3M Scotchmate[™] Nylon Reclosable Fasteners

Product Selection Guide

Products	3M [™] Scotchmate [™] Nylon Reclosable Fasteners Plainbacked Products				
	Loop SJ3401 SJ3418FR	<u>Hook</u> SJ3402 SJ3419FR			
	Pressure Sensitive Adhesive				
	Unnapped Loop	Napped Loop SJ3518FR SJ3523 SJ3527N	<u>Hook</u> SJ3519FR SJ3522 SJ3526N		
	SJ3529	SJ3571 SJ3531 SJ3533N	SJ3572 SJ3530 SJ3532N		
Product Description	3M TM Scotchmate TM Reclosable Fasteners offer closure alternatives to zippers, screws, snaps, hooks, bolts and more. They offer greater design flexibility, faster product assembly, smoother and cleaner exterior surfaces and improved product performance in many applications. The hook and loop fasteners consist of two strips of nylon fabric which engage to form a quick fastening attachment. Simply pull the strips apart by hand to disengage.				
	The woven hook backing is covered with flexible self supporting J shaped hooks, about 300 hooks per square inch (46/sq. cm.) protruding up from a woven backing. The woven loop backing is covered with thousands of soft, pliable loops, providing for thousands of openings and closings (cycles). The loops can be napped or unnapped providing higher cycle life. The hook and loop are preshrunk to insure maximum dimensional stability and flatness.				
	These Scotchmate reclosable hook and loop fasteners can be coated on the backside with various pressure sensitive adhesives.				
	Plainbacked Products				
	3М [™] Scotchmate [™] Reclosable Fastener SJ3402 Hook • 3М [™] Scotchmate [™] Reclosable Fastener SJ3401 Loop Standard Sew-on: These standard products provide a tailored appearance for garments and fabrics. They provide adjustable closure, and are washable and dry cleanable.				
	3M TM Scotchmate TM Reclosable Fastener SJ3419FR Hook • 3M TM Scotchmate TM Reclosable Fastener SJ3418FR Loop				

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Flame Resistant Sew-on: Improved flame resistance compared to Scotchmate reclosable fasteners SJ3402/01 hook and loop, meets F.A.R. 25.853 paragraph (a)(1)(i) and (a)(1)(ii). These are 60 and 12 second vertical burn tests, respectively.

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Product Description (continued)	Pressure Sensitive Adhesive (PSA) Products				
	These products allow hook and loop fasteners to be attached to substrates with the convenience and ease of adhesive attachment. Simply peel off the liner and press in place.				
	 3M[™] Scotchmate[™] Reclosable Fastener SJ3526N Hook • 3M[™] Scotchmate[™] Reclosable Fastener SJ3527N Loop General Purpose Rubber PSA: Suitable for indoor applications requiring higher temperature performance than 3M[™] Scotchmate[™] Reclosable Fasteners SJ3529/31 and SJ3500 These general purpose products offer high adhesive bond to a wide varier of materials, especially low surface energy materials such as polyethylene and polypropylene while providing excellent moisture resistance. 				
	3M [™] Scotchmate [™] Reclosable Fastener SJ3572 Hook • 3M [™] Scotchmate [™] Reclosable Fastener SJ3571 Loop Premium Performance Acrylic PSA: For many static load applications exposed to UV or elevated temperatures. Provides reliable performance over a wide range of temperature and environmental extremes.				
	3M [™] Scotchmate [™] Reclosable Fastener SJ3522 Hook • 3M [™] Scotchmate [™] Reclosable Fastener SJ3523 Loop Plasticizer Resistant Acrylic PSA: A unique pressure sensitive adhesive which resists adhesive softening or oozing caused by most plasticizer oils in flexible vinyl and similar materials. This offers convenient attachment to many flexible, plasticized vinyls.				
	 3MTM ScotchmateTM Reclosable Fastener SJ3519FR Hook • 3MTM ScotchmateTM Reclosable Fastener SJ3518FR Loop Flame Resistant Synthetic Rubber PSA: A high performance flame resistant adhesive, enabling these hook and loop fasteners to meet the requirements of F.A.R. 25.853 paragraph (a)(1)(i) and (a)(1)(ii). These are 60 and 12 second vertical burn tests, respectively. 				
	3M TM Scotchmate TM Reclosable Fastener SJ3530 Hook • 3M TM Scotchmate TM Reclosable Fastener SJ3531 Napped Loop • 3M TM Scotchmate TM Reclosable Fastener SJ3529 Unnapped Loop High Tack Synthetic Rubber PSA: Suitable for many indoor applications, especiall to low surface energy materials such as polyethylene and polypropylene.				
	3M TM Scotchmate TM Reclosable Fastener SJ3532N Hook • 3M TM Scotchmate TM Reclosable Fastener SJ3533N Loop General Purpose Synthetic Rubber PSA: Suitable for many indoor applications, especially to low surface energy materials such as polyethylene and polypropylene.				

