

AA-BOND FDA16

Food and Drug Application Epoxy Adhesive

Technical Product Bulletin

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

AA-BOND FDA16 is a medium viscosity epoxy resin system specifically developed for medical device applications.

AA-BOND FDA16 has been tested in accordance with USP biological reactivity tests, in vivo and received Class VI approval.

PRODUCT PROPERTIES:

Appearance	Amber	
Mix Ratio, by weight	100:33 / Resin:Hardener	
Benefits	 Medium viscosity low permeability Good resistance Class VI approved 	
Cure Type	Heat cure or Room temperature	
Typical Applications	Bonding, laminating and repair applications by manufacturers of food preparation, processing and packaging equipment, and by manufacturers of catheters, hearing aids, dental products and other biomedical instruments and devices.	

UNCURED PROPERTIES:

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Viscosity @ 25 °C cps	4,700	
Viscosity & 25°C cps	@Temperature 77°F, 25°C	
Specific Gravity, cured	0.900 g/cc	
Pot Life	25 min	
Solid Content	100%	
Volatile Organic Compounds	0.15 - //	
(VOC) Content	0.15 g/l	
Water Absorption , after 24	0.30	
HR saturation, %	0.30	

MECHANICAL PROPEERTIES:

Lap Shear Strength	2100 24 HR @ 25°C	
alum to alum	3300 4 HR @ 65°C	
Hardness Share D	86 4 hrs @ 65°C	
Hardness, Shore D	75 24 hrs @ 25°C	

CURE SCHEDULE:

1-4 hours	@ 65°C
72 hours	@ 25°C

ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES:

Volume Resistivity	1.20e+14 ohm-cm

THERMAL PROPERTIES:

CTE, linear	29.4 μin/in-°F @Temperature 68.0 °F
Glass Transition Temp, Tg	97.0 °C, 207 °F
Operating Temperature	-70 to 145 °C

GENERAL INFORMATION:

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

HOW TO USE:

- 1. Carefully clean and dry all surfaces to be bonded
- Apply AA-bond FDA16 completely mixed adhesive to the prepared surfaces, and gently press these surfaces together.
 Contact pressure is adequate for strong, reliable bonds; however, maintain contact until adhesive is completely cured.
- Some separation of components is common during shipping and storage. For this reason, it is recommended that the contents of the shipping container be thoroughly mixed prior to use.
- 4. Some ingredients in this formulation provided may crystallize when subjected to low temperature storage. A gentle warming cycle of 52°C for 30 minutes prior to mixing components may be necessary. Crystallized epoxy components do not react as well as liquid components and should be re-dissolved prior to use for best results.

AVAILABILITY:

This epoxy can be supplied in many different packages.

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