# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET My-T-Lok® 132 Thread Sealant

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## **Product Description**

My-T-Lok® 132 is designed for the hydraulic locking and sealing of threaded metal pipes and fittings. The product cures when confined in the absence of air between close fitting metal surfaces and prevents loosening and leakage from shock and vibration.

## **Special Feature:**

- Medium Viscosity
- Low Strength
- Reduces migration of liquid product after application to the substrate.

#### **Applications:**

- For the locking and hydraulic sealing of metal threaded pipes and fittings.
- Sealing of Hydraulic Fluid Connectors
- Sealing of Pneumatic Connectors and Joints
- Sealing of Engine Plugs / Threaded Core Plugs
- Particularly suitable for use on stainless steel without the need for surface activation

# **Properties**

Technology : Acrylic Chemical Type : Dimethacrylate

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Component : One component

Appearance : Blue Specific Gravity @ 25 °C : 1.06

Viscosity @ 25±2 °C, : 500 - 1000 cP

Brookfield, Spindle #2,

Speed 20 r.p.m.

Cure : Anaerobic
Secondary cure : Activator
Strength : Low

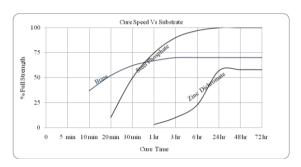
Service Temperature : -50 °C to 150 °C Application : Thread Sealant

## **Curing Performance**

The product cures when confined in the absence of air between closed fitting metal surfaces. Although functional strength is developed in a relatively short time, curing continues for at least 24 hours before full chemical/solvent resistance is developed.

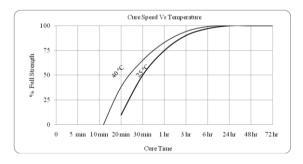
## **Cure Speed Vs. Substrate**

The rate of cure will depend on the substrate used. The graph below shows the breakaway strength developed with time on M10 Phosphated Steel nuts and bolts and tested according to BIS 13055:1991.



#### **Cure Speed Vs. Temperature**

The rate of cure will depend on the ambient temperature. The graph below shows the breakaway strength developed with time on M10 Phosphated Steel nuts and bolts at different temperatures and tested according to BIS 13055:1991.



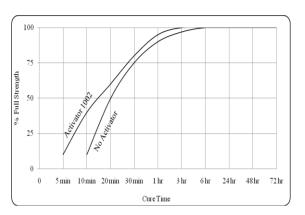
## Cure Speed Vs. Activator

Where cure speed is unacceptably long due to large gaps, applying activator to the surface will improve cure speed. However, this can trim down ultimate

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strength of the bond and therefore testing is recommended to confirm effect.

The graph below shows the breakaway strength developed with time on M10 Zinc plated steel nuts and bolts using different activators and tested according to BIS 13055:1991.



## **Adhesive Properties of Cured material**

**Torque**, BIS 13055:1991; After 24 hrs @  $25\pm2$ °C

Breakaway Torque, : 7-15 N-m

M10 Phosphated Steel N&B

Prevail Torque, : 5-9 N-m

M10 Phosphated Steel N&B

# Compressive Shear Strength, BIS 13055:1991;

After 24 hours @ 25±2°C

Steel Pins and Collars : 5-7 N/mm<sup>2</sup>

Pipe sealing /Thread sealing BIS 13055:1991;

After 24 hrs @ 25±2 °C

Pressure Resistance : ≥100 bar

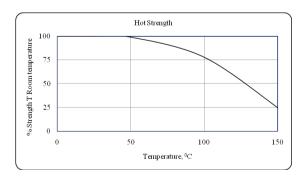
## **Hot Strength**

Test : Breakaway Torque, BIS 13055:1991

Substrate : M10 Phosphated Steel N&B

Cure : 24 hrs @ 25±2°C

Tested at temperature indicated



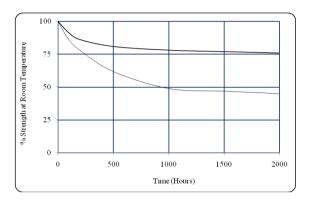
#### **Heat Aging**

Test : Breakaway Torque, BIS 13055:1991

Substrate: M10 Phosphated Steel N&B

Cure : 24 hrs @  $25\pm2^{\circ}$ C

Aged at temperature indicated and tested @  $25\pm2$  °C.



#### **Chemical/Solvent Resistance**

Test : Breakaway Torque, BIS 13055:1991

Substrate: M10 Phosphated Steel N&B

Cure : 24 hrs @ 25±2°C

Aged under condition indicated and tested @  $25\pm2$  °C.

Environment	Temp	% of Initial Strength		
	$(^{0}C)$	100	200	500
		hrs	hrs	hrs
Engine oil	120	100	100	100
Gear oil	120	100	100	100
Unleaded Petrol	25±2	100	100	98
Diesel	25±2	100	100	100
Brake fluid	25±2	100	100	92
Water Glycol	87	100	95	80
(50/50)				

#### **Directions for Use**

# For Assembly

- 1. For best results, clean all surfaces with a cleaning solvent and allow to dry
- If the material is an inactive metal or the cure speed is to slow, apply all threads with Activator and allows to dry
- 3. Apply product to the leading threads of the male fitting, leaving the first thread free. Force the material into the threads to thoroughly fill the voids. For bigger threads and voids, adjust product amount accordingly and apply product on the female threads also.

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- 4. Using accepted trade practices assemble and wrench tighten fittings until proper alignment is obtained.
- 5. Properly tightened fittings will seal instantly to moderate pressures. For maximum pressure resistance and solvent resistance allow the product to cure a minimum of 24 hours.

#### For Disassembly

- 1. Remove with standard hand tools.
- Where hand tools do not work because of excessive engagement length or large diameters, apply localized heat to approximately 250 °C. Disassemble while hot.

#### For Cleanup

 Cured product can be removed with a combination of soaking in a solvent and mechanical abrasion such as a wire brush.

#### Handling

- ❖ For safe handling My-T-Lok<sup>®</sup> 132 must be handled in a manner as indicated in Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) and in compliance with relevant local regulations.
- My-T-Lok® 132 is not recommended for use in pure oxygen and/or oxygen rich systems and should not be selected as a sealant for chlorine or other strong oxidizing materials
- My-T-Lok® 132 can affect certain plastics particularly thermoplastic materials or coatings. It is recommended to check all surfaces for compatibility before use.
- Where aqueous washing systems are used to clean the surfaces before bonding, it is important to check for compatibility of the washing solution with the adhesive. In some cases these aqueous washes can affect the cure and performance of the adhesive.
- ❖ My-T-Lok® 132 is non-volatile and nonflammable at room temperature.

## Storage

- ❖ Store My-T-Lok<sup>®</sup> 132 in a cool, dry location in unopened containers at 25±2°C.
- Store away from sunlight and heat sources.
- ❖ My-T-Lok® 132 will exhibit a shelf life of 18 months from the date of manufacture when stored in above mentioned conditions.
- To prevent contamination of unused product, do not return any material to its original container. For further specific shelf life information, contact our Technical Service center R&D Center.

#### **Pack Size**

My-T-Lok® 132 is ideally available in 50 ml and 250 ml pack size.

#### Note

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