# Technical Data Sheet Product 330

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# PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

LOCTITE® Product 330 is a single component high viscosity structural adhesive for a wide range of materials. The product cures when confined between close fitting parts with the aid of Activator 7387.

# TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

This general purpose adhesive is used to bond metal, wood, ferrite, ceramic and plastic materials. Applications include tool handles, appliances, sporting goods and decorative trim

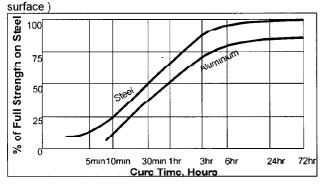
#### PROPERTIES OF UNCURED MATERIAL

	Typical		
	Value	Range	
Chemical Type	Modified methacrylate		
	ester		
Appearance	Light amber liquid		
Specific Gravity @ 25°C	1 05		
Viscosity @ 25°C, mPa s (cP)			
Brookfield RVT			
Spindle 7 @ 20 rpm	67,500	45,000 to 90,000	
DIN 54453, SV			
D = 20 s <sup>-1</sup> after t=180secs	50,000	30,000 to 70,000	
Flash Point (TCC), °C	87		

# TYPICAL CURING PERFORMANCE

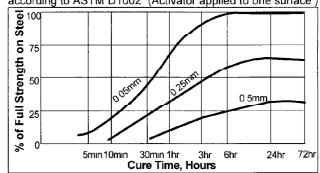
# Cure speed vs. substrate

The rate of cure will depend on substrate used. The graph below shows the shear strength developed with time on grit blasted steel lap shears compared to different materials and tested according to ASTM D1002 (Activator applied to one



# Cure speed vs. bond gap

The rate of cure will depend on the bondline gap. The following graph shows shear strength developed with time on grit blasted steel lap shears at different controlled gaps and tested according to ASTM D1002. (Activator applied to one surface.)



# TYPICAL PROPERTIES OF CURED MATERIAL

## **Physical Properties**

Coefficient of thermal expansion, ASTM D696, K <sup>-1</sup>	ጸበ x 1በ <sup>-6</sup>
Coefficient of thermal conductivity, ASTM C177, W m <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>	0 1
Specific Heat , kJ kg <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>	03

#### PERFORMANCE OF CURED MATERIAL

(After 24 hr at 22°C, Act 738 on grit blasted mild steel (GBMS), 1 side) Typical

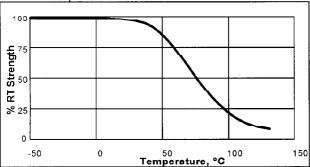
	Value	Range
Shear Strength, ASTM D1002, N/mm²	22.5	15 to 30
(psi)	(3300)	(2200 to 4400)
Shear Strength, DIN 53283, N/mm²	22 5	15 to 30
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Tensile Strength, DIN 53288, N/mm²	17	12 to 22
(psi)	(2500)	(1700 to 3200)

#### TYPICAL ENVIRONMENTAL RESISTANCE

Test Procedure Substrate Cure procedure Shear strength ASTM D1002 Grit blasted mild steel laps 1 week at 22°C/Activator 7387

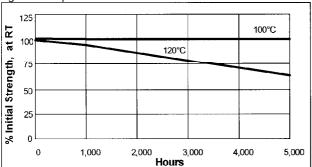
#### **Hot Strongth**

Tested at temperature



## **Heat Ageing**

Aged at temperature indicated and tested at 22°C



# Chemical / Solvent Resistance

Aged under conditions indicated and tested at 22°C.

Solvent	Temp	% Initial Strength retained at	
	·	350 hr	700 hr
Acetone	22°C	10	10
Motor Oil	87°C	90	66
Unleaded Petrol	22°C	20	20
Phosphate Ester	87°C	93	75
Water/Glycol (50%/50%)	87^C	60	60

#### 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 oxidising materials.

For safe handling information on this product, consult the Material Safety Data Sheets, (MSDS).

Where aqueous washing systems are used to clean the surfaces before bonding, it is important to check for compatibility of the washing solution with the adhesive. In some cases these aqueous washes can affect the cure and performance of the adhesive.

#### Directions for use

For best performance bond surfaces should be clean and free of grease. To ensure a fast and reliable cure, Activator 7387 should be applied to one of the bond surfaces and the adhesive to the other surface. The recommended bondline gap is 0.1mm. Where bond gaps are large, (up to a maximum of 0.5mm), or faster cure speed is required, activator should be applied to both surfaces. Parts should be assembled immediately. (within 15 minutes). Excess adhesive can be wiped away with organic solvent. Bond should be held clamped until adhesive has fixtured. Joint should be allowed to develop full strength before subjecting to any service loads.

#### Storage

Product shall be ideally stored in a cool, dry location in unopened containers at a temperature between 8°C to 28°C (46°F to 82°F) unless otherwise labelled. Optimal storage is at the lower half of this temperature range. To prevent contamination of unused product, do not return any material to its original container. For further specific shelf life information, contact your local Technical Service Centre.

### Data Ranges

The data contained herein may be reported as a typical value and/or range (based on the mean value  $\pm 2$  standard deviations) Values are based on actual test data and are verified on a periodic basis

# Note

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