

# MED-6400

## Addition cure silicone dispersion

### DESCRIPTION

- Two-part, low viscosity, heat curable silicone dispersion
- Cures via addition-cure chemistry
- 1:1 Mix Ratio (Part A: Part B)

### APPLICATION

- Suitable for dip casting and heat-curing of thin elastomeric films
- Low viscosity makes dispersions ideal for use as sprayable coatings

NuSil® MED-6400 may be considered for use in human implantation for a period of greater than 29 days.

### PROPERTIES

Typical Properties	Average Result	Standard	NT-TM
<b>Uncured:</b>			
Appearance	Translucent	ASTM D2090	002
Non-Volatile Content	35%	ASTM D2288	004
Viscosity	860 cP (860 mPas)	ASTM D1084, D2196	001
<b>Cured: 30 minutes at 25°C (77°F), 45 minutes at 75°C (167°F), and 135 minutes at 150°C (302°F)</b>			
Durometer, Type A	30	ASTM D2240	006
Refractive Index	1.43	ASTM D1747, D1218	018
Tensile Strength	1,600 psi (11.3 MPa)	ASTM D412	007
Elongation	850%	ASTM D412	007
Tear Strength	160 ppi (28.2 kN/m)	ASTM D624	009
Tissue Culture (Cytotoxicity Testing)	Pass	USP <87> ISO 10993-5	061
Elemental Analysis of Trace Metals	Pass	ASTM E305	131

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

For two-part, platinum catalyzed dispersions, mixing Part A into Part B (instead of Part B into Part A) is important especially when using a dispersion with high solids content. Thoroughly stir individual components prior to addition to ensure homogeneity. Mix in a 1:1 ratio by weight. Do not use wooden spatulas to mix and avoid the use of latex gloves. Exercise care to prevent solvent loss during deairing. Accomplish additional dilution for thin film applications by adding appropriate solvent. Mixer design/size/type, blade/propeller type, shear/RPM levels, and heat generated during mixing, are important parameters and should be addressed in order to have an adequately mixed dispersion.

Warning: Consult the MSDS for MED-6400 prior to use, as its solvent carrier is hazardous.

### Vacuum Deaeration

Remove air entrapped during mixing by common vacuum deaeration procedure, observing all applicable safety precautions. Slowly apply full vacuum to a suitable container of at least four times the volume of material being de-aired. Hold vacuum until bulk deaeration is complete.

### Substrate Considerations

Cures in contact with most materials common to biomedical assemblies. Exceptions include: sulfur-cured organic rubbers, latex, chlorinated rubbers, some RTV silicones and unreacted residues of some curing agents.

### Coating & Use

Dispersions are more commonly used in dip molding processes, but can also be sprayed or cast. Make sure to apply under a fume hood or in a well ventilated environment. Care should be taken before placing coated mandrels or parts in oven due to the presence of solvent. Reference cure schedule for devolatilization times. For further information, please see [NuSil's A Guide to Silicone Dispersions – Strategies for Processing and Troubleshooting](#).

Note: Some bonding applications may require the use of a primer. NuSil's MED1-161 is recommended. For more information on primer selection, visit <https://www.avantorsciences.com/nusil> and review [Choosing a Silicone Primer/Adhesive System](#).

### Storage

Most dispersions are stored prior to application. It is important to note that NuSil recommends keeping the dispersion in its

### Packaging

2 Pint Kit (0.910 kg)  
2 Gallon Kit (7.28 kg)  
10 Gallon Kit (36.4 kg)  
2 Drum Kit (360 kg)

### Warranty

12 Months

original container when possible, tightly sealed and stored below 40° C. Care should be taken to prevent solvent evaporation and contamination during long or short term storage.

### FDA MASTER FILE

For customers interested in a Master File (MAF) for this product, please [contact](#) NuSil.

### 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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