



SC2001 – Heat Cure Silicone Resin

SC2001 is a two-part, general purpose potting and encapsulating compound designed for the protection for electronic devices. It has exceptional high temperature properties, suitable for use in applications where the operating temperature will be up to 200°C. The preferred cure schedule for SC2001 is 3 hours at 80°C.

- · Exceptionally wide temperature range; ideal for applications reaching very high temperatures
- Simple 1:1 mix ratio; aids ease of processing
- Excellent flexibility; does not stress delicate components
- Meets UL94 V-0 approval; high level of flame retardancy

Approvals	RoHS Compliant (2015/863/EU):	Yes
	UL Approval:	Meets UL94 V-0

Typical Properties

Liquid Properties:	Base material	Silicone
	Appearance Part A	Black liquid
	Appearance Part B	White liquid
	Density Part A (g/ml)	1.4
	Density Part B (g/ml)	1.4
	Viscosity Part A (mPa s 23°C)	4000
	Viscosity Part B (mPa s 23°C)	3000
	Viscosity (Mixed System) (mPa s 23°C)	3500
	Mix Ratio (Weight)	1:1
	Mix Ratio (Volume)	1:1
	Usable Life (20°C)	30 minutes
	Cure Time (80°C)	3 hours
	Storage Conditions	Above 15°C, Below 30°C
	Shelf Life	12 months

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Cured System:	Colour (Mixed System)	Dark grey
	Cured Density (g/ml)	1.4
	Temperature Range (°C)	-50 to 200
	Max Temperature Range (Short Term (°C)/30 Mins)	+225
	(Application and Geometry Dependent)	
	Shore Hardness	A50
	Thermal Conductivity (W/m.K)	0.6
	Flame retardancy	Yes, meets UL94 V-0
	Dielectric Strength KV/mm	20
	Dielectric Constant @ 100 Hz	3.1
	Dissipation Factor @ 100 Hz	0.0027
	Permittivity (50 kHz)	3
	Loss Tangent (50 kHz)	0.0016

Mixing Procedures

Resin Packs

When in Resin pack form, the resin and hardener are mixed by removing the clip and moving the contents around inside the pack until thoroughly mixed. To remove the clip, remove both end caps, grip each end of the pack and pull apart gently. By using the removed clip, take special care to push unmixed material from the corners of the pack. Mixing normally takes from three to four minutes depending on the skill of the operator and the size of the pack. Both the resin and hardener are evacuated prior to packing so the system is ready for use immediately after mixing. The corner may be cut from the pack so that it may be used as a simple dispenser. There is also a YouTube video (Mixing Instructions) available on the Electrolube channel to show the mixing process.



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Bulk Mixing

When mixing, care must be taken to avoid the introduction of excessive amounts of air. Automatic mixing equipment is available which will not only mix both the resin and hardener accurately in the correct ratio but do this without introducing air. Containers of Part A (Resin) and Part B (Hardener) should be kept sealed at all times when not in use to prevent the ingress of moisture. Bulk material must be thoroughly mixed before use. Incomplete mixing or use of the wrong mix ratio will result in erratic or partial curing.

General

Sedimentation of the resin has been minimised by careful attention to the formulation. However, any sediment which may have occurred over long periods of time must be dispersed before removing any material from the container. This dispersion can be carried out (if necessary) by stirring with a broad bladed spatula or gently rolling the can. Take care not to introduce excessive amounts of air during this operation or it may be necessary to re-evacuate the resin. Sedimentation will be accelerated by storage at high temperatures. Sedimentation found in resin packs forms no problem since the sediment is re-mixed when the pack is used.

Additional Information

Cleaning:	It is far easier for machines & containers to be cleaned before the resin has been allowed to cure. Electrolube's RRS is suitable for cleaning machines and containers and cured resin may be slowly softened and removed by soaking in our RRS. All surfaces must be clean before resin is applied. Certain materials, chemicals, curing agents and plasticizers can inhibit the cure of silicone encapsulants. Most notable of these include:
	Organotin and other organometallic compounds
	 Silicone rubber containing organotin catalyst
	 Sulphur, polysulphides, polysulphones or other sulphur containing materials
	 Amines, urethanes or amine-containing materials
	 Unsaturated hydrocarbon plasticisers
	Some solder flux residues
Curing:	SC2001 can easily become contaminated by resins of other chemistry types/certain chemical reagents (in particular: amines, peroxides, transition metal catalysts). It is advised that when curing SC2001 in an oven that no other chemical based products are present. If an epoxy resin has been present in the curing oven then it is recommended that the oven is ventilated for 10-15 minutes prior to curing SC2001.
Storage:	When storing under very cold conditions, the hardener may crystallise. If this occurs,
-	simply warm (40°C) the container gently until all crystals have re-melted.
Health & Safety:	Refer to the Health & Safety data sheet before use (see: www.electrolube.com).

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