

# CV-2500

# Controlled volatility silicone elastomer

# **DESCRIPTION**

- Two-part, optically clear silicone system
- 10:1 mix ratio (Part A:B)

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 electronic and space applications requiring low outgassing and minimal volatile condensables to avoid condensation in sensitive devices
- As an embedding or potting compound for environmental protection of electronic assemblies and components
- Provides protection from humidity, radiation, thermal stress and mechanical stress
- As an adhesive in applications such as solar cell arrays where clarity and low volatility are important
- For applications requiring a broader operating temperature range

# **PROPERTIES**

Typical Properties	Average Result	Standard	NT-TM
Uncured:			
Appearance	Transparent	ASTM D2090	002
Viscosity, Part A	8,000 cP (8,000 mPas)	ASTM D1084, D2196	001
Work Time	2 hours	-	008
Tack-Free Time	10 hours	ASTM C679	005
Cured: 15 minutes at 150°C (302°F)			
Specific Gravity	1.02	ASTM D792	003
Durometer, Type A	50	ASTM D2240	006
Tensile Strength	1,000 psi (6.9 MPa)	ASTM D412	007
Elongation	125%	ASTM D412	007
Collected Volatile Condensable Material (CVCM)	0.01%	ASTM E595	072
Total Mass Loss (TML)	0.05%	ASTM E595	072



Typical Properties	Average Result	Standard	NT-TM
Cured: 4 hours at 60°C (140°F)	·	·	·
Lap Shear Strength (primed w/CF1-135)	400 psi (2.8 MPa)	ASTM D1002	010

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**

Thoroughly mix Part A and Part B, in a 10:1 mix ratio by weight prior to use.

#### **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.

#### **Inhibition Concerns**

Cures in contact with most materials, exceptions include: sulfurcured organic rubbers, latex, chlorinated rubbers, some RTV silicones and unreacted residues of some curing agents.

Note: Some bonding applications may require the use of a primer. NuSil CF1-135 silicone primer is recommended.

# Adjustable Cure Schedule

Product cures at a wide range of cure times and temperatures to accommodate different production needs. <u>Contact</u> NuSil for details. Some cure schedules\* include:

65°C (149°F)	100°C (212°F)
20 minutes	1 minute

<sup>\*</sup> 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

Packaging	Warranty
50 Gram Kit (0.051 kg) 100 Gram Kit (0.101 kg) 500 Gram Kit (0.505 kg)	6 Months

responsible to verify performance of a material in a specific application

# **ROHS AND REACH COMPLIANCE**

Please <u>contact</u> 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 <u>contact</u> NuSil for assistance and recommendations in establishing limits for product specifications.

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