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Technical Data Sheet

Product Name

MD-60 A/B

Castable High Performance 60 Shore D Polyurethane

Product Description

MD-60 A/B is a two-component urethane casting compound that is specifically formulated for high abrasion and impact resistance. It is recommended for the production casting of highly wear-resistant parts, rollers and linings. The product exhibits great flexibility and excellent durability and is easily processed at room temperature. MD-60 A/B is relatively insensitive to typical environmental moisture and will make good void-free parts without the problems that some conventional urethane systems exhibit. Because of this products exceptional toughness and abrasion resistance, castings made with MD-60 A/B are particularly suitable for mining and mineral process industries.

Typical Applications

- Abrasion-resistant parts and lining
- Foundry patterns and core box liners
- Roller facings and casters
- Potting and encapsulation
- Cutting table tops
- Metal forming die facings
- · Troughs, chutes and other equipment contacting any abrasive materials
- Machinery base pads and gears

Physical Properties

Hardness	Shore D		60 ± 5
Specific Gravity	g/cc cured		1.147
Cubic Inches Per			25.9
Pound			
Color/Appearance			Clear Amber
Tensile Strength	psi	ASTM D-412-98a	4,700
Tensile Modulus	psi	ASTM D-412-98a	45,000
Elongation	%	ASTM D-412-98a	450
Tear Strength	pli	ASTM D-624	475
Shrinkage	in./in. linear	ASTM D-2566	0.004
Izod Impact	ftlb./in.	ASTM D-256	>16

Note: Reported physical properties based on elevated temperature cured test specimens.

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Handling Properties

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Mix Ratio	by weight	Part A	100 parts by weight
		Part B	50 parts by weight
Mix Ratio	by volume	Part A	100 parts by volume
		Part B	50 parts by volume
Specific Gravity	g/cc	Part A	1.103
		Part B	1.111
		Mixed	1.147
Viscosity	cps @ 25°C	Part A	4,500
		Part B	1,000
		Mixed	2,800
Colour		Part A	Pale Yellow
		Part B	Amber
Work Time	100-gram mass @ 25°C		10 - 15 minutes
Gel Time	100-gram mass @ 25°C		15 - 20 minutes
Demold Time	Normally 2-3 hours at ambient temperature; can be reduced to one hour with moderately elevated temperatures and/or molds.		
Cure Schedule	Full cure in 5-7 days at room temperature or post-cured 1-3 hours @ 25°C followed by 16 hours @ 82°C (see note).		

Storage

Store in a dry place at room temperature. Unopened containers of MD-60 A/B will have a shelf life of 6 months, from date of shipment, when properly stored under normal temperature conditions of 18-27°C.

Previously opened containers are best kept by applying a dry nitrogen blanket before closing lids.

Notes

Post-curing the MD-60 A/B soon after demolding will enhance mechanical properties (tensile strength, tear strength and overall toughness), but may slightly increase shrinkage.

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