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ABOUT THIS REPORT

Scope & Method

This report forecasts US pressure sensitive tape demand and production in square meters to 2020. Total demand is segmented by product in terms of:

- carton sealing
- masking
- double-sided
- medical
- electrical and electronic
- other products such as adhesive transfers, transparent consumer and office stationery tapes, and bundling and strapping tapes.

Excluded from the scope of this report are water-activated/gummed, heat-activated, and other non-pressure sensitive tapes; related pressure sensitive items such as adhesive bandages and medical patches, pipeline tapes, contact papers, and protective films; and pressure sensitive adhesive (PSA) labels.

Total demand is also segmented by backing material as follows:

- polypropylene
- paper
- polyvinyl chloride
- other backing materials such as cloth, foam, and rubber.

To illustrate historical trends, total demand is reported at five-year intervals for 2005, 2010, and 2015; total production and the various demand segments are provided for 2010 and 2015.

This report quantifies trends in various measures of growth. Growth (or decline) expressed as an average annual growth rate (AAGR) is the least squares growth rate, which takes into account all available datapoints over a period. Growth calculated as a compound annual growth rate (CAGR) employs, by definition, only the first and last datapoints over a period. The CAGR is used to describe forecast growth, defined as the expected trend beginning in the base year and ending in the forecast year. Readers are encouraged to consider historical volatility when assessing particular annual values along the forecast trend, including in the forecast year.

Key macroeconomic indicators are also provided at five-year intervals with CAGRs for the years corresponding to other reported figures. Other various topics, including profiles of pertinent leading suppliers, are covered in this report. A full outline of report items by page is available in the <u>Table of Contents</u>.



Sources

Pressure Sensitive Tapes: United States (FF30022) is based on <u>World Pressure</u> <u>Sensitive Tapes</u>, a comprehensive industry study published by The Freedonia Group in October 2016. Reported findings represent the synthesis and analysis of data from various primary, secondary, macroeconomic, and demographic sources including:

- firms participating in the industry, and their suppliers and customers
- government/public agencies
- national, regional, and international non-governmental organizations
- trade associations and their publications
- the business and trade press
- indicator forecasts by The Freedonia Group
- the findings of other industry studies by The Freedonia Group.

Specific sources and additional resources are listed in the <u>Resources</u> section of this publication for reference and to facilitate further research.

Industry Codes

The topic of this report is related to the following industry codes:

NAICS/SCIAN 2007 North American Industry Classification System		SIC Standard Industry Codes	
313230 322222 325520 339113	Nonwoven Fabric Mills Coated and Laminated Paper Mfg Adhesive Mfg Surgical Appliance and Supplies Mfg	2297 2672 2891 3842	Nonwoven Fabrics Coated and Laminated Paper, NEC Adhesives and Sealants Orthopedic, Prosthetic, and Surgical Appliances and Supplies

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