AUTOMOTIVE Sourcing Guide



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KEY APPLICATION SOLUTIONS

ASSEMBLY

EXTRUDED POLYMERS

Used to create seals along doors, windows, and other openings, and to adhere without any of the stress points of fasteners

EPDM FOAM TAPES

Prevent or fix air and moisture leaks

VINYL FILMS/HARNESSING

Designed for curtailing, mounting, and securing groups of wires in interior construction

CLOTH & DUCT TAPES

Sealing solutions to prevent corosion and protect against water and dust

GASKETING/SOUND DAMPING

Various foams and elastomeric sheets and gaskets reduce squeak, rattle, and vibration noise; or fill gaps to eliminate air and moisture leaks

PAPER MASKING

MASKING & FINISHING

Hand tearable and easily removable, conforms tightly around corners for less breakage and seepage

MASKING FILMS

Protect against bleedings or oversprays of solvents or clear coats on large surfaces

FINELINE MASKING

Provide sharp, crisp, flawless paint lines when precise color separation is necessary or desired

POLYESTER MASKING TAPES

Mask surfaces during powder-coated painting

DOUBLE COATED &

MOUNTING

TRANSFER TAPES Film tapes specially

designed for aiding in mounting headliners and fabrics, flooring, emblems, and more

DOUBLE COATED FOAM MOUNTING TAPES

Effective solutions for mounting and constructing interior emblems, dashboards, seat modules, and air bag components

HIGH BOND FOAMED ACRYLICS

High shear adhesive tapes are ideal for permanently mounting nameplates, logos, fascia, trim, glass, and seals

* Ask about our spooling service

TRANSPORTATION

DURABLE EXTERNAL PROTECTION MASK

Durable temporary protection films prevent damage to valuable parts during the transportation process and permanent films for long-term protection

GLASS PROTECTION FILMS

Designed to guard auto glass and mirrors against debris during transport

INTERIOR SURFACE PROTECTION FILMS

Film protection tapes protect a wide range of surfaces, including plastics, textiles, glass, and painted surfaces



CASE STUDY Custom Cut Butyl Cord

Customer Need

Our customer, an automotive supplier, had a new project for a door seal for which they identified a 4mm diameter, individual butyl cord as a fit for the application. However, the product was only available in rolls. The butyl required cutting to 50mm long pieces with four pieces on an individual sheet. It also could not be flattened during processing and had to remain round. <u>Read more</u> about how Budnick designed specific tooling and processes to create custom parts that saved time and improved 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

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