## PRODUCT DATA INFORMATION



### **SEWFREE ADHESIVE (3415)**

CONSTRUCTION / SEWFREE ADHESIVE

#### PRODUCT BENEFITS

Sewfree adhesive is engineered to replace elastics and bulky sewn seams in garments. It allows for sleeker lines, softer corners and stronger seams. 3415 features a low modulus and high recovery and is designed to be used on heat sensitive fabrics where low temperature activation and high elasticity is required.

Intimates: V-fold, lay-down edge treatment, gasket cut wing, fully bonded wing and embellishments

Outerwear / Performance: Overlap seams, pocket attachment, zipper attachment, die cut openings and hems

Hand Feel: Soft

Certifications: OEKO-TEX®

#### **COMPOSITION**

Ester Polyurethane

#### **THERMAL & PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

STOCKED COLOR	Clear	
STOCKED WIDTH	1524mm (60") — product can be slit to requested widths, no less than 4 mm (.16")	
GAUGE	50 μm (.002"), 75 μm (.003"), 150 μm (.006")	
ADHESIVE WEIGHT	$31 \text{ g/m}^2 \text{ (per } 25  \mu\text{m)}$	
RELEASE LINER	Silicone Coated Paper	
SOFTENING POINT	83°C (181°F)	
MELT FLOW INDEX	45 dg/min at 175°C / 2.16 kg	
GLUE LINE TEMPERATURE <sup>1</sup>	110°C to 140°C (230°F to 284°F)	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Glue Line Temperature relates to the temperature the adhesive must reach during bonding to achieve optimal bond strength.

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#### **DURABILITY TESTING**

Modulus & Recovery:

GAUGE	MODULUS OF 25.4MI	RECOVERY AFTER 100% Elongation at a rate of 304mm (12") per minute	
50 μm (.002")	@ 40% of original length	@ 100% of original length	96%
	0.8 lbf/in	1.4 lbf/in	

Wash/Dry: Excellent up to 60°C

#### RECOMMENDED BONDING CONDITIONS<sup>2</sup>

FLAT PRESS:		CONTINUOUS BONDIN	CONTINUOUS BONDING MACHINE:	
TEMPERATURE	120°C to 130°C	TEMPERATUR	E 200°C to 250°C	
TIME	20 to 30 seconds	PRESSUR	E 14.3 psi (1.0 bar)	
PRESSURE	40 to 60 psi (2.8 to 4.2 bar)	SPEE	1.5 to 2.0 m/min	

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Recommended bonding conditions will vary between machinery, fabrics and applications. Optimal bonding conditions should be established by Bemis and the customer for each application prior to production.