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## TECHNICAL DATA SHEETS TORQUE 38 RC

### Description:

**Torque 38 RC** is a fast curing high strength anaerobic adhesive for locking and sealing threads, and retaining of cylindrical parts. Allows larger machining tolerances. Highly resistant to heat, corrosion, vibrations, water, gases, oils, hydrocarbons, and many chemicals.

### Properties of Uncured Product:

Composition	Urethane methacrylate
Appearance	Green, fluorescent liquid
Specific Gravity (77°F/25°C g/ml)	1.09
Viscosity, Brookfield (77°F/25°C mPa.s)	1800 to 3300 mPa.s
Spindle 3 - 20 rpm	>93°C
Flash Point, TCC	1 year
Shelf life at 20°C	8° - 28°C
Storage temperature	

#### HEAT CURE

Typical heat cure conditions consist of heating and maintaining bondline at a temperature of 40°C and after one hour more than 90% of strength on steel is achieved.

#### CURE SPEED VS. SUBSTRATE

% Full strength	Steel	Alluminium	Zinc Dichromate
25	20 min	2 hrs	40 min
50	30 min	15 hrs	2 hrs
100	18-72 hrs		

#### CURE SPEED VS. JOINT GAP

% Full strength	Gap 0,05mm	Gap 0,25mm
25	25 min	40 hrs
50	30 min	70 hrs
100	10 - 72 hrs	

#### CURE SPEED VS. TEMPERATURE

% Full strength	Temperature	
	5°C	40°C
25	3 hrs	7 min
50	6 hrs	8 min
100	24 - 72 hrs	2 - 72 hrs

### Properties of Cured Product:

#### Functional strength at 24 hrs 20° on steel

Shear Strength (ISO10123)	22 to 40 N.m
Shear Strength (DIN 544542)	20 to 35 N.m
Coefficient of thermal expansion (ASTM D696)	80 X 10 <sup>-6</sup> 1/K
Thermal conductivity (ASTM C177)	0.1 W/Mk
Specific heat	0.3 KJ.Kg <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>
Temperature range	-55°+150°C

#### ENVIRONMENTAL RESISTANCE

##### Hot strength at temperature

Test.Temp.°C	% retained strength
25°	100%
50°	100%
100°	85%
150°	45%

##### Heat aging

Samples aged 1000 hours at indicated temperature and tested at room temperature.

Test temp. °C	% retained strength
120°	100%
150°	100%

##### Chemical / Solvent Resistance

Specimens immersed for 1000 hours at indicated temperature and tested at room temperature.

	Test Temp.° C	% retained strength
50/50 Water / Glycol	87	80
Unleaded Petrol	22	85
Motor Oil	125	100
Brake Fluid	22	80
Acetone	22	90

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