

Technical Data Sheet

Aerospace Sealants



P/S 870 Class C corrosion inhibitive sealant

Description

P/S 870 Class C is a corrosion inhibitive sealant. It has a service temperature range from -65 °F (-54 °C) to 250 °F (121 °C), with intermittent excursions up to 275 °F (135 °C). This material acts as an effective barrier against the common causes of corrosion on aluminum alloys or between dissimilar metals. The cured sealant maintains elastomeric properties after limited exposure to both jet fuel and aviation gas.

P/S 870 Class C is a two-part, manganese dioxide cured polysulfide compound. The uncured material is designed for roller and faying surface sealing applications. It cures at room temperature to form a resilient sealant having excellent adhesion to common aircraft substrates.

The following tests are in accordance with MIL-PRF-81733 Type IV and other OEM specifications test methods.

Application properties (typical)

Color	
Part A	Black
Part B	White
Mixed	Gray

Mixing ratio	Part A:Part B
By weight	17:100

Base viscosity (Brookfield #6 @ 2 rpm), Poise (Pa-s)	2,500 (250)
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Tested @ 77°F (25°C), 50% RH

	Application life (hours)	Assembly time (hours)	Cure time to 30 A Durometer (days)
C-12	12	20	14
C-24	24	80	21
C-48	48	168	56
C-96	96	336	112

Performance properties (typical)

Cured in accordance with MIL-PRF-81733 Type IV	
Cured specific gravity	1.50
Nonvolatile content, %	90
Ultimate cure hardness, Durometer A	50
Soluble chromate, %	4

Peel strength, pli (N/25 mm), 100% cohesion	
AMS 2629 JRF immersion, 2 days @ 140°F (60°C)	
MIL-A-8625 (Anodized aluminum)	21 (93)
MIL-T-9046 (Titanium comp. C)*	26 (116)

3% AMS 2629 JRF/NaCl-H ₂ O immersion, 7 days @ 140°F (60°C)	
MIL-A-8625 (Anodized aluminum)	25 (111)
MIL-T-9046 (Titanium comp. C)*	26 (116)

*Primed with PR-148 Adhesion Promoter

Tensile strength, psi (KPa)	
Standard cure, 14 days @ 77°F (25°C), 50% RH	250 (1724)

Elongation, %	
Standard cure, 14 days @ 77°F (25°C), 50% RH	250

Low temperature flexibility @ -65°F (-54°C)
No cracking, chalking or loss of adhesion.

Resistance to hydrocarbons	
7 days @ 140°F (60°C) immersed in Type III JRF.	
Weight loss, %	7.0

Flexibility
No cracks after bending 180 degrees over 0.125 inch (3.18 mm) mandrel.

Repairability to itself
Excellent to both fresh cured as well as fuel aged and abraded fillets.

Lap shear strength, psi (KPa), 100% cohesion	
BMS 10-11 (Epoxy primer)	
Standard cure, 14 days @ 77°F (25°C), 50% RH	232 (1601)
Type III fuel, 7 days @ 120°F	240 (1656)
3% NaCl-H ₂ O, 7 days @ 120°F	250 (1725)

Salt spray (fog) test for 670 hrs. (ASTM B117)
No corrosion to base substrate or deterioration of sealant.

Note: The application and performance property values above are typical for the material, but not intended for use in specifications or for acceptance inspection criteria because of variations in testing methods, conditions and configurations.

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Surface preparation

Immediately before applying sealant to primed substrates, the surfaces should be cleaned with solvents. Contaminants such as dirt, grease, and/or processing lubricants must be removed prior to sealant application.

A progressive cleaning procedure should be employed using the appropriate solvents and new lint-free cloth. (Reclaimed solvents or tissue paper should not be used.) Always pour solvent on the cloth to avoid contaminating the solvent supply. Wash one small area at a time.

It is important that the surface is dried with a second clean cloth prior to the solvent evaporating to prevent the redeposition of contaminants on the substrate.

Substrate composition can vary greatly. This can affect sealant adhesion. It is recommended that adhesion characteristics to a specific substrate be determined prior to application on production parts or assemblies.

For a more thorough discussion of proper surface preparation, please consult the SAE Aerospace Information Report AIR 4069. This document is available through SAE, 400 Commonwealth Avenue, Warrendale, PA 15096-0001.

Packing options

P/S 870 Class C is supplied in two-part kits and PPG SEMCO® cartridges.

Mixing instructions

Mix according to the ratios indicated in the application properties section. Mix Part A and Part B separately to uniformity, then thoroughly mix entire contents of both parts of kit together taking care to avoid leaving unmixed areas around the sides or bottom of the mixing container.

Storage life

The storage life of P/S 870 Class C is at least 6 months when stored at temperatures below 80 °F (27 °C) in original, unopened containers.

Health precautions

This product is safe to use and apply when recommended precautions are followed. Before using this product, read and understand the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS), which provides information on health, physical and environmental hazards, handling precautions and first aid recommendations. An MSDS is available on request. Avoid overexposure. Obtain medical care in case of extreme overexposure.

For industrial use only. Keep away from children.

For emergency medical information call
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