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	Plaind	acked	Pressure Sensitive Adhesive Coated						
Hook: Loop: Unnapped Loop:	SJ3402 SJ3401	SJ3419FR SJ3418FR	SJ3526N SJ3527N	SJ3519FR SJ3518FR	SJ3530 SJ3531 SJ3529	SJ3532N SJ3533N	SJ3572 SJ3571	SJ3522 SJ3523	
Adhesive Type:	None	None	Rubber ^a	Rubber ^a	Rubber ^a	Rubber ^a	Acrylic	Acrylic	
Liner on Adhesive ^b :	None	None PE & Red 3M Logo	White PE & Red 3M Logo	White PE	Yellow PE	Yellow 3.5 mil PP & White 3M Logo	Clear PE	Clear	
Standard Widths, Inches (mm) ^c : ± 1/16 in. (1.6 mm)									
1/2 (13)	~	~	~	_	~	_	~	~	
5/8 (16)	>	~	>	~	~	~	~	~	
11/16 (17.5)	_	_	~	_	_	_	_	-	
3/4 (19)	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	
1 (25)	>	~	>	~	~	~	~	>	
11/4 (32)	_	_	~	_	~	_	~	_	
1 ¹ / ₂ (38)	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	
2 (51)	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	
21/2 (63.5)	_	_	_	_	_	_	~	_	
3 (76)	~	_	-	_	_	_	~	~	
4 (102)	~	~	~	-	~	-	~	~	
Standard Colors ^d :	Black Beige White	Black Beige	Black Beige White	Black Beige White	Black Beige White	Black Beige White	Black Beige White	Black Beige White	
Standard Roll Length ^e , yds. (m):	50 (45.7)	50 (45.7)	50 (45.7)	50 (45.7)	50 (45.7)	50 (45.7)	50 (45.7)	50 (45.7	
Fabricated Forms Available:	Cut Pieces	Cut Pieces	Cut Pieces	Cut Pieces	Cut Pieces	Cut Pieces	Cut Pieces	Cut Pieces	
Shelf Life ^f :	2 Years	2 Years	1.5 Years	1.5 Years	1.5 Years	1.5 Years	2 Years	2 Years	

a. All of our rubber adhesives contain synthetic rubber with no added latex.

b. PP: Polypropylene; PE: Polyethylene.

c. Not all widths for all products or colors may be available. Contact your 3M sales representative or 3M authorized distributor for widths not listed.

d. Slight tan or yellow may be observed on white with rubber based adhesives. All products are available in additional non-standard colors. Contact your 3M sales representative or 3M authorized distributor for pricing minimum quantities and lead times.

e. Under packaging conditions 70°F (21°C) and 50% R.H.

f. From date of manufacture, when stored in original packaging at 60° to 80°F (16° to 27°C and 40 to 60% relative humidity.

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Typical Closure Performance Characteristics	 Note: The following technical information and data was collected under controlled laboratory conditions and should be considered representative or typical only and should not be used for specification purposes. 3MTM ScotchmateTM Reclosable Fasteners derive their strength from the area of engagement as well as closure pressure. Vibration or side to side movement tends to improve closure performance. Closure characteristics are indicated by typical values. 				
	Dynamic T-Peel, lb./inch width (grams/cm width); ASTM D5170:	2.6 (466)			
	Dynamic Shear, pounds force/square inch (Newtons/cm²); ASTM D5169:	10 (6.9)			
	Dynamic Tensile, pounds force/square inch (Newtons/cm ²):	8 (5.5)			

AttachmentThe following information is intended to assist the designer considering the use of
3MTM ScotchmateTM Reclosable Fasteners. Final product performance depends on
actual conditions, including the fastener selected, the conditions in which the fastener
is applied and the time and environmental conditions in which it is expected to
perform. Because many of these factors are uniquely within the user's knowledge and
control, it is required that the user evaluate the 3M product to determine whether it is
fit for a particular purpose and suitable for the user's method of application and desired
end use.

As a general rule, four square inches of Scotchmate reclosable fastener area per pound of static load to be supported is suggested as a starting point for evaluation. More or less area may be needed depending on specific conditions or end use applications.

There are typically six different methods for attaching Scotchmate reclosable fasteners to various surfaces. For complete details on techniques and options for attaching fasteners, please see Attachment of 3MTM ScotchmateTM and Dual LockTM Reclosable Fasteners technical bulletin (70-0709-3929-6). The most important techniques for these Scotchmate reclosable fastener products are summarized on page 5.

