APPLIANCE Sourcing Guide





KEY APPLICATION SOLUTIONS

ASSEMBLY

ATTACHING & MOUNTING TAPES

Double sided tapes attach spacers, trims, nameplates, bumpers, gaskets and more

HIGH BOND FOAMED ACRYLICS

Offer structural bonding strength without the mess and delays caused by liquids and fasteners

MASKING PRODUCTS

Mask off components before painting with general area films, paper masking tapes, fine line tapes, and powdercoating masking film tapes

ANTI-SLIP MATERIALS

Low skid PU foams keep shelves from sliding or act as foot pads to keep appliances stable

FOILS

Coil attachment and heat reflection

FOAMING

AIR GAS/VENTING

Porous tapes and foams are used to seal venting holes while allowing air and gas to escape

MASKING TAPES

Used to hold on trim pieces during the foam injection process

BONDING & MOUNTING

Double sided tapes are used to secure bolt spacers and fixtures to cabinet walls

HOLE COVERING TAPES

Foil tapes and heavy duty clear tapes are used to cover holes and seams to prevent foam leaks

GASKETING

PVC FOAMS

Seal against air, dust, and moisture between components, and along seams

VINYL NITRILE FOAMS

Used for seaming areas that are exposed to higher temperatures, or where higher insulation value is needed

SILICONE RUBBER, SPONGE, & FOAM

Create thermal and electrical insulation around lighting, heaters, and electrical fixtures

SOUND & TEMPERATURE CONTROL

Sound absorbing and heat reflective materials are used around compressors, motors, and evaporator coils to control sound and manage heat

TRANSPORTATION

STRAPPING & BUNDLING

Filament and removable tensilized polypropylene tapes secure shelves and drawers, or help bundle parts together

PROTECTIVE SPACING PADS & SPACERS

Foam and rubber protective pads prevent movement or load shifts during transportation

SURFACE PROTECTION TAPES

Protect components from dings, dents, and scratches during production and transportation



CASE STUDY Oven Door Assembly

Customer Need

Our customer, an appliance manufacturer, was using an expensive high bond, double coated foam in an oven door assembly as gap attachment and filling. Their previous supplier was stacking two tapes together that were separated by aluminum foil. This method was somewhat useful but was not the right thickness. Additionally, there were waste and delay issues with the foam parts merging back together on the rolls after having been cut. <u>Read more</u> about how the Budnick team helped create a custom product and converting process to improve productivity, reduce scrap, and improve quality.

WHY BUDNICK? We're Converting Things Others Can't

Custom Products and Services Enhance Your Productivity

The Budnick team partners with our customers to increase the performance of both the product and the process. We offer thousands of materials from dozens of manufacturers and convert to the most user-friendly form for each of your unique applications. These customized solutions can reduce your overall costs and simplify the application and/or removal of adhesive coated parts. With specialists in sourcing, engineering, prototyping, dispensing, and applying your tape, we work hard to identify your best solution.

The Converting Experts

Our development specialists average more than 20 years of experience in the tape industry. With instant access to technical gurus at 12 major tape manufacturers and an internal support team of more than 25 people, we can quickly resolve challenging custom application issues, source the optimal material, engineer the ideal part, and convert your material to exacting tolerances.

Your Satisfaction is Our Priority

Budnick is a customer-focused organization. To fully understand your needs and drive value for your company, we partner with you to learn your business, your unique applications, and the needs of your job function.

We're Easy to Work With

While we have great systems and procedures in place, we realize that sometimes you have special circumstances and you just need some friendly help to get out of a jam - so we empower our associates to do what it takes to keep you running.



Your experienced Budnick team is here to help with application issues. We'll help you get the optimal product for your unique applications. With over 65 technologically advanced converting machines to custom slit, die cut, print, spool, laser, and waterjet cut custom parts, Budnick can reduce your processing time and costs, while improving your quality.

SERVICES

Application Engineering In-Line Laser Cutting **Rewind Slitting** Lathe Slitting **Rotary Die Cutting** Flatbed Die Cutting Traverse Winding (Spooling) XY Axis Table Plotter Sheeting

Laminating Perforating Waterjet Cutting **Flexographic Printing** Inkiet Printing Sequential Numbering **Bar Coding** Island Placement Adhesive Coating

Pattern Coating Extended Liners Private Labeling & Packaging **Custom Fabricating** Large Adhesives Inventory **Inventory Management Contract Converting Project Consulting** Prototyping

ADHESIVE AND NON-ADHESIVE MATERIALS

Double Coated Tapes Adhesive Transfers Non-Woven Materials Foams (adh. or no) **High Bond Acrylics Masking Papers Filament Tapes Cloth Tapes** Laminates **UHMW** Material **Tensilized Polypropylene** Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) **Unplasticized PVC**

Banner Ups® SEGDesign[™] (Silicone Edge Graphics) Polymide Polyester Polypropylene Paper Foil Polyethylene Polyurethane Polytetrafluoroethylene Glass Cloth Label Stocks Gaskets

Films Plastics Rubber Heat Activated Tapes Water Activated Tapes Sound Damping **Beclosable Fasteners Rubber and Plastic Extrusions** Silicone Sponge and Rubber Fabrics and Textiles Magnetic Stocks and Tapes

NEED HELP WITH AN APPLICATION? CONTACT US TODAY!

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