



Advanced Materials

Araldite[®] 2041 A/B Adhesive

HIGH-STRENGTH POLYURETHANE ADHESIVE

DESCRIPTION:

Araldite[®] 2041 A/B polyurethane adhesive is a two-part system specifically formulated for bonding plastics including polycarbonate, ABS, nylon and Metton^{®1} with minimal substrate preparation. It also performs well when bonding primed metals. Cured Araldite[®] 2041 A/B polyurethane adhesive features good environmental stability and impact resistance. It also has been successfully used for bonding painted metals.

APPLICATIONS:

- Polycarbonate
- ABS
- Nylon
- Metton
- Vulcanized rubber
- Primed metals

ADVANTAGES:

- Excellent flexibility
- Convenient mix ratio
- Bonds a wide variety of materials

TYPICAL PROPERTIES:

Property	Test Method	Test Values⁽¹⁾	
		Resin	Hardener
Color/Appearance	Visual	White Viscous liquid	Red viscous liquid
Specific Gravity	ASTM D-792	1.10	1.30
Viscosity (cP) @ 77°F (25°C)	ASTM D-2393	50,000	20,000

¹ Metton is a registered trademark of Metton America, Inc.



TYPICAL MIXED PROPERTIES:

<u>Property</u>	<u>Test Method</u>	<u>Test Values⁽¹⁾</u>
Reaction Ratio (by weight)		80R/100H
Reaction Ratio (by volume)		100R/100H
Pot Life, minutes @ 77°F (25°C), 4 fl. oz. mass	ASTM D-2471	15
Mixed viscosity (cP) at 77°F (25°C)	ASTM D-2393	50,000

⁽¹⁾ Tested @ 77°F (25°C)

RECOMMENDED CURE SCHEDULES:

<u>Temperature</u>	<u>Handling Strength</u>	<u>Minimum Cure Time</u>
77°F (25°C)	4 hours	16 hours
140°F (60°C)	1 hour	2 hours
212°F (100°C)	6 minutes	10 minutes

TYPICAL CURED PROPERTIES:**Application of Adhesive**

The resin/hardener mix is applied with a spatula to the pretreated and dry joint surfaces.

A layer of adhesive 0.002 to 0.004-inches (0.05 to 0.10-mm) thick will normally impart the greatest lap shear strength to a joint.

The joint components should be assembled and clamped as soon as the adhesive has been applied. Even contact throughout suffices to ensure proper cure.

Standard Test Specimens

Unless otherwise stated, the figures given below were all determined by testing standard specimens made up by lap-jointing 4-inch x 1-inch x 0.06-inch (10-cm x 2.5-cm x 1.5-mm) strips of aluminum. The joint area was 0.5 x 1 inch (12.5 mm x 2.5 cm) in each case.

<u>Property</u>	<u>Test Method</u>	<u>Test Values⁽¹⁾</u>
Lap Shear Strength, psi (Mpa) Tested on Various Substrates Cured 20 min @ 212°F (100°C)	ASTM D-1002	
Substrate		
Aluminum		1450 (10)
Metton [®]		800 (5.5)
Hardness, Shore D	ASTM D-2240	85
Ultimate Tensile Strength, psi (MPa)	ASTM D-638	2100 (14.5)
Elongation, %	ASTM D-638	250
Tg per DMA, °F (°C)	ASTM D-4065	86 (30)
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion (in/in/°C)	ASTM E-831	13.5 x 10 ⁻⁵⁽²⁾ 23 x 10 ⁻⁵⁽³⁾

⁽¹⁾Tested @ 77°F (25°C)

⁽²⁾Below Tg

⁽³⁾Above Tg

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FIRST AID:

Eyes and skin : Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Contact a physician if irritation persists. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Inhalation : Remove subject to fresh air.

Swallowing : Dilute by giving water to drink and contact a physician promptly. Never give anything to drink to an unconscious person.

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