

SE2003

Characterisation

This is a 2-component, silicone elastomer specifically designed for electronic potting and encapsulation applications. It offers good protection against chemicals, environmental contamination, mechanical shock, vibration and impact damage. It can be applied in areas where low flammability is a prerequisite. The cured elastomer can be repaired. The component parts have relatively low viscosities and are easily mixed either by hand or machine.

Key Features

- Room temperature cure
- Non-corrosive
- Excellent thermal conductivity
- Resistant to reversion

Technical Data

	SE2003 Component A	SE2003 Component B		
Colour	White	Red		
Viscosity	40000	30000	mPa.s	Brookfield HBTD
	Mixture			
Cure Type	Addition			
Rheology	Viscous liquid			
Self-bonding	No			
Mixing Ratio	1:1		according to weight	
Mixed Viscosity	35000		mPa.s	Brookfield HBTD
Colour	Brick red			
Pot Life	60		min	
Max Cure @25°C	24		h	
Max Cure @100°C	30		min	
Cured product	After 7 days at 23°C +/- 2°C and 50% +/- 5% humidity			
CTE Linear	155		ppm/°C	
CTE Volumetric	465		ppm/°C	
Duro Shore A	80			ASTM D 2240-95
Working Temp.	-50 to 250		°C	AFS-1540B

Tensile	3.3	MPa	ISO 37
Elongation	40	%	ISO 37
Modulus Youngs	16.9	MPa	
Tear	3.21	kN/m	BS ISO 34-1
Linear Shrinkage	0.1	%	BS ISO 2781
SG	2.3		
Thermal Conductivity	1.27	W/mK	
UL 94V-0	No		
Electrical properties			
Dielectric Constant @1kHz	3.4		ASTM D-150
Dielectric Strength	22.5	kV/mm	ASTM D-149
Surface Resistivity	1.76E+15	Ohms	ASTM D-257
Volume Resistivity	3.00E+14	ohms*cm	ASTM D-257

Storability / Storage

With proper storage the product will have a shelf life of 9 months when stored at <40°C and protected from frost in a dry place, in original unopened containers.

The above given values are product describing data. Please consult the 'delivery specification' for binding product specifications. Further data about product properties, toxicological, ecological data as well as data relevant to safety can be found in the safety data sheet.

Application Technique

Application

IMPORTANT:

Component A of product contains the platinum catalyst; great care should be taken when using automatic dosing equipment. Please ensure that it is not contaminated by residual elastomers containing hydride as otherwise curing will result. If in doubt, it's advised to thoroughly purge the equipment with a suitable hydrocarbon solvent or silicone fluid.

Mixing

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Mix the required amounts of A and B by weight at the mix ratio shown above in a clean plastic or metal container of approximately 3 times their volume and mix until the colour of the mixture is uniform. For best results, we recommend degassing. Degas by intermittent evacuation, the larger the volume of the mixing vessel helps prevent overflow during this operation. In case of automatic dosing

with static mixing head, the two components should be degassed before processing. Recommended vacuum conditions are 30-50 mbar intermittently over 5-10 minutes. Cast the mixture by gravity or pressure injection.

Inhibition of Cure

Great care must be taken when handling and mixing all addition cured silicone elastomer systems, ensuring that all the mixing tools (vessels and spatulas) are clean and constructed in materials which do not interfere with the curing mechanism. The cure of the rubber can be inhibited by the presence of compounds nitrogen, sulphur, phosphorus and arsenic; organotin catalysts and PVC stabilisers; epoxy resin catalysts and even contact with materials containing certain of these substances e.g. moulding clays, sulphur vulcanised rubbers, condensation cure silicone rubbers, onion and garlic.

It is absolutely important to check the compatibility in preliminary tests if unknown substrates are used.

Safety

Please observe our EC safety data sheets and the safety remarks on our container labels when handling our products. The dangerous goods regulations and the accident prevention regulations of the professional associations must be particularly observed. Keep the EC safety data sheet of the applied product at hand since it provides you with useful instructions for the safe use and disposal of the product as well as actions to be taken in case of accidents.

We reserve the right to modify the product and technical leaflet.

Our department for applied technique is always at your service for further information and advice.

Our technical advice and recommendations given verbally, in writing or by trials are believed to be correct. They are neither binding with regard to possible rights of third parties nor do they exempt you from your task of examining the suitability of our products for the intended use. We cannot accept any responsibility for application and processing methods which are beyond our control.

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