

# UNIVERSAL-REEL-HOLDER UNI-REEL-ADAPTORS

Designed to hold spools of heat shrink.

The adaptors slide on to the spindle and hold the spool in a central position allowing the tubing to be back-fed to the printer.





# **Technical Data**







## **Standard Colours**

White and Yellow.
Other colours on request.

#### **Material**

Radiation cross linked polyolefin. Flat printable continuous sleeving. 3:1 shrink ratio.

## **Operating Temperature**

-40°C to +135°C

**Shrink Temperature** >90°C

### Mark permanence

SAE AS81531:1998, point 4.6.2

# **Chemical & solvent resistance**

MIL-STD-202G method 215J

#### **Standards**

UL 224 125°C 600V VW-1 (recognised file E203950)

CSA 125°C 600V Certified (certified file 220127)

SAE-AMS-DTL-23053/5 Class 1&3

#### Regulations

REACH and RoHS compliant

#### **Print Method**

Thermal transfer

## **Storage**

Store in original packaging. Recommended storage environment is +10°C to +25°C and 50% relative humidity.

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## **Physical**

Properties	Test Method	Typical Value
Tensile strength	ASTM D 638	≥14 N/mm²
Elongation at break	ASTM D 638	≥400%
Longitudinal change	SAE-AMS-DTL-23053	0%2%
Specific gravity	ASTM D 792	1.34g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Secant modulus	ASTM D 882	65 Mpa

#### **Electrical**

Properties	Test Method	Typical Value
Dielectric strength	UL 224	15 kV/mm
Volume resistivity	ASTM D 876	3.1 x 10 <sup>14</sup> Ω cm
Voltage rating	UL 224	600V
Die-electric voltage (2.5kV x 60s)	UL 224	Pass. No breakdown.

#### Chemical

Properties	Test Method	Typical Value
Fungus resistance	ASTM G 21	Pass. No growth.
Fluid resistance (after 24hrs at 23°C)	SAE-AMS-DTL-23053	7.25 - 14 MPa

#### **Thermal**

Properties	Test Method	Typical Value	
Heat shock (4hrs at 250°C)	SAE-AMS-DTL-23053	Pass.	
Elongation heat ageing (4hrs 158°C)	SAE-AMS-DTL-23053	≥400%	
Copper corrosion (168hrs at 158°C)	SAE-AMS-DTL-23053	Pass	
Stability against copper (168hrs at 158°C)	SAE-AMS-DTL-23053	Pass	
Low temp flexibility (4hrs at -55°C)	SAE-AMS-DTL-23053	No cracking	
Flammability	UL 224	VW-1 pass	

# **Tubing Dimensions 3:1**

Size (mm)	Supplied ID (mm)	Recovered ID (mm)	Recovered Wall Thickness (mm)
2.4	2.79	0.79	0.57
3.2	3.64	1.0	0.61
4.8	5.26	1.6	0.67
6.4	6.92	2.4	0.71
9.5	10.2	3.2	0.77
12.7	13.5	4.75	0.80
19.0	20.1	6.4	0.84
25.4	26.7	8.47	0.86
38.1	39.8	12.9	0.89

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