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This category covers rubber insulating tape for insulating joints and splices in electrical conductors where an outer covering of protective material, such as friction tape, is intended to be applied over the insulating tape.

This category also covers thermoplastic tape intended for use as the sole insulation and covering of joints and splices in electrical conductors.

This tape is suitable as electrical insulation at not more than 600 V and at temperatures not exceeding 80°C (176°F).

## PRODUCT MARKINGS

The wrapper or carton containing a single roll of tape, or the central paper core on which the tape is wrapped, is marked with (1) the manufacturer's name or trademark, (2) the catalog or type number, and (3) the words "For use at not more than 600 V and at not more than 80°C (176°F)," or an equivalent statement.

Tape determined to be flame retardant is marked "Flame Retardant."

Tape determined to be suitable for exposure to sunlight is marked "Sunlight Resistant."

Tape determined to be suitable to insulate splices while subjected to temperatures down to -10°C is marked "Cold Resistant."

## PRODUCT I DENTITY

One of the following product identities appears on the product:

Elect. Insul. Tape

Elec. Tape

Electrical Insulating Tape

Electrical Tape

Insul. Tape

Insulating Tape

Other product identities may be used as shown in the individual certifications.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional information, see Electrical Equipment for Use in Ordinary Locations (AALZ).

## **REQUIREMENTS**

The basic standard used to investigate products in this category is <u>UL 510</u>, "Polyvinyl Chloride, Polyethylene, and Rubber Insulating Tape."

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