Chemosil® 411 Elastomer Bonding Agent

Composition

Polymers and heat reactive components in an organic solvent system.

Description

LORD Chemosil® 411 is a versatile heat activated bonding agent which will bond a variety of rubber compounds to metal and polar polymeric substrates.

In some circumstances, Chemosil 411 may be used as a single coat. For general use, Chemosil 411 should be used in combination with an appropriate metal primer such as Chemosil 211. When used with Chemosil 211, the in-service environmental resistance of the final bond will be very much improved.

Chemosil 411 bonds elastomer compounds based on natural rubber (NR), butadiene (BR), isoprene (IR), styrene-butadiene (SBR), nitrile (NBR) and chloroprene (CR), ethylene-propylene (EPDM) and butyl (IIR) rubber to most metals, alloys and polar polymeric substrates.

Bonding occurs during the vulcanization of the rubber. Typical cure temperature ranges for molding processes are 130-180°C. Bonds made with Chemosil 411 exhibit good resistance to oil and other aggressive media.

Processing

A properly prepared substrate surface is essential to achieve consistent elastomer bond performance. All oil, grease and other soluble contamination should be removed by solvent degreasing or alkaline cleaning. Rust, scale and other non-soluble contaminants should be removed by mechanical or chemical methods. Grit blasting is the most commonly used mechanical method. A second degreasing stage after the mechanical treatment is strongly recommended to remove residual grease, oil and abraded dusts. Chemical treatments for ferrous substrates usually involve the use of phosphatizing agents.

Chemosil 411 contains dispersed solids and must be thoroughly stirred before and at frequent intervals during use. Chemosil 411 can be applied undiluted by brush or roller coating. For spray or dip applications, Chemosil 411 must be diluted.

Delivery Specifications

 Method *)

 Solids content
 22.0 - 26.0 weight %
 970074

 Viscosity at manufacturing
 200 - 600 mPas
 950055

 Density
 0.96 - 1.00 g/ml
 950014

*) Methods

970074: Determination of Dry Residue, 30 min @ 130°C

950055: Brookfield Viscometer, Model LVT Spindle 2, 30 rpm, @25°C

950014: Determination of Density @ 20°C

Properties

Appearance black thixotropic liquid



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For a recommended dry film thickness of ~ 20 microns the following dilution is recommended:

Brushing/rolling: undiluted

Dipping: up to 10% xylene or toluene

Spraying: 30-90% xylene or toluene (4 mm

cup 18-20 sec., air pressure 3-4 bar, nozzle Ø 1-2 mm, distance ~ 50 cm)

Dilution will accelerate settling, maintain sufficient agitation to ensure product uniformity. A thin uniform coating gives best results. Avoid applying thick coats which can give poor drying and may lead to film displacement (sweep) during molding. At ambient temperature, allow 30 minutes drying time after coating. Elevated temperatures (up to 90°C) in hot air ovens or drying tunnels will reduce the drying time required. Chemosil 411 will dry to a hard, non-tacky film.

Coated components can be stacked or loaded into bins for transport and storage. Clean cotton gloves should be worn when handling coated components. Coated components can be stored for up to 3 months before bonding without adversely affecting the bond performance. Coated components should be protected from dust, moisture and other contamination during storage.

Safety/hazard Information

See Health and Safety Data Sheet

Delivery Form

Containers 10 kg, 25 kg or 190 kg

Shelf Life

At least 12 months in closed containers below 25°C.

Values stated in this technical data sheet represent typical values as not all tests are run on each lot of material produced. For formalized product specifications for specific product end uses, contact the Customer Support Center.

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