

Our specialty tapes for all process and design requirements

# A complete package for future-proof packaging

Our decades of experience as one of the world's leading manufacturers of self-adhesive tape have not only resulted in a comprehensive product assortment; we at tesa also focus very much on our customers' processes, their value chains, and we constantly strive to understand and solve process needs.

#### Future-proof packaging solutions to us include:

- · A comprehensive product assortment, constantly adapting to market needs
- · A strong focus on design for recycling, that helps to achieve packaging sustainability goals
- Partnerships with tape applicator providers for efficient processes
- Close collaboration with design centers to assist in state-of-the-art packaging designs
- · Exchanging with brand owners to support in enhancing brand appeal at end users

#### Close cooperations

Of particular importance to the corrugator industry is not only our dedicated team of tape experts, but also our support when it comes to **in-line applicator solutions**. We are in constant exchange with the producers of applicator systems, and when we develop a new product, we make sure it's thoroughly tested together with our applicator partners for smooth and high-speed processes at the corrugator line.



Unboxing experiences at end users are becoming more important, and that includes sustainability perception of a brand. We work together with brand owners and packaging design centers to collaboratively develop the packaging solutions of tomorrow. Our clear focus is on delivering the highest quality and creating adhesive tape solutions that integrate seamlessly into attractive packaging designs. These solutions are designed to be recyclable together with the board material after use (Cepi recyclability laboratory test method, version 2).

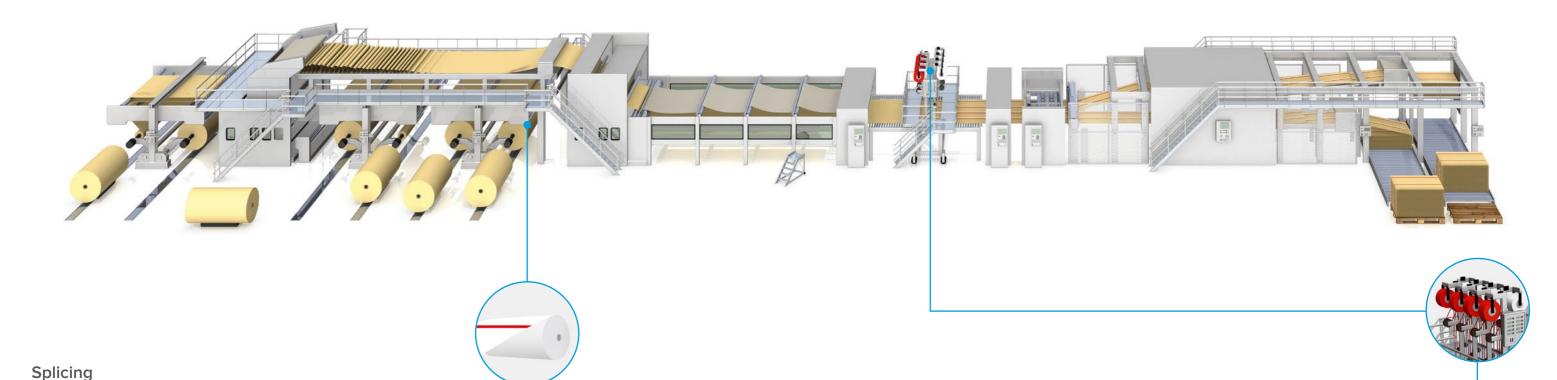
#### A focus on more sustainable solutions

Recyclability of packaging is essential. This can be achieved by 'mono-material packaging', avoiding the use of plastic material, which of course also applies to integrated self-adhesive tapes. At tesa, we aim to develop more sustainable adhesive solutions and products. Which is why we have developed a **next generation of corrugator design tapes** - the paper-based answer to a growing demand for recyclable tape solutions for opening, closing, and reinforcement applications.



#### Our paper-based solutions tick the following boxes when it comes to more sustainable aspects:

- · Paper backings from sustainably managed sources
- Solvent-free coating processes
- 100% recycled paper core
- Designed for recycling: disposable with the board material (Cepi recyclability laboratory test method, version 2)



To splice different paper grades of liner and flute, we offer a comprehensive assortment of double-sided splicing tapes. All ensure a fast splice preparation and offer high tack for secure splicing as well as heat and shear resistance for a stable corrugated production process. Special adhesive formulas and high coating weights ensure highest performance and secure bonds, even on rough and demanding surfaces.

