

THUMB

YOU WILL NEED



Cut one strip of tape into two one-inch wide strips.



STRIPS ONE & TWO: Tear backing paper two inches from end to create starting anchors.



TO CREATE A HALF STRIP: Fold a full strip in half and cut folded edge rounding the

ALL COLORS of KT Tape® are designed to perform equally.

BEFORE YOU START

APPLY BEFORE ACTIVITY Apply one hour before beginning activity

> **CLEAN SKIN** Clean dirt, oils and lotions from area using rubbing alcohol

ACTIVATE ADHESIVE

After application rub tape vigorously to activate adhesive



Place your hand with your thumb up with the thumb tip pointed forward.





NO STRETCH

ANCHOR: Extend your thumb and place anchor with no stretch over your thumb tip and nail, directing the strip toward your wrist. Make sure the anchor is well adhered.





APPLY: Apply a moderate stretch, adhering the tape over the tendons of the thumb and wrist.



NO STRETCH

FINISH: With two inches remaining, lay the end down with no stretch. As you slowly flex your finger, apply the tape down onto your wrist and thumb.



ANCHOR: Apply second strip anchor with no stretch over the inside portion of your thumb, directing the strip toward your palm.



MODERATE STRETCH

APPLY: Wrap the strip around the outer part of your thumb with a moderate stretch as you turn your palm down



NO STRETCH

FINISH: With two inches remaining, lay the end down with no stretch on the back of your hand.



