



TECHNICAL BULLETIN #3029 – INSULCAST 502 CLEAR CASTING EPOXY

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

INSULCAST 502 is an unfilled epoxy with low viscosity for general purpose casting and impregnation, exhibiting excellent electrical and physical properties.

PROPERTIES UNCURED

	INSULCAST 502	INSULCURE 9	INSULCURE 11B	
COLOR, VISUAL	Clear	Amber	Amber	-
VISCOSITY, @ 25°C, cps	700	55	700	ASTM D 2392
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	1.13	0.97	0.95	-
MIX RATIO (by weight)		100:13	100:18	-
MIXED VISCOSITY @ 25°C, cps		200	300	ASTM D 2393
POT LIFE @ 25°C, 100 grams		30 mins.	6 hrs.	-
SHELF LIFE @ 25°C, months	12	12	12	-

PROPERTIES CURED

PHYSICAL	INSULCURE 9	INSULCURE 11B	
HARDNESS, DUROMETER (Shore D)	85	87	ASTM D 2240
TENSILE STRENGTH, psi	10,700	11,000	ASTM D 638
TENSILE ELONGATION, %	5.4	5.0	ASTM D 638
COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH, psi	14,000	15,600	ASTM D 695
FLEXURAL STRENGTH, psi	17,500	18,000	ASTM D 790
COEFFICIENT OF THERMAL EXPANSION, °C	75x10 ⁻⁶	75x10 ⁻⁶	-
THERMAL CONDUCTIVITY, BTU-in/(ft ²)(hr)(°F)	1.6	1.6	-
HEAT DISTORTION POINT, °C	85	155	-
SERVICE TEMPERATURE, °C:	105	155	-

ELECTRICAL

DIELECTRIC STRENGTH, volts/mil	425	435	ASTM D 149
DIELECTRIC CONSTANT, 1 KHz	4.0	4.0	ASTM D 150
DISSIPATION FACTOR, 1 KHz	0.023	0.023	ASTM D 150
VOLUME RESISTIVITY, ohm-cm	2X10 ¹⁵	2X10 ¹⁵	ASTM D 257

USE INSTRUCTIONS

1. Weigh out required amount of **INSULCAST 502** and add:
13 parts **INSULCURE 9** per 100 parts **INSULCAST 502**,
OR 18 parts **INSULCURE 11B** per 100 parts **INSULCAST 502**
2. Mix curing agent in thoroughly, scraping both the sides and bottom of the container to insure proper blending.
3. Evacuate for 2-5 minutes if void-free castings are required.
4. Pour into cavity or mold, etc.

CURE SCHEDULE

INSULCURE 9: At room temperature (25°C.) for 4-8 hours
Full properties after 24 hours

INSULCURE 11B: Masses 1/2 lb. or under - 2 hours at 70°C.
Post Cure - 2 hours at 100°C.
Masses to 2 lbs. - 2 hours at 60°C.
Post Cure - 2 hours at 100°C
Masses over 2 lbs. overnight at room temp. (25°C)
Post Cure - 2 hours at 75°C or 1 hour at 100°C.

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HEALTH CAUTION:

Avoid breathing possible fumes, mists and vapors which can cause severe respiratory damage. Use of NIOSH approved breathing apparatus is required for more than minimal exposure. Always work in areas with adequate ventilation to allow dissipation of polyamine and other chemical fumes, and where applicable, solvent fumes. Use of goggles, protective garments, rubber gloves, protective cream is required. If material gets into eyes, flush thoroughly with clean water for twenty (20) minutes; then seek medical treatment. Avoid skin contact. Material can cause contact dermatitis. Always wash exposed areas immediately, using warm water and soap, followed by rinsing with clean water. Observe all safety precautions. It is important when using solvent based materials or solvents to keep away from open flame or ignition source.

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