### Complementary products

Besides the here-mentioned main self-adhesive tape applications in corrugated board production, we also offer a large assortment of complementary products. Our dedicated sales team will assist in choosing the most suitable tape for your process needs, whether it is for roller wrapping to provide extra "grip", for failure flagging, end tabbing, or general purpose tape applications, to only name a few.

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Applied in-line at the "dry end" of your corrugator production line, our self-adhesive specialty tapes for closing, opening, and reinforcing boxes offer highest production efficiency and process security, even at high production speeds.

#### Closing

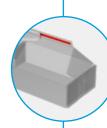
Secure closing of corrugated boxes is a matter of transport safety and premium appearance. Our assortment of double-sided tape combines well-balanced adhesion properties with different types of tape backings and liner materials, so you can always find the perfect solution to your specific application and in-line process needs.

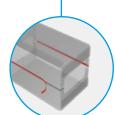
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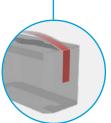
Increase user-friendliness and therefore customer satisfaction by adding our self-adhesive "tear tapes" to your corrugated packaging. Tapes can be applied in-line during production and offer excellent adhesion properties as well as reliable performance during the opening of different grades of corrugated boxes. Opening tear tapes are also available as paper-based tapes.

#### Reinforcing

Add extra strength to your packaging solution when needed with our assortment of reinforcement tapes. So while reducing board thickness and weight, you can still increase maximum load and support critical areas like die-cut handles or hand holes.







# Splicing

Product	Adhesion to paper	Temperature resistance	Backing	Adhesive	Liner	Total thickness [μm]
tesa® 4960	• •	•••	Non-woven	Acrylic	Brown paper	100
tesa® 50605	••	• •	Non-woven	Acrylic	White paper	90
tesa® 50607	•••	• •	Non-woven	Acrylic	White paper	120
tesa® 50658	•••	• •	Non-woven	Acrylic	Brown paper	120
tesa® 68144	••	••	Non-woven	Acrylic	White paper	100

## Closing

	Product	Adhesion to paper	Temperature resistance	Color	Backing	Adhesive	Paper	Film (red)	Finger- lift	Friction (white)
2	tesa® 61346	•••	•	0	Paper	Synthetic rubber	<b>~</b>		<b>✓</b>	
	tesa® 64624	•••	•	$\otimes$	PP	Synthetic rubber	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	
2	tesa® 51970 tesa® 61970	•••	••	$\otimes$	PP	Tackified acrylic	<b>✓</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>
2	tesa® 6965 Next Gen	••	•••	$\otimes$	PET (90% PCR)	Tackified acrylic (biomass-balanced)	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	
2	tesa® 6190 Combitape	••	•••	$\otimes$	PET (90% PCR)	Tackified acrylic (biomass-balanced)		<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	

## Opening

	Product	Total thickness [μm]	Color	Backing	Adhesive	Tensile strength [N/cm]	Elongation at break [%]
2	tesa® 51344	220	0	Paper	Synthetic rubber	145	12
2	tesa® 51334	160	0	Paper	Synthetic rubber	100	4
	tesa® 53494	133	0	MOPP	Synthetic rubber	345	25
	tesa® 51230	90	•	MOPP	Synthetic rubber	165	25
	tesa® 51235	111	•0	Co-ex/MOPP	Synthetic rubber	180	40

# Reinforcing

	Product	Total thickness [μm]	Backing	Adhesive	Tensile strength [N/cm]	Elongation at break [%]	Cut-stop function
2	tesa® 51345	220	Paper	Synthetic rubber	145	12	
	tesa® 53027	125	MOPP	Synthetic rubber	350	35	
	tesa® 50060	175	Cross filament	Synthetic rubber	230	20	<b>✓</b>
	tesa® 50020	72	TPP	Natural rubber	180	40	









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