Information and installation instructions for self-adhesive mounting bases

HellermannTyton uses different types of adhesives for self-adhesive bases: acrylate and synthetic rubber. These differ in the operating temperature range and the 'pull off' force of the adhesive. Synthetic rubber has an excellent initial grip, allowing for almost immediate use. Acrylate adhesive has less initial grip, so there is a need to wait for a few hours before use, but has a higher 'pull off' force than synthetic rubber. This enables a permanent fixing lasting months or even years.

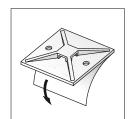
ADHESIVE		Adhesive Operating Temperature
Synthetic rubber with base of polyethylene foam	Synthetic rubber T50	-20 °C to +50 °C
	Synthetic rubber T60	-40 °C to +60 °C
Acrylate with base of polyurethane foam	Acrylate	to +105 °C
Acrylate with base of acrylic foam	mod. Acrylate	-30 °C to +120 °C

Instructions for use

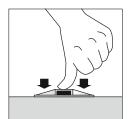




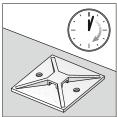
1. The surface must be dry, free from dust, oil, oxides, parting agents and other impurities. The surface to be glued should be cleaned using a clean cloth and isopropanol / water (50/50). When using other appropriate cleaning agents, ensure that they do not attack the surface nor leave any residues. After cleaning allow the surface to air-dry completely.



2. Peel off protective backing and ensure the adhesive area is not touched.



3. Press down firmly on the base with the thumbs for several seconds.



4. Depending on the type of adhesive, wait for several minutes (synthetic rubber) or hours (acrylate) so that the adhesive can bond completely with the surface.

Advantages of our self-adhesive mounts with mod. Acrylate (SolidTack / FlexTack)

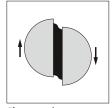
- Acrylic Foam Tape is made from a homogeneous system of high performance acrylic adhesive
- Very good initial bond
- High temperature resistance
- Adhesive offers design freedom, no need for bolts or screws
- Reduces the risk of corrosion, no need for boreholes



We will be happy to send you on request an up-to-date technical datasheet for whichever adhesive you are using.

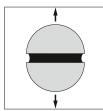
- · Weight reduction compared to mechanical mounting
- Possibility to optimize production processes and to reduce production cost (bonding vs. screwing)
- Can compensate unevenness up to a certain degree
- Specially developed for low energy surfaces

Load types on adhesive bonds



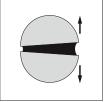
Shear resistance.

Shear force pulls the adhesive surfaces in opposite directions along a parallel line.



Tensile strength.

Tension force pulls surfaces apart perpendicular to the adhesive bond.



Cleavage resistance.

Cleavage can occur where forces acting on bonded surfaces are not evenly spread but concentrated along a single line.



Peel adhesion.

Peeling force acts on a small amount of adhesive at the edge of the tape and weakens the adhesive bond. At least one adherend is flexible.