

# **Technical Data Sheet**

### **Product Name**

# F-170 A/B

# 70 Shore A Polyurethane Elastomer



# **Product Description**

The F-170 A/B system is a production oriented fast gel and fast demould material. F-170 has a work life which allows sufficient time to vacuum de-gas and pour air-free parts. It features an easy mix ratio, low viscosity and short demould times.

The F-170 is ideal for: Part Production, Moulds, Special Effects & Props, Potting, Pigmenting.

Physical Properties			Elevated Temperature Cure *
Hardness	Shore A	ASTM D2240-04e1	70 ± 5
Density	(g/cc)	ASTM D792-00	1.09
Cubic Inches Per Pound		N/A	26
Color/Appearance		Visual	Translucent Amber
Tensile Strength	(psi)	ASTM D412-98a(2002)e1	1,803
Tensile Modulus	(psi)	ASTM D412-98a(2002)e1	405
Elongation	(%)	ASTM D412-98a(2002)e1	1,147
Tear Strength	(pli)	ASTM D624-00e1	245
Shrinkage	(in/in) linear	ASTM D2566 @ 1" depth	0.0025**
Dielectric Constant	1 MHz	ASTM D150-87	4.987
Dissipation Factor	1 MHz	ASTM D150-87	0.043

#### Note:

<sup>\*\*</sup>Shrink test specimens are cured for 24 hours at room temperature and then 16 hours at 71°C.

<b>Handling Properties</b>	Test Method	Part A	Part B
Mix Ratio	By Weight	50	100
Mix Ratio	By Volume	47	100
Specific Gravity	@ 25°C	1.12	1.04
Colour	Visual	Pale Yellow	Amber
Viscosity	Cps @ 25°C Brookfield	730	1255
Mixed Viscosity	Cps @ 25°C Brookfield	1120	
Work Time	100g @ 25°C	5-6 minutes	
Gel Time	@ 25°C	6-7 minutes	
Demould Time	@ 25°C	2-3 hours	

Properties above are typical and not for specifications.

<sup>\*</sup>Reported physical properties based on test specimens cured 1-3 hours at room temperature then 16 hours at 71°C.

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### **Cure Schedule/Heat Curing**

Most of the physical properties can be achieved in 5-7 days at ambient temperature, 25°C. In order to achieve maximum physical properties, a post cure with heat is required. BJB recommends 1-3 hours at 25°C, followed by 16 hours at 71°C. Do not exceed curing temperature of 93°C.

### **Storage**

Store at room temperature in a dry place. Unopened containers will have a shelf life of 6 months from date of shipment when properly stored under normal conditions at 25°C. Purge opened containers with dry nitrogen before re-sealing.

#### **Notes**

The colour of the base material may vary slightly from batch to batch due to raw ingredients. Colour variations will not affect the cured physical properties. Exposing the material to various conditions such as heat and UV light will alter the colour of the cured system. Colour stability is not guaranteed. This product can be pigmented, but you may see more colour shift when using lighter pigments.

The cure will be inhibited if cast against a tin catalyzed silicone RTV.

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