

CV-2568

Controlled volatility RTV silicone

DESCRIPTION

- A low density, two-part, red, thixotropic RTV silicone
- 100:0.5 Mix Ratio (Base: Curing Agent)

Meets or exceeds the ASTM E 595 low outgas specifications outlined in NASA SP-R-0022A and European Space Agency PSS-014-702, with a TML of $\leq 1\%$ and CVCM of $\leq 0.1\%$

APPLICATION

- For applications requiring low outgassing and minimal volatile condensables under extreme operating conditions to avoid condensation in sensitive devices
- As a bonding, sealing, or potting material in electronic and space applications
- Provides radiation resistance, low thermal conductivity, oxidation stability, thermal stability and good ablative characteristics
- Especially useful to bond solar cells to solar array panels
- For applications requiring a broader operating temperature range

PROPERTIES

Typical Properties	Average Result	Standard	NT-TM
Uncured:			
Appearance	Red	ASTM D2090	002
Viscosity, Base	125,000 cP (125,000 mPas)	ASTM D1084, D2196	001
Work Time	4 hours	-	008
Cured: 7 days minimum at ambient temperature and humidity			
Specific Gravity	0.64	ASTM D792	003
Durometer, Type A	50	ASTM D2240	006
Tensile Strength	175 psi (1.2 MPa)	ASTM D412	007
Elongation	60%	ASTM D412	007
Lap Shear Strength (primed w/ SP-120)	100 psi (0.69 MPa)	ASTM D1002	010
Dielectric Strength	645 volts/mil (25.4 kV/mm)	ASTM D149	-

Typical Properties	Average Result	Standard	NT-TM
Coefficient of Linear Thermal Expansion			
-150°C to -115°C	70 (µm/(m°C))	ASTM D3386	-
-95°C to 250°C	180 (µm/(m°C))	ASTM D3386	-
Collected Volatile Condensable Material (CVCM)	0.04%	ASTM E595	072
Total Mass Loss (TML)	0.33%	ASTM E595	072

The test data shown for this material is the average value for typical properties. All of these properties may not be tested on a lot to lot basis and cannot be used to draft specifications. Please [contact](#) NuSil® for assistance and recommendations in establishing limits for product specifications.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Mixing

Stir base prior to curing agent addition. Thoroughly mix 0.5% by weight of curing agent to base by weight. Use of a pipette is recommended for dispensing small amounts of the curing agent.

Caution: The curing agent may cause skin irritation. In case of eye contact, irrigate with water immediately and seek medical attention.

Vacuum Deaeration

Remove air entrapped during mixing by common vacuum deaeration procedure, observing all applicable safety precautions. Slowly apply full vacuum to a container rated for use and at least four times the volume of the material being deaerated. Hold vacuum until bulk deaeration is complete.

Note: Some bonding applications may require the use of a primer. NuSil SP-120 silicone primer is recommended.

Adjustable Cure Schedule

Product cures at a wide range of cure times and temperatures to accommodate different production needs. [Contact](#) NuSil for details. Some cure schedules* include:

65°C (149°F)

>48 hours

100°C (212°F)

2 hours

Packaging

50 Gram Kit (0.051 kg)
100 Gram Kit (0.1025 kg)
250 Gram Kit (0.256 kg)

Warranty

6 Months

* Cure time defined as the time required for a knife coat layer ~0.02" to be removed from a release liner

OPERATING TEMPERATURE

The operating temperature range of a silicone in any application is dependent on many variables, including but not limited to: temperature, time of exposure, type of atmosphere, exposure of the material's surface to the atmosphere, and mechanical stress. In addition, a material's physical properties will vary at both the high and low end of the operating temperature range. This type of silicone typically remains flexible at extremely low temperatures and has been known to perform at -120°C (-248°F) as well as resist breakdown at elevated temperatures up to 300°C (572°F). The user is responsible to verify performance of a material in a specific application.

ROHS AND REACH COMPLIANCE

Please [contact](#) NuSil's Regulatory Compliance department with any questions or for further assistance

SPECIFICATIONS

Do not use the typical properties shown in this technical profile as a basis for preparing specifications. Please [contact](#) NuSil for assistance and recommendations in establishing limits for product specifications.

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