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**TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION** 

# Hercules® Megatape



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## **PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance Gray Tape
Density 0.70 to 1.00 g/c³
Pressure Rating\* 10,000 psi
Temperature Range -450° F to 500° F
Tensile Strength 1245 to 2500 psi

Thickness 0.0035"
Shelf Life Indefinite

\*Pressure rating is relative to the torque and quality of the threads and the amount of tape used.

## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

For threads up to  $1-\frac{1}{2}$ " diameter, use  $\frac{1}{2}$ " width of thread seal tape. For larger diameter threads, use  $\frac{3}{4}$ " or 1" width of thread seal tape. Clean the male and female threads of any oil or dirt. Apply the thread seal tape a minimum of three wraps, using care to wrap in the direction of the thread rotation. Be sure to keep tension on the tape while wrapping. Do not overlap the tape on the ends of the fitting.

### **PRECAUTIONS**

Read all cautions and directions carefully before using this

### **COMMON APPLICATIONS**

Hercules Mega Tape can be used on plastic, brass, copper, aluminum, stainless steel, galvanized steel or black iron piping.

NOT FOR USE WITH LINES CARRYING OXYGEN.

Consult Oatey Technical Department for applications not specifically referenced above.

#### **INGREDIENT**

Virgin PTFE

When used for the intended end use application, this product is considered an "article" as defined in OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200(c).

#### **APPROVALS AND LISTINGS**

Meets UL 31 RO and 7N15 MH18499

PRODUCT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	UPC
15100	1/2" X 1000", 3.5 mil Thick Grey PTFE Tape	50032628151005
15110	3/4" X 1000", 3.5 mil Thick Grey PTFE Tape	50032628151104
15120	1" X 1000", 3.5 mil Thick Grey PTFE Tape	50032628151203