

# CV-2942

# Thermally conductive, controlled volatility silicone

# **DESCRIPTION**

- Two-part, gray, thermally conductive silicone
- Based on a dimethyl silicone polymer
- Uses a platinum-catalyzed addition cure
- 20:1 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 applications requiring low outgassing and minimal volatile condensables under extreme operating conditions to avoid condensation in sensitive devices
- To provide moderate heat transfer between electrical/electronic components and their heat sinks
- Use to adhere openings in modules or housings where grooves and other configurations require a non-flowable to limited flow material

# **PROPERTIES**

Typical Properties	Average Result	Standard	NT-TM
Uncured:		·	
Appearance	Gray	ASTM D2090	002
Work Time	2.5 hours	-	008
Tack-Free Time	4.0 hours	ASTM C679	005
Cured: 24 hours minimum at ambient temperature and h	umidity, then 15 minutes at 150°C (302°F)		
Specific Gravity	2.40	ASTM D792	003
Durometer, Type A	85	ASTM D2240	006
Tensile Strength	650 psi (4.5 MPa)	ASTM D412	007
Elongation	15%	ASTM D412	007
Tear Strength	55 ppi (9.70 kN/m)	ASTM D624	009
Lap Shear Strength (primed w/ CF1-135)	375 psi (2.6 MPa)	ASTM D1002	010
Thermal Conductivity	0.999 W/(mK)	ASTM E1530	101
	$(24 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cal/(cm·sec·}^{\circ}\text{C}))$		
Dielectric Strength	430 volts/mil (16.9 kV/mm)	ASTM D149	-
Volume Resistivity	1.4 x 10 <sup>14</sup> ohm·cm	ASTM D257, D4496	040



Typical Properties	Average Result	Standard	NT-TM
TGA Take-Off (1% wt. Loss, 10°C/min. in air)	330°C (626°F)	-	-
Coefficient of Linear Thermal Expansion			
-100°C to -50°C	130 (μm/(m°C))	ASTM D3386	-
-30°C to 250°C	185 (µm/(m°C))	ASTM D3386	-
Collected Volatile Condensable Material (CVCM)	0.01%	ASTM E595	072
Total Mass Loss (TML)	0.09%	ASTM E595	072

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 stir Part A prior to weighing for Part B addition as the product separates. Mix 20 parts Part A to 1 part Part B by weight, just prior to use.

### **Vacuum Deaeration**

Remove air entrapped during mixing by common vacuum deaeration procedure, observing all safety precautions. Slowly apply full vacuum to a container rated for use and at least four times the volume of material being deaerated. Hold vacuum until bulk deaeration is complete.

# **Inhibition Concerns**

Cures in contact with most materials. Exceptions include butyl and 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. Contact NuSil for details.

# **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. Silicone typically remains flexible at

# **Packaging**

100 Gram Kit (0.101 kg) 12 Months 250 Gram Kit (0.255 kg) 500 Gram Kit (0.502 kg) 1 Kilogram Kit (1.004 kg)

# Warranty

extremely low temperatures and has been known to perform at -50°C (-58°F) as well as resist breakdown at elevated temperatures up to 250°C (482°F). The user is responsible to verify performance of a material in a specific application.

# **ROHS AND REACH COMPLIANCE**

Please contact 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 contact NuSil for assistance and recommendations in establishing limits for product specifications.

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