

## DOW CORNING® 752 Adhesive/Sealant

#### **FEATURES**

- · One-component adhesive/sealant
- Cures at room temperature when exposed to moisture in the air
- · Acetoxy cure system
- Non-sag, paste consistency
- · Easy to apply
- · Cures to a tough, flexible rubber
- · Good adhesion on many substrates
- Stable and flexible from -50°C (-58°F) to 180°C (356°F)
- · Available in white, black or clear

## General purpose silicone adhesive/sealant

#### APPLICATIONS

 General industrial sealing and bonding applications requiring a non-sag product.

#### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Specification writers: These values are not intended for use in preparing specifications. Please contact your local Dow Corning sales representative prior to writing specifications on this product.

CTM* ASTM*	Property	Unit	Value
	As supplied		
0176	Appearance		Non-slump paste
	Color		White, black or clear
0364	Extrusion rate <sup>1</sup>	g/minute	400
0098	Skin-over time	minutes	10-15
0095	Tack-free time	minutes	20-25
0010V	Non-volatile content	%	97
	Physical properties, after curit 50% relative humidity	ng 7 days at 25°	C (77°F) and
0097B D1475	Specific gravity		1.03
0099	Durometer hardness, Shore A		24
0137A D412	Tensile strength	MPa	2.4
0137A D412	Elongation at break	%	490

<sup>1.</sup> Extrusion rate: 3.2mm orifice at 0.62MPa.

ASTM: American Society for Testing and Materials.

## **HOW TO USE**

#### **Substrate preparation**

All surfaces must be clean and dry. Degrease and wash off any contaminants that could impair adhesion. Suitable solvents include isopropyl alcohol, acetone or methyl ethyl ketone.

Unprimed adhesion may be obtained on many substrates such as glass, metals and most common engineering plastics. Substrates to which good adhesion is normally not obtained include PTFE, polyethylene, polypropylene and related materials.

However, for maximum adhesion, the use of DOW CORNING® 1200 OS Primer is recommended. After solvent cleaning, a thin coat of DOW CORNING 1200 OS Primer is applied by dipping, brushing or spraying. Allow primer to dry for 15 to 90 minutes at room temperature and a relative humidity of 50% or higher.

## How to apply

Apply DOW CORNING 752 Adhesive/Sealant to one of the prepared surfaces, then quickly cover

<sup>\*</sup> CTM: Corporate Test Method, copies of CTMs are available on request.

with the other substrate to be bonded.

On exposure to moisture, the freshly applied material will "skin over" in about 10-15 minutes at room temperature and 50% relative humidity. Any tooling should be completed before this skin forms. The surface is easily tooled with a spatula. The adhesive/sealant will be tack-free in about 25 minutes.

#### **Cure time**

After skin formation, cure continues inward from the surface. In 24 hours (at room temperature and 50% relative humidity) DOW CORNING 752 Adhesive/Sealant will cure to a depth of about 3mm. Very deep sections, especially when access to atmospheric moisture is restricted, will take longer to cure completely. Cure time is extended at lower humidity levels.

Before handling and packaging bonded components, users are advised to wait a sufficiently long time to ensure that the integrity of the adhesive seal is not affected. This will depend on many factors and should be determined by the user for each specific application.

#### **Compatibility**

DOW CORNING 752
Adhesive/Sealant releases a small amount of acetic acid during cure.
This may cause corrosion on some metallic parts or substrates, especially in direct contact or when the cure is carried out in a totally enclosed configuration which would not allow cure by-products to escape.

#### HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

PRODUCT SAFETY
INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR
SAFE USE IS NOT INCLUDED.
BEFORE HANDLING, READ
PRODUCT AND SAFETY DATA
SHEETS AND CONTAINER
LABELS FOR SAFE USE,
PHYSICAL AND HEALTH
HAZARD INFORMATION. THE
SAFETY DATA SHEET IS
AVAILABLE FROM YOUR LOCAL
DOW CORNING SALES
REPRESENTATIVE.

# USABLE LIFE AND STORAGE

When stored at or below 32°C (89.6°F) in the original unopened containers, this product has a usable life of 27 months from the date of production.

As DOW CORNING 752 Adhesive/Sealant cures by reaction with moisture in air, keep the container tightly sealed when not in use. A plug of used material may form in the tip of a tube or cartridge during storage. This is easily removed and does not affect the remaining contents.

#### **PACKAGING**

This product is available in a variety of container sizes. Contact your local Dow Corning sales representative for information about container sizes available in your area.

#### **LIMITATIONS**

This product is neither tested nor represented as suitable for medical or pharmaceutical uses.

## HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION

To support customers in their product safety needs, Dow Corning has an extensive Product Stewardship organization and a team of Health, Environment and Regulatory Affairs specialists available in each area.

For further information, please consult your local Dow Corning representative.

## WARRANTY INFORMATION - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

The information contained herein is offered in good faith and is believed to be accurate. However, because conditions and methods of use of our products are beyond our control, this information should not be used in substitution for customer's tests to ensure that Dow Corning's products are safe, effective, and fully satisfactory for the intended end use. Dow Corning's sole warranty is that

the product will meet the Dow Corning sales specifications in effect at the time of shipment. Your exclusive remedy for breach of such warranty is limited to refund of purchase price or replacement of any product shown to be other than as warranted. Dow Corning specifically disclaims any other express or implied warranty of fitness for a particular purpose or merchantability. Unless Dow Corning provides you with a specific, duly signed endorsement of fitness for use, Dow Corning disclaims liability for any incidental or consequential damages. Suggestions of use shall not be taken as inducements to infringe any patent.