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Product # 1403088

Resinol® AT **Product Name**

Product Description

LOCTITE ® Resinol AT is a low viscosity liquid sealant designed for sealing porosity in metal castings. It may also be used to seal microscopic voids and tight interfaces in other materials. RESINOL AT sealant is typically applied with a vacuum impregnation process that removes air from porosity and then saturates the part with liquid sealant. The sealant is designed to cure anaerobically at room temperature to form a tough thermoset polymer that permanently seals the internal cavities. Excess liquid sealant is rinsed from the outside of the part with plain water. Parts processed with RESINOL AT are sealed internally, but remain cosmetically and dimensionally unchanged.

Typical Applications

RESINOL AT is used to seal castings and powder metal components against leakage of air, water, coolants, oils and other fluids. Engines, heads, manifolds, and housings in automotive powertrains and fluid handling systems have been sealed successfully for decades.

Physical Properties

Liquid Sealant

Chemical Type: Methacrylate monomers Appearance under white light Clear, straw colored liquid Appearance in ultraviolet light Fluorescent sky blue liquid

Viscosity @ 25°C 7cP Density 1.06 g/ml Flash Point >200°F(93°C) Shelf Life 1 vear

Solubility in water Readily emulsifiable for ease of washing

Polymerized Sealant

Base Polymer Type Acrylic, crosslinked thermoset

Sealing performance Excellent Chemical resistance Excellent Design Limit, 177°C (350°F)

Continuous Temperature

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Use Instructions

This product is not recommended for use in pure oxygen and/or oxygen rich systems and should not be selected for use with chlorine or other strong oxidizing materials unless otherwise specifically stated.

For safe handling information on this product, consult the material safety data sheet.

Liquid Resinol AT cures to form a thermoset plastic by a free radical polymerization reaction mechanism when confined and away from air.

Accelerated Resinol AT that is trapped within a clean porous metal part will typically cure completely within several hours at room temperature.

The polymerization of Resinol AT is initiated by chemical interaction with Loctite Anaerobic Accelerator and with certain metal surfaces. The cure rate is influenced by several factors.

- The cure rate becomes more rapid as the concentration of Accelerator is increased.
- The cure rate is increased by contact with certain metal surfaces.
- The cure rate is temperature dependent and becomes more rapid as the temperature is increased.
- Polymerization is inhibited by the presence of oxygen.
- Polymerization is inhibited by the addition of Loctite PMS Stabilizer.
- The cure rate may be influenced by contamination of certain types.

Resinol AT is maintained in a liquid state by a combination of refrigeration, aeration and controlled reactivity.

Equipment for the application of Resinol AT is designed to provide the necessary refrigeration and aeration. This processing equipment is available from Loctite Corporation.

The reactivity of accelerated Resinol AT is routinely monitored by measurement of the onset of gelation in a small sample of sealant that is held at an elevated temperature. The reactivity of the sealant can easily be adjusted in two ways:

- Adjustment of the level of Loctite Anaerobic Accelerator by either addition of the accelerator or dilution with unaccelerated sealant.
- Addition of Loctite PMS Stabilizer to reduce the reactivity of overly accelerated sealant.

The optimal reactivity for a particular application should be determined by consultation with your Loctite Sales Engineer.

Safety Data

Refer to the Loctite Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for safety information.

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Storage Conditions

Product shall be ideally stored in a cool, dry location in unopened container at temperatures between 8-28C (46-82F) unless otherwise labeled. To prevent contamination of unused product, do not return any material to its original container.

Disclaimers

This product is experimental only. It is not now and may never be commercially available.

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