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Attachment Techniques (continued)	Pressure Sensitive Adhesive attachment: The 3M TM Scotchmate TM Reclosable Fasteners and adherend surfaces should have equilibrated for a minimum of 1 hour at temperatures of 68°F (20°C) or greater before application. These adhesive backed Scotchmate reclosable fasteners should be applied to surfaces that are smooth, dry and free of oils, mold release agents or other surface contaminants.					
	The adherend should be cleaned to remove any surface contaminants with an appropriate cleaning method for the customer's substrate, type and quantity of surface contaminants that need to be removed. Note: Follow the manufacturer's precautions and directions for use of the cleaning method(s) chosen.					
	After the adherend is clean, the liner is removed from the fastener and without touching the adhesive, the Scotchmate reclosable fastener is applied to the surface using firm roller pressure to help ensure complete adhesive contact to substrate. Adhesive bond strength increases with time, as the adhesive flows into the substrate structure. Handling strength is achieved immediately. Approximately 50% of ultimate bond strength is achieved at room temperature in the first 20 minutes, 90% after about 24 hours and 100% after about 72 hours for acrylic adhesives. For the rubber based adhesives, 100% bond strength is obtained in about 24 hours.					
	Heat (Press) Bonding: 3M [™] Scotchmate [™] Reclosable Fasteners SJ3526N, SJ3530, SJ3519FR and SJ3532N hook and SJ3527N, SJ3529, SJ3518FR, SJ3531 and SJ3533N loop can be attached to many fabric and foam articles with a technique called press bonding. The Scotchmate reclosable fastener is adhered to the article, as indicated above, and bond strength is increased by typically applying heat and pressure to the adhesive side of the Scotchmate reclosable fastener fastener through the fabric or foam article. Equipment can range from a simple household laundry iron to commercial press units. Product performance will depend on the nature of the fabric or foam and other conditions within any specific application. For this reason it is essential that the user evaluate the Scotchmate reclosable fastener product to determine if it is fit for a particular purpose and suitable for the user's method of application.					
	Typical press bonding conditions:Bonding Temperature:250 to 425°F (121 to 218°C)Bonding Pressure:30 to 100 psi (207 to 690 kPa)Bonding Time:3 to 30 seconds					
	Mechanical Attachment: The bond strength can be increased by mechanically attaching it to difficult to adhere to surfaces such as textured plastics and wood by using staples. Alternatively wood products can be sealed and pressure sensitive adhesive backed fastener applied as discussed above.					
	Sewing 3M TM Scotchmate TM Plainbacked Reclosable Fasteners can be attached with manual or semi-automatic sewing machines, generally utilizing the same thread used in the garment or fabric. Six to ten stitches per inch (25.4 mm) is suggested. These products					

Ultrasonic Bonding

are washable and dry cleanable.

Scotchmate plainbacked reclosable fasteners can be bonded to themselves or other nylon fabrics with ultrasonic sealing equipment. This method can be used to provide straps and other fabricated forms.

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General Information

3MTM ScotchmateTM Pressure Sensitive Reclosable Fasteners can be bonded to a wide variety of materials. Some are listed below. Because product performance will depend on actual conditions within any specific application, it is essential that the user evaluate the Scotchmate product to determine if it is fit for a particular purpose and suitable for the user's method of application.

		3M™ Sc	otchmate™	Reclosable F	asteners	
Hook: Loop: Unnapped Loop:	SJ3526N SJ3527N	SJ3572 SJ3571	SJ3522 SJ3523	SJ3519FR SJ3518FR	SJ3530 SJ3531 SJ3529	SJ3532N SJ3533N
Bare Metals:	~	~	~	~	~	~
Painted Metals:	~	~	~	~	~	~
Powder Paint:	~	-	-	~	~	~
Fiberglass:	~	-	-	~	~	~
Structural Composites:	~	-	-	~	~	~
Glass:	~	~	~	~	~	~
Sealed Wood:	~	~	~	~	~	~
Plastics –						
ABS:	~	~	~	~	~	~
Acrylic:	~	~	~	~	~	~
Polycarbonate:	~	~	~	~	~	~
Polystyrene	~	~	~	~	~	~
Rigid Vinyl:	~	~	~	~	~	~
Plasticized Vinyla:	_	-	~	_	-	_
Polypropylene:	~	-	_	~	~	~
Polyethylene:	~	_	_	~	~	v

a. When attaching to plasticized vinyl (flexible PVC), evaluation for plasticizer migration is recommended. Adhere the fastener to the vinyl and age for seven days at 158°F (70°C) and inspect for signs of migration of plasticizer oils indicated by softness or oozing of the adhesive.

Choosing Polyester or Nylon Reclosable Fasteners

3MTM ScotchmateTM Reclosable Fasteners are available in polyester or nylon hook and loop configurations. There are performance and use differences that may be experienced when using these products. The following table lists the differences between the two types of fasteners to aid in selecting the best fastener material for the customers final product.

	Nylon		Polyester*		
Cycle Life	5,000		1,000		
Moisture Gain (wt%)	<10		<1		
Dynamic Closure Tensile (Ib _F /sq. in)	7.5		10		
Dynamic Closure Shear (lb _F /sq. in)	4.8		18		
Wet Strength	Loses strength		Retains strength		
Resistance to Sunlight	Fair UV resistance (esp. the loop)	Hook - Fair Loop - Good	Very good		
Combustion Gases	Polyester may produce less toxic off gases under certain flammability conditions.				

*Please refer to our 3M[™] Scotchmate[™] Polyester Reclosable Fastener Product Selection Guide to review available polyester hook and loop products.

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