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Technical Data Sheet Ultrabond 773 121 Tech Drive Sanford, FL 32771 (407) 322-4000 Fax: (407) 321-9700 www.hernon.com

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Product Description

Hernon[®] **Ultrabond 773** is a single component, tri-cure conformal coating formulated for bonding glass to glass or glass to metals. **Ultrabond 773** is excellent for bonding and tacking many parts. **Ultrabond 773** can also be cured with heat above 200°F (93°C) or **EF Primer 56**. Exposure to a high intensity UV light will cure these adhesives to a dry, hard surface.

Typical Applications

- Bonding glass to glass.
- Bonding glass to metals.
- Bonding phenolics

Product Benefits

- Good Moisture and Environmental Resistance
- No Solvents

Typical Properties (Uncured)

| Property | Value |
|------------------|---------------------------|
| Resin | Modified Acrylic |
| Appearance | Clear-Light Yellow Liquid |
| Specific Gravity | 1.09 |
| Viscosity @ 25°C | 15,000 to 30,000 cPs |
| Flash point | See SDS |

Typical Properties (Cured)

Physical Properties

| Property | Value |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Shore Hardness, Shore D | 70-80 |
| Temperature Range, ºC (ºF) | -55 to 150 (-65 to 300) |

Typical Curing Performance

Adhesive Properties

This product is cured when exposed to UV radiation of 365nm. The speed of cure will depend on the UV intensity as measured at the product surface.

UV Cure Time

Measured @ 365 nm, using medium pressure, mercury arc lamp: US 1000, at $\frac{1}{2}$ inch distance: \leq 7 seconds By using LED9, at $\frac{1}{4}$ inch distance: \leq 10 seconds

Fixture Time

Fixture time is defined as the time to develop a shear strength of 0.1 $N/mm^2.$

| Specimen | Cure Conditions | Fixture Time (sec) |
|-------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Glass/Glass | US1000, at ½ in | ≤ 5 |
| Glass/Glass | LED 9 at ¼ in | ≤ 5 |
| Glass/Steel | US1000, at ½ in | ≤ 5 |
| Glass/Steel | LED 9 at ¼ in | ≤ 5 |
| G/B Steel | with EF Primer 56 | ≤ 30 |

Ultrabond 773 can be also cured with heat above 200°F (93°C). At least, 10 minutes is needed to achieve initial curing strength for lap shear substrates.

Typical Cured Performance

UV-Cured with US1000 at ½ inch distance and postcured for 24 hours. Block- Shear Strength on different specimens

Tested according to ASTM D4501

| Specimen | Cure Time (sec) | Value, psi |
|--------------------------|--------------------|------------|
| Glass to Glass* | 30 | ≥ 500 |
| Glass to GB Steel* | 30 | ≥ 300 |
| Glass to AR Steel* | 30 | ≥ 500 |
| Glass to AR Aluminum* | 30 | ≥ 500 |

*Substrate Failure

Shear Strength on lap-shear specimens Tested according to ASTM D1002.

| Specimen | Cure Conditions | Value, psi |
|-----------------|--|------------|
| G/B Steel | Cured for 24 hours @ 22°C with EF Primer 56 | ≥ 2,000 |
| G/B Aluminum | Cured @ 95°C for 45 min and post-cured for 24 hours | ≥ 2,000 |
| G/B Steel | Cured @ 95°C for 45 min and post-cured for 24 hours | ≥ 2,000 |

Typical Environmental Resistance

UV-Cured with US1000 at 1/2 inch distance and postcured for 24 hours.

Block- Shear Strength on Steel to Glass Specimens. Tested according to ASTM D4501.

Aging

Aged at conditions indicated and tested at 22°C

| Aging Period | Conditions | % of Initial Strength |
|--------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| 500 hours | 70°C | 123 |
| 500 hours | 45⁰C and %95 humidity | 118 |
| 500 hours | -18ºC | 114 |

General Information

This product is not recommended for use in pure oxygen and/or oxygen rich systems and should not be selected as a sealant for chlorine or other strong oxidizing materials. For safe handling information on this product, consult the Safety Data Sheet (SDS).

Directions for use

- 1. This product is light sensitive; exposure to daylight, UV light and artificial lighting should be kept to a minimum during storage and handling.
- 2. The product should be dispensed from applicators with black feed lines.
- 3. For best performance bond surfaces should be clean and free from grease.
- 4. Cure rate is dependent on lamp intensity, distance from light source, depth of cure needed or bondline gap and light transmittance of the substrate through which the radiation must pass.
- For dry curing of exposed surfaces, higher intensity UV is required (≥100mW/cm²).
- 6. Plastic grades should be checked for risk of stress cracking when exposed to liquid adhesive.
- 7. Excess adhesive can be wiped away with organic solvent.
- 8. Bonds should be allowed to cool before subjecting to any service loads.

Storage

Hernon[®] **Ultrabond 773** should be stored in a cool, dry location in unopened containers at a temperature between 45°F to 85°F (7°C to 29°C) unless otherwise labeled. Optimal storage is at the lower half of this temperature range. To prevent contamination of unused material, do not return any material to its original container.

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