TECHNICAL DATA SHEET



Acetoxy RTV Silicone September 2017





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Product Description

My-T-Sil® GPA RTV Silicone sealant is a one-part acetoxy cure silicone material of paste-like consistency that cures to a tough, rubbery substrate when exposed to moisture in the air. It is resistance to weathering, ozone, solar radiation, moisture, vibrations. It bonds metals, plastics, ceramics glass, wood, painted, surfaces, concrete, natural & synthetic fibers, epoxies, silicones resins & rubber etc. My-T-Sil® GPA RTV can be applied to overhead or vertical joints and surfaces without slumping, sagging or running off.

My-T-Sil® GPA RTV silicone is typically used in applications with an operating range of -65 $^{\circ}$ C to 200 $^{\circ}$ C.

Product Characteristic

My-T-Sil® GPA provides the following product characteristics

Technology : Silicone

Chemical type : Acetoxy silicone
Components : One component
Appearance : White /Black paste
Viscosity : Non-slump Paste
Cure : Room temperature

vulcanizing (RTV)

Service temperature : -65 °C to 200 °C

Application : Gasket and Sealant

Flexibility : Enhances load bearing

& shock absorbing characteristics of the

bond area.

Specific Application : Gasket replacement or

Gasket dressing or

Sealing

Specific Benefit : Adheres to a wide range

of Substrates.

Applications

- Caulking and filling joints in sheet metal ducting & equipment housing
- Sealing roof flashings
- Sealing around roof ventilators, skylights and other penetrations.

- Sealing joints in lab, expansion and connecting joints, in chemical industries
- Exterior applications

Properties

Colour : Black/ White Consistency : Non-sag Cure : Moisture Viscosity @ 25±2 °C : Paste Specific Gravity @ 25 °C : 1.2

Temperature Resistance (0 C) : - 65 to +200

Cure Characteristics @ Room Temperature (25±2 °C) / 50±5 % RH

Skin Over Time : 5-15 minutes
Tack Free Time : 20-30 minutes
Cure Time [3mm thickness] : 24 hrs.
Full cure : 7 days

Physical properties; 3 mm strip cure for 7 days @ 25 ± 2 °C / 50 ± 5 % RH

Hardness, Durometer Shore A, : 15-18

ASTM D 2240

Tensile Strength, ASTM D 412, : \geq 1 N/mm² Elongation, ASTM D 412 : 200-350 %

Environmental Resistance

The product retains effective properties in contact with automotive fluids, such as motor oil, transmission fluids, alcohol and antifreeze solutions.

NOTE: Not recommended for parts in contact with gasoline.

Directions for Use

- 1. My-T-Sil® GPA silicone is supplied ready for use. It can be readily squeezed from its cartridge and easily tooled.
- 2. For best performance bond surfaces should be clean and free from grease.
- 3. Remove excess sealant immediately with a cloth dampened with non-polar solvents.
- 4. Full properties will develop over 72 hrs.

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- 5. Moisture curing begins immediately after the product is exposed to the atmosphere, therefore parts to be assembled should be mated within a few minutes after the product is dispensed.
- 6. Press or firmly clamp parts together. Do not slide parts together.
- 7. Excess material can be easily wiped away with non-polar solvents.
- 8. Excess cured material can be removed with a knife or sharp single edge razor blade. Avoid undercutting the seal.

Storage and Handling

- ❖ Store My-T-Sil® GPA silicone in cool, dry place at 25±2 °C.
- My-T-Sil® GPA will exhibit a shelf life of 12 months from the date of manufacture when stored as mentioned above.
- Storage information may be indicated on the product container labeling.
- Material removed from containers may be contaminated during use.
- ❖ Do not return product to the original container.
- Containers should always be kept sealed when not in use.
- ❖ After a container has been opened a plug of cured material may form in the nozzle during storage.
- When ready to re-use, unscrew the nozzle and remover the cured plug. The remaining sealant is ready to use.
- If additional information is required, please contact your local Technical Service Center or Customer Service Representative.

Pack Size

My-T-Sil® GPA silicone is ideally available in 100gm tube and 280 ml cartridges.

Note

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