

9410 Technical Data Sheet

# One-part Epoxy, Electrically Conductive Adhesive, High $T_{\rm g}$

### Description

9410 is an electrically conductive, silver-filled, one-part epoxy adhesive. It is smooth, thixotropic, non-sagging, and bonds well to a wide variety of substances. It has an unlimited working life at room temperature and does not require frozen storage.

This product can create electrically conductive bonds where soldering is not an option, such as when bonding to heat-sensitive components, glass, soft metals, or conductive polymers. It also works well in semi-conductor packaging, micro-electronic attachment and lid-sealing, and as a die attach for small chips, LEDs and diodes. It does not require mixing and can be readily used in manual, pneumatic and robotic dispensing processes.

9410 has been formulated to have a high  $T_{\rm g}.$  For a lower  $T_{\rm g},$  use 9400.

### **Features and Benefits**

- Resistivity of 3.2 x  $10^{-4} \Omega \cdot cm$
- Minimum cure temperature of 90 °C [194 °F]
- Unlimited working life
- Shelf life: up to 12 months at room temperature
- T<sub>g</sub> of 120 °C [248 °F]
- Thermal conductivity of 3.0  $W/(m \cdot K)$
- Strong resistance to humidity, salt water, bases, and aliphatic hydrocarbons



# **Usage Parameters**

Properties	Value
Working life @22 °C [72 °F]	Unlimited
Shelf life @22 °C [72 °F]	<12 months <sup>a)</sup>
Full cure @22 °C [72 °F]	Heat cure only
Full cure @90 °C [194 °F]	1 h
Full cure @100 °C [212 °F]	30 min

a) 9410-30ML has a 6 month shelf life and requires refrigeration

# **Temperature Ranges**

Properties	Value
Constant service temperature	-55 to 140 °C [-67 to 284 °F]
Storage temperature	-10 to 27 °C [14 to 81 °F]



# **Cured Properties**

Physical Properties	Method	Value <sup>a)</sup>
Color	Visual	Silver grey
Density @25 °C [77 °F]	ASTM D 1475	3.15 g/mL
Hardness	Shore D Durometer	82D
Compressive strength	ASTM D 695	24 N/mm <sup>2</sup> [3 500 lb/in <sup>2</sup> ]
Lap shear strength (stainless steel)	ASTM D 1002	1.8 N/mm <sup>2</sup> [260 lb/in <sup>2</sup> ]
Lap shear strength (aluminum)	ASTM D 1002	1.6 N/mm <sup>2</sup> [230 lb/in <sup>2</sup> ]
Electrical Properties	Method	Value
Volume resistivity	Method 5011.5 in MIL-STD-883H	3.2 x 10 <sup>-4</sup> Ω·cm
Volume conductivity	Method 5011.5 in MIL-STD-883H	3.1 x 10 <sup>3</sup> S/cm
Surface resistivity @0.2 mm	Method 5011.5 in MIL-STD-883H	1.8 x 10 <sup>-2</sup> Ω <b>/</b> sq

Note: Specifications are for epoxy samples cured at 90 °C for 1 hour and conditioned at ambient temperature and humidity.

**a)** N/mm<sup>2</sup> = mPa; Ib/in<sup>2</sup> = psi



# **Cured Properties**

Thermal Properties	Method	Value
Glass transition temperature (Tg)	ASTM E 831	120 °C [248 °F]
CTE <sup>a)</sup> prior T <sub>g</sub> after T <sub>g</sub>	ASTM E 831 ASTM E 831	76 ppm/°C [169 ppm/°F] 94 ppm/°C [201 ppm/°F]
Thermal conductivity @25 °C [77 °F] @50 °C [222 °F] @100 °C [212 °F]	ASTM E 1461 92 ASTM E 1461 92 ASTM E 1461 92	3.0 W/(m·K) 3.1 W/(m·K) 2.4 W/(m·K)
Thermal diffusivity @25 °C [77 °F]	ASTM E 1461 92	2.4 mm <sup>2</sup> /s
Specific heat capacity @25 °C [77 °F]	ASTM E 1269 01	0.6 J/(g·K)

Note: Specifications are for epoxy samples cured at 90 °C for 1 hour and conditioned at ambient temperature and humidity.

**a)** Coefficient of Thermal Expansion (CTE) units are in ppm/°C = in/in/°C  $\times 10^{-6}$  = unit/unit/°C  $\times 10^{-6}$ 

# **Uncured Properties**

Physical Properties	Method	Value
Color	Visual	Silver grey
Viscosity @25 °C [77 °F]	Visual	Thixotropic paste
Density	ASTM D 1475	3.44 g/mL



#### Compatibility

**Adhesion**—9410 epoxy adheres to most plastics and metals used to house printed circuit assemblies; however, it is not compatible with contaminants like water, oil, or greasy flux residues that may affect adhesion. If contamination is present, first clean the surface to be coated with MG Chemicals 824 Isopropyl Alcohol.

For substrates with weak adhesion strength, surface preparation (such as sanding, or precoating with a suitable primer) may improve adhesion.

**Chemical**—The cured epoxy adhesive is inert under normal conditions. It can tolerate shortterm exposure to fuels or similar non-polar organic solvents, but it may not be suitable for prolonged exposure. Avoid using with strong acids, strong bases, or strong oxidizers.

#### Storage

Store between -10 and 27 °C [14 and 81 °F] in a dry area, away from sunlight. Some of the components are sensitive to air. To maximize shelf life, always recap product firmly when not in use.

# **Health and Safety**

Please see the 9410 Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for further details on transportation, storage, handling, safety guidelines, and regulatory compliance.

### **Application Instructions**

For best results, follow the procedure below. This product does not require mixing prior to use, and can be applied with a spatula, trowel, or automated dispensing machine.

#### Syringe or cartridge:

- **1.** Twist and remove the cap from the cartridge or syringe. Do not discard the cap.
- Dispense the adhesive evenly to both surfaces.
  a. For 30 mL size, insert the cartridge in the 8DG-30-1 dispensing gun (see Application Guide).
- 3. To stop the flow, pull back on the plunger.
- **4.** Clean nozzle to prevent contamination and material buildup.
- **5.** Replace the cap on the cartridge or syringe.

# **Cure Instructions**

#### Room temperature cure:

Do NOT cure at room temperature. This product will only cure at elevated temperatures.

#### Heat cure:

- Put in oven at 90 °C [194 °F] for 1 h. —*OR*—
- Put in oven at 100 °C [212 °F] for 30 min.



### **Dispensing Accessories**

Consult the table below for appropriate accessory selection. See the <u>Application Guide</u> for instructions on using the dispensing accessories.

Cat. No.	Dispensing Gun	Static Mixer
9410-3ML	N/A	N/A
9410-30ML	8DG-30-1	N/A

### **Packaging and Supporting Products**

Cat. No.	Packaging	Net Weight
9410-3ML	Syringe	9.42 g [0.33 oz]
9410-30ML	Cartridge	94.2 g [3.32 oz]

# **Technical Support**

Please contact us regarding any questions, suggestions for improvements, or problems with this product. Application notes, instructions and FAQs are located at <u>www.mgchemicals.com</u>.

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