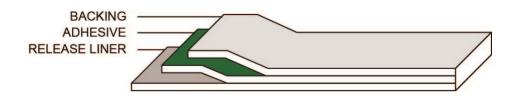
# **Product Information Sheet ARcare® 7815**



ARcare® 7815 is a single sided acrylic PSA with a clear carrier and a clear polyester liner.

## **PRODUCT APPLICATIONS**

The typical use for this product is bonding, laminating and assembly of in-vitro diagnostic and related membrane-based immunoassay products.



### **FEATURES AND BENEFITS**

- Non-migratory and inert acrylic adhesive
- Easy to die-cut
- Allows lateral flow in membrane-based devices
- Suitable for sterilization processes

Product Construction					
	Typical Values*		Description		
Backing thickness	2.0 mil	50 μm	Clear polyester film		
Adhesive thickness	1.0 mil	25 μm	AS-110, medical grade acrylic adhesive		
Liner thickness	2.0 mil	50 μm	Clear polyester release liner		
Total thickness	3.0 mil	75 μm	(Excluding liner)		

<sup>\*</sup>All stated values are nominal and should only be used as a guide for selection. They are not specifications.

## **SAFETY DATA**

AS-110 is a medical grade adhesive. The adhesive passed cytotoxicity and primary skin irritation tests conducted by an independent laboratory. Additional safety information is available upon request.

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Technical Properties						
Attribute*	Typical Values*		Test Method*			
Peel adhesion on stainless steel	75 oz/inch	20.5 N/25mm	180 degrees, 12 ipm, 5 min. dwell			
Recommended storage of	70°F ± 20°F	21°C ± 11°C				
unconverted product	50% ± 20% RH	50% ± 20% RH				
Shelf life of unconverted product	Not to exceed two years from date of manufacture					

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Pressure-sensitive adhesive tapes function as a mechanical product; however, the adhesive itself is a chemical composition that can be sensitive to environmental conditions. A purchaser of pressure-sensitive adhesive products should be aware of the shelf life of each product and not purchase more than it can use before the expiration date. Shipping and storage conditions affect shelf life. The optimum storage temperature is 70 °F (21 °C). Cool, dry storage is recommended.

#### For best results...

- 1) The surfaces you wish to bond should be clean and free of oil, moisture and dust. If the surface temperature is below 40°F, it may be difficult to achieve a proper bond.
- 2) Do not use a pressure-sensitive adhesive product where it will be exposed to temperatures lower or higher than those designated for each product. Heat can destroy the effectiveness of the bond and extreme cold can cause the adhesive to harden and not adhere properly.
- 3) When the tape is applied, use firm hand or lamination pressure to achieve contact between the adhesive and the surface to which it is applied. Hand rollers or nip rollers may be needed for certain products or applications.

Consult your AR sales representative if you need additional information.

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