

MXBON® E1240

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

MXBON® E1240 is odorless, light-curing cyanoacrylate adhesive. It is designed for bonding applications that require very rapid fixture, fillet cure or surface cure. The UV and visible light cure properties facilitated rapid curing of exposed surface area and makes it a unique product in the world of light-curing adhesive.

MXBON® E1240 offers the following characteristics:

Technology	Cyanoacrylate / UV / Visible
Chemistry	Alkoxyethyl Cyanoacrylate with photoinitiator
Appearance (uncured)	Transparent, yellow liquid
Components	One part – requires no mixing
Viscosity	Low
Cure	Ultraviolet (UV) light
Secondary cure	Humidity

TYPICAL PROPERTIES OF UNCURED MATERIAL

	Typical Value
Specific Gravity @ 25 °C, g/cm³	1.13
Viscosity @ 25 °C, mPa·s	8 - 20

TYPICAL CURING PERFORMANCE

TACK FREE TIME

Tack Free Time is the time in seconds required to achieve a tack free surface.

UV/Visible Light Sources:

Electrodeless, V bulb:
70 mW/cm², measured @ 365 nm: < 10 s.

Electrodeless, H bulb:
30 mW/cm², measured @ 365 nm: < 10 s.
100 mW/cm², measured @ 365 nm: < 10 s.

Visible Light Sources:

Blue light laser:
70 mW/cm², measured @ 445 nm: < 10 s.

CURE SPEED vs. SUBSTRATE (non-UV/Vis cure)

The rate of cure will depend on the substrate used. The table below shows the fixture time achieved on different materials at room temperature. This is defined as the time at which an adhesive bond (250 mm²) is capable of supporting a 3 kg load for 10 seconds. Fixture time measurements relate to non-UV/Visible cure.

	Fixture Time (seconds)
ABS	15
Acrylic	90
Polycarbonate	40
PVC	150

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE OF CURED MATERIAL

TENSILE SHEAR STRENGTH

The shear strength will depend on the substrate. The Table below shows the shear strength for different substrates using lap shears according to ISO 4587.

Data for 24-h curing in dark room and 10-second curing with UV/Vis light source.

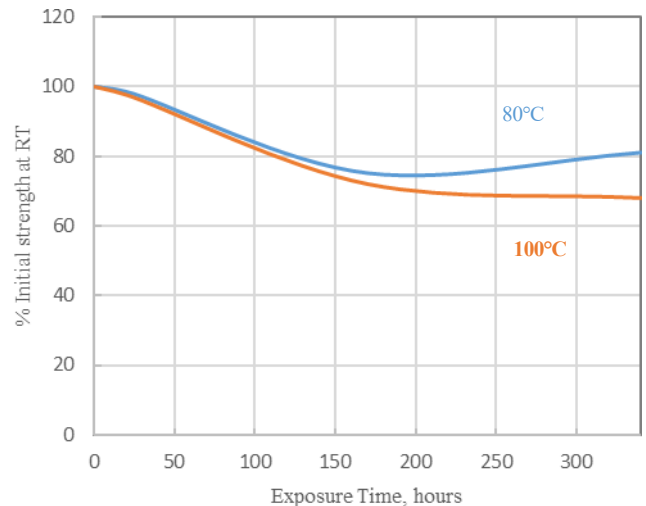
	Strength (N/mm ²) After 24 h RT Non-UV/Vis cure	Strength (N/mm ²) After 10 s curing with UV/Vis light
ABS	12.7*	8.9*
Acrylic	6.6*	6.2*
Polycarbonate	11.9*	6.5*
PVC	6.5*	3.7

*Substrate failure

TYPICAL ENVIRONMENTAL RESISTANCE

Heat Aging

Cured @ 30 mW/cm², measured @365nm, for 10 seconds plus 24 hours post cure @22°C. Aged at temperature indicated and tested @22°C.



Chemical/Solvent Resistance

Aged under conditions indicated and tested @25°C

Environment	Temp. °C	% of initial strength		
		100 hrs	500 hrs	1000 hrs
Water	25	75	60	50
Ethanol	25	92	86	83
Isopropanol	25	100	98	90
Water/Glycol	25	93	87	85
Unleaded Gasoline	25	94	89	85
Motor Oil	25	97	90	92
98% Relative Humidity	40	80	68	70

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Lap Shear Strength, ISO 4587/ASTM D1002/JIS K6850
PC (Polycarbonate)

Environment	Temp. °C	% of initial strength		
		100 hrs	500 hrs	1000 hrs
Air	25	101*	98*	105*
98% Relative Humidity	40	99*	94*	88

*substrate failure

GENERAL INFORMATION

This product is not recommended for use in pure oxygen and/or oxygen rich systems and should not be selected as a sealant for chlorine or other strong oxidizing materials. For safe handling information on this product, consult the Safety Data Sheet (SDS):

Directions for use:

- 1) This product is light sensitive; exposure to daylight, UV light and artificial light should be kept to a minimum during storage and handling.
- 2) For best performance bond surfaces should be clean and free from grease.
- 3) This product performs best in thin bond gaps (0.05 mm)
- 4) Excess adhesive can be dissolved with nitromethane or acetone.

Conversions:

$(^{\circ}\text{C} \times 1.8) + 32 = ^{\circ}\text{F}$
 $\text{kV/mm} \times 25.4 = \text{V/mil}$
 $\text{mm} / 25.4 = \text{in}$
 $\mu\text{m} / 25.4 = \text{mil}$
 $\text{N} \times 0.225 = \text{lb}$
 $\text{N/mm} \times 5.71 = \text{lb/in}$
 $\text{N/mm}^2 \times 145 = \text{psi}$
 $\text{MPa} \times 145 = \text{psi}$
 $\text{N}\cdot\text{m} \times 8.851 = \text{lb}\cdot\text{in}$
 $\text{N}\cdot\text{mm} \times 0.142 = \text{oz}\cdot\text{in}$
 $\text{mPa}\cdot\text{s} = \text{cP}$

Storage & Handling precaution

Keep adhesive in a cool and dry place. The storage temperature is recommended at 2 °C - 8 °C. For details, consult the Material Safety Data Sheet, (MSDS). Shelf life is twelve months from the date of manufacture in the original container under the optimal conditions.

1. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
2. If contact with skin, rinse with water.
3. If adhesive gets into eye, keep eye open and rinse with water thoroughly. Seek medical attention immediately.
4. Keep the material out of children's reach.

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