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QSiil 573 Addition Cure Potting Material

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

QSiil 573 is a 100% silicone solids elastomer designed for electronic potting applications. The two-component system offers a hard, thermally conductive, low modulus material that is readily repairable.

KEY FEATURES

- 100% solids
- Excellent thermal conductivity

TYPICAL PROPERTIES

UNCATAYLZED		
PROPERTY	QSiil 573 A	QSiil 573 B
Appearance	White	Gray
Viscosity	5,500 cps	5,500 cps
Specific Gravity	2.14	2.18

CATALYZED	
MIX RATIO 1:1	
Gel Time at 25 °C *	155 minutes

* Gel time is defined as the time required for the material to become a solid or semi-solid.

CURED PROPERTIES	
15 minutes at 150 °C	
PROPERTY	RESULT
Durometer,	55, Shore A
Tensile	160 psi
Elongation	40%

ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES	
PROPERTY	RESULT
Dissipation Factor	0.005
Dielectric Constant at 1,000 Hz	4.92
Volume Resistivity	5.05×10^{13} ohm-cm

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UL RATING **	
UL 94 V-0	3.0 mm
UL 94 V-1	1.5 mm

THERMAL PROPERTIES **	
PROPERTY	RESULT
Thermal Conductivity **	~ 0.90 W/m-K
Useful Temperature Range	-55 °C – 204 °C

** Results based on similar material.

MIXING

In order to achieve optimum performance, the same lot number of QSil 573 A and QSil 573 B should be used.

QSil 573 A and QSil 573 B should be thoroughly mixed prior to catalyzation.

Mixing by hand:

Catalyze QSil 573 A with QSil 573 B at a 1:1 ratio by weight. Use a clean plastic or metal container of approximately 3 times the volume of the material and mix by hand. Accurate weighing of all components, on a suitable scale, is essential for optimal product performance when mixing by hand. Mix until the material is uniform with no visible striations.

Mixing and dispensing with automatic equipment:

Use a mixing system that will properly mix the QSil 573 A and QSil 573 B at a 1:1 ratio by weight.

DE-AERATION

Air trapped during mixing should be removed by vacuum at 29 inches of mercury. During the process, the material will expand, and intermittent evacuation may be required.

Machine mixed material does not normally need to be de-aired.

STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE

This product is best when used within 24 months from date of manufacture. See product label and/or CoA for specific "Use By Date".

Product should be stored in its original, unopened container in an environment that does not exceed 38 °C (100 °F).

Storage beyond the date specified on the label does not necessarily mean that the product is no longer usable. In this case, the properties required for the intended use should be checked for quality assurance reasons.

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