

## R-2550

# Wide service temperature range, translucent RTV silicone elastomer

#### **DESCRIPTION**

- Two-part, pourable, translucent RTV silicone
- Based on a dimethyl diphenyl silicone copolymer with a broad temperature range
- 100: 0.5 Mix Ratio (Base: Curing Agent)

### **APPLICATION**

- As a heat shielding material for potting, sealing and bonding applications
- For ablative coatings in aerospace applications that require a material that pours
- For applications in extreme temperatures
- For applications requiring an operating temperature range of -115 to 260°C (-178 to 500°F)

#### **PROPERTIES**

Typical Properties	Average Result	Metric Conv.	Standard	NT-TM
Uncured:				
Appearance	Translucent	-	-	002
Non-Volatile Content	100%	-	ASTM D2288	004
Viscosity	9,000 cP	9,000 mPas	ASTM D1084, D2196	001
Work Time	6 hours	-	-	008
Set up time	24 hours	-	-	-
Cured: 7 days minimum at ambien	t temperature and humidity			
Specific Gravity	1.08	-	ASTM D792	003
Durometer, Type A	35	-	ASTM D2240	006
Tensile Strength	500 psi	3.5 Mpa	ASTM D412	007
Elongation	175 %	-	ASTM D412	007
Tear Strength	20 ppi	3.5 kN/mm	ASTM D624	009



#### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE**

#### **Mixing**

Thoroughly mix just prior to use by adding 0.5% by weight catalyst to base. Work Time may be extended by using as low as 0.1% curing agent.

Caution: R-2550 catalyst may cause skin irritation. In case of eye contact, irrigate with water immediately and seek medical attention. (Standard catalyst is dibutyl tin dilaurate.)

#### Vacuum Deaeration

Remove air entrapped during mixing by common vacuum deaeration procedure, observing all applicable safety precautions. Slowly apply vacuum, up to 28 inches Hg, to a container rated for use and of volume at least four times that of material being deaerated. Hold vacuum until presence of air is no longer evident.

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

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

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#### **Packaging**

1 Pint Kit (458 g) 1 Gallon Kit (3.66 kg)

5 Gallon Kit (18.3 kg) 1 Drum Kit (202.5 kg)

## Warranty

6 Months

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