

PRELIMINARY

Technical Data Sheet Product 5140

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

LOCTITE® Product 5140 is a single component, noncorrosive, self-levelling, room temperature vulcanising (RTV) silicone sealant. This product cures when exposed to atmospheric moisture to form a tough rubber coating. The cured elastomer resists weathering, moisture and ozone, and retains its flexibility up to 200°C. Meets requirements of MIL-A-46146B Group I Type II.

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

Specifically formulated for potting, sealing and coating of electronic devices, especially for military, automotive and industrial electronics.

PROPERTIES OF UNCURED MATERIAL

	Typical	
	Value	Range
Chemical Type	Alkoxy Silicone	
	Rubber	
Appearance	Clear Rubber	
Specific Gravity @ 25°C	1.05	
Viscosity @ 25°C, mPa.s (cP)		
Brookfield RVT, Method B		
Spindle 6 @ 2.5 rpm	85,000	30,000 to
		140,000
@ 20 rpm	35,000	15,000 to 55,000
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TYPICAL PROPERTIES OF CURED MATERIAL Physical Properties

(cured 7 days @ 50% RH & 23°C)	
Coefficient of thermal expansion, ASTM E831, /°C	2.93 x 10 ⁻⁴
Tensile Strength, ASTM D412, N/mm ²	2.8
(psi)	(400)
Elongation, ASTM D412, %	250
Hardness, ASTM D2240, Shore A	30
Water absorption, 24hrs. @ RT., ASTM D570, %	0.05
Tear (die B), ASTM D624, kN/m	17.5
(pli)	(100)
Non-volatile content, ASTM D2369, %	96
Water vapour transmission, ASTM E96, gram/hr./M ²	1.5
Tack free time, minutes	165

Electrical Properties

Dielectric constant & loss, ASTM	D150, 25°C	Constant	Loss
	@ 100 Hz	3.05	0.015
	@ 1 kHz	3.05	0.009
	@ 1 MHz	3.05	0.0016
Volume Resistivity, ASTM D257, Ω.cm			7.0 x 10 ¹⁶
Dielectric Strength, ASTM D149, kV/mm, 4mm		16	
film			

PERFORMANCE OF CURED MATERIAL

(cured 7 days @ 50% RH & 23°C)

Shear Adhesion Strength, ASTM	1 D1002,	
Aluminium to Glass, N/mm ²		1.7
	(psi)	(250)
Steel to Glass, N/mm ²		1.8
	(psi)	(260)
Glass to Glass, N/mm ²		1.7
	(nsi)	(250)

TYPICAL ENVIRONMENTAL RESISTANCE

The following tests refer to the effect of environment on strength. This is not a measure of sealing performance.

Heat Resistance

(7 days @ 200°C)

Tensile strength, ASTM D412, N/mm ²	1.8
(psi)	(260)
Elongation, ASTM D412, %	200
Hardness, Shore A, ASTM D2240	30
Hydrolytic Stability	
/A(100 -1 @ 0500 0 000/ DU)	

(After 28 days @ 95°C & 98% RH)

Tensile strength, ASTM D412, N/mm ²	1.7
(psi)	(250)
Elongation, ASTM D412, %	235
Hardness, Shore A, ASTM D2240	22

GENERAL INFORMATION

This product is not recommended for use in pure oxygen and/or oxygen rich systems and should not be selected as a sealant for chlorine or other strong oxidising materials.

For safe handling information on this product, consult the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS).

Where aqueous washing systems are used to clean the surfaces before bonding, it is important to check for compatibility of the washing solution with the adhesive. In some cases these aqueous washes can affect the cure and performance of the adhesive.

Directions for use

For best performance surfaces should be clean and free of grease or other contaminants . Full performance properties will develop over 72 hours. Moisture curing begins immediately after the product is exposed to the atmosphere, therefore parts to be assembled should be mated within a few minutes after the product is dispensed. Excess material can be easily wiped away with non-polar solvents.

In case of eye contact flush at least 15 minutes with water and seek medical attention. To avoid contact use the applicator nozzle provided.

Storage

Product shall be ideally stored in a cool, dry location in unopened containers at a temperature between 8°C to 28°C (46°F to 82°F) unless otherwise labelled. Optimal storage is at the lower half of this temperature range. To prevent contamination of unused product, do not return any material to its original container. For further specific shelf life information, contact your local Technical Service Centre.

Data Ranges

The data contained herein may be reported as a typical value and/or range (based on the mean value ±2 standard deviations). Values are based on actual test data and are verified on a periodic basis.

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