

LOXEAL INSTANT MED-C01

Description

A medium viscosity instant adhesive based on ethyl cyanoacrylate developed for use in the medical field. It is recommended for bonding of PVC, PC, rubbers, elastomers (PEBA, SEBS), metals, leather and wood. It ensures high mechanical resistance and it is certified for biocompatibility according to ISO10993-5.

Typical physical properties

Composition:	ethyl cyanoacrylate
Colour:	clear
Viscosity Brookfield (+25°C - mPa s)	
Spindle 2, 20 rpm:	100
Specific weight (g/ml):	1,06
Gap to fill(microns):	10 - 150
Shelf life:	12 months in original unopened packaging

Typical curing properties +25°C, 50% RH

Curing rate depends on the substrate used, on the gap, on the temperature and on the environmental humidity.

Fixture time

<u>Substrate</u>	<u>Fixture Time</u> (seconds)
Plastics	
* PVC	2 - 10
* Phenolic Resin	2 - 5
* ABS	2 - 10
Metals	
* Steel	5 - 20
* Aluminium	2 - 10
* Zinc	10 - 20
Elastomers	
NBR	<5
Neoprene	<5
SEBS	<5
Various substrates	
* Balsa	2 - 5
* Teak	5 - 20
* Fabrics	2 - 20
* Ceramic	5 - 30

In case of too long setting time we recommend to use Loxeal Activator 9. In case of usage with PE, PP, Silicone rubbers or PTFE Loxeal Primer 7 is always recommended.

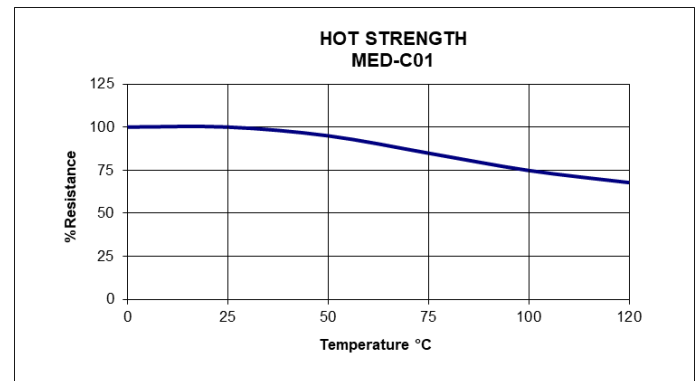
Typical proprieties of cured material, after 24h, +25°C, 50%RH

Tensile strength ISO 6922 (N//mm ²):	20
Shear strength ISO 4587 (N//mm ²):	
Steel	18 CF
PC	11 SF
Nylon	6 CF

CF=Cohesive failure
 SF=Substrate failure
 AF=Adhesive failure

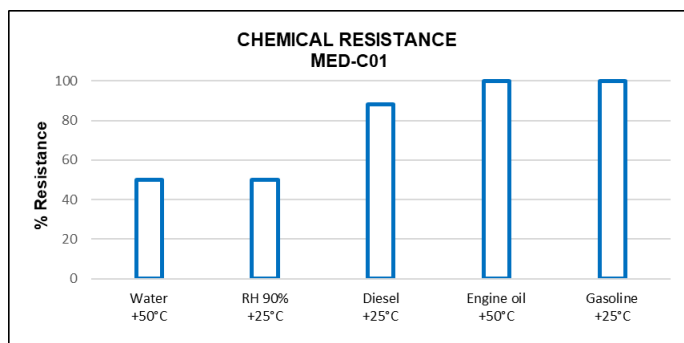
Environmental resistance

The graph below shows the mechanical strength of the product (%) vs. temperature.
 Specimen steel - ISO 4587



Chemical resistance

After 24 hours of polymerisation at indicated temperature.



Directions for use

1. Clean and degrease all surfaces with Loxeal Cleaner 10 and allow drying before applying the adhesive.
2. For bonding low surface energy plastics such as PE, PP, PTFE, apply Loxeal Primer 7 on bonding surfaces and allow drying.
3. To reduce curing time of some hard to bond rubbers and plastics, using Activator 9 is recommended. After its application on one surface, let it dry. Any surplus adhesive outside the joint can be instantaneously fixed with Activator 9 after assembling.
4. Use the proper bottle to apply the adhesive, avoiding the usage of improper tools. Bring the components together quickly and correctly aligned (fast curing does not allow any repositioning).
5. Apply sufficient pressure for a few seconds to fix the components and clamp them until they are completely fixed.
6. Wait 24-72 hours until full cure before any mechanical stress.

Warnings

This adhesive is not approved for usage neither with pure nor with gaseous oxygen.

Storage

We recommend to store product in a cool and dry place at temperature non exceeding +20°C. For better and enhanced shelf life, keep product in a refrigerator at +2°C/+7°C. To avoid contaminations do not refill containers with used product. For more information on applications, storage and handling contact Loxeal Technical Service

Safety, handling and disposal

Consult the Safety Data Sheet before use.

Note

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