

PERMABOND® MT3827

Modified Two-Part Epoxy
Provisional Technical Datasheet

Features & Benefits

- Foaming adhesive giving low final density
- Adhesion to a wide variety of substrates
- Full cure at room temperature
- Easy to apply
- Good gap fill ability

Description

PERMABOND® MT3827 is a two part, modified epoxy adhesive that foams during curing and is designed for sealing, bonding and potting applications. It has excellent adhesion to Polycarbonate, ABS, Nylon and other plastics as well as a variety of metals.

Physical Properties of Uncured Adhesive

| | MT3827A | МТ3827В |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Chemical Composition | Epoxy resin | Polyamine |
| Appearance | Black | Grey |
| Mixed Appearance | Charcoal black | |
| Viscosity @ 25°C | 50,000-100,000mPa.s (<i>cP</i>) | 5,000-10,000 mPa.s (cP) |
| Specific Gravity | 1.35 | 1.25 |

Typical Curing Properties

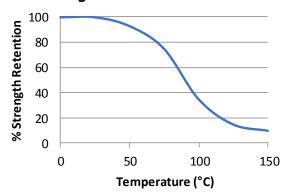
| Mix ratio | 2:1 by volume |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| Maximum gap fill | >5 mm (0.2") |
| Usable / pot life @25°C | 30-40 mins |
| Handling time | 4-5 hours |
| Full cure | ≥72 hours |

Typical Performance of Cured Adhesive

| Shear strength ISO4587 | 0.5-1.0 N/mm² (73 - 145psi) |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Specific Gravity | 0.4-0.45 |
| Elongation at break | 150 -250% |
| Peel strength | 30-40 N/25mm |

^{*}Strength results will vary depending on the level of surface preparation and gap.

Hot Strength



MT3827 can withstand higher temperatures for brief periods (such as for paint baking and wave soldering processes) providing the joint is not unduly stressed. The minimum temperature the cured adhesive can be exposed to is -40°C (-40°F) depending on the materials being bonded.

Additional Information

This product is not recommended for use in contact with strong oxidizing materials.

Information regarding the safe handling of this material may be obtained from the material safety data sheet (SDS).

Users are reminded that all materials, whether innocuous or not, should be handled in accordance with the principles of good industrial hygiene.

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Surface Preparation

Surfaces should be clean, dry and grease-free before applying the adhesive. Use a suitable solvent (such as acetone or isopropanol) for the degreasing of surfaces. Some metals such as aluminium, copper and its alloys will benefit from light abrasion with emery cloth (or similar), to remove the oxide layer.

Directions for Use

- 1. Measure volumetrically 2 parts resin to 1 part hardener. Mix components thoroughly to remove all streaks.
- 2. Apply material.
- 3. Material should be used within 30-40 minutes of mixing.
- 4. Large quantities and/or higher temperature will decrease the usable life or pot life.
- 5. Do not disturb for at least 4-5 hours.
- 6. Full cure will be obtained after a minimum of 72 hours at 25°C (77°F). Heat can be used to accelerate the curing process.

NB. Exercise caution when mixing large quantities due to exothermic reaction.

Video Links

Surface preparation:

https://youtu.be/8CMOMP7hXjU



Two-part epoxy directions for use: https://youtu.be/GRX1RyknYgc



Storage & Handling

Storage Temperature 5 to 25°C (41 to 77°F)

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