

AS1603 1 Part RTV silicone adhesive sealant paste

Introduction

This is a 1-part, RTV (Room Temperature Vulcanising) silicone adhesive sealant. It is one in a range of Oxime cure products which are solvent free. It exhibits good primerless adhesion to many substrates especially plastics and cures rapidly at room temperature when in contact with atmospheric moisture. This product can be described as low corrosive but would not be recommended for use with copper or its associated alloys.

Key Features

- Thixotropic Paste
- Low corrosive
- Primerless adhesion to most plastics
- Low odour

Use and Cure Information

This product is a ready for use 1 Part system. If supplied in cartridges it can be applied using either manual or pneumatic dispensing guns. It can also be applied from bulk containers using conventional drum dispensing equipment.

All surfaces to which the sealant is to be applied should be clean, dry and free from grease, dirt, and loose material. Priming of surfaces is not normally required. If using as an adhesive, it should be applied to one clean surface and the other clean surface brought into contact with it within the tack free time stated opposite. For optimum bond strength, the thickness of the sealant joint should be a minimum of 1 mm.

The sealant will cure upon exposure to atmospheric moisture, ideally between 20 to 30 °C and 40% to 70% Relative Humidity. Time taken for cure will depend on the thickness of the joint, humidity and temperature. Joints should be left undisturbed for at least 24 hours, but preferably longer to effect sufficient depth of cure. Full cure requires 7 days.

“For pneumatic dispensing of 310 ml cartridges, the recommended pressure is 2.25 to 3.45 bar (40 to 50 psi). Dispensing pressure above the recommended limits may lead to gas bypassing the piston, causing spluttering at the nozzle and poor bead quality”

Health and Safety

Safety Data Sheets available on request.

Packaging

ACC Adhesives are available in a variety packaging including cartridges and bulk containers. Please contact our sales department for more information.

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Property

Uncured product

Appearance
Cure Type
Extrusion Rate g/min
FDA
Max Cure Hrs @ 25 °C
Rheology
Self Bonding
Tack Free Time mins

Test Method

CFR (21) 177.2600

Value

Translucent Paste
Oxime
390 g/min
No
12 hrs
Paste
Yes
5 mins

Cured product

After 7 days cure at 23°+/-2°C and 50+/-5% humidity

CTE Linear ppm/°C		295 ppm/°C
CTE Volumetric ppm/°C		888 ppm/°C
Colour		Translucent
Duro Shore A	ASTM D 2240-95	33
Elongation %	ISO 37	300 %
Linear Shrinkage %		0.8 %
Max Working Temp +°C	AFS_1540B	220 °C
Min Working Temp - °C		-50 °C
Modulus @ 100% Strain MPa		0.8 MPa
Modulus Youngs MPa		0.6 MPa
SG	BS ISO 2781	1.07
Tear kN/m	BS ISO 34-1	4.8 kN/m
Tensile MPa	ISO 37	2.15 MPa
Thermal Conductivity W/mK		0.2 W/mK
UL 94V-0		No

Storage

Max storage temperature °C	40 °C
Shelf life	12 mths

Electrical properties

Dielectric Constant @ 1kHz	ASTM D-150	3
Dielectric Strength kV/mm	ASTM D-149	18 kV/mm
Dissipation Factor @ 1kHz	ASTM D-150	0.0025
Surface Resistivity ohms	ASTM D-257	1.36E+15 ohms
Volume Resistivity ohms cm	ASTM D-257	8.7E+15 ohms cm

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