

# CV16-2500

## Controlled volatility silicone elastomer

### DESCRIPTION

- Two-part, low viscosity clear RTV silicone
- Designed for enhanced performance in extreme low and high temperatures
- 10:1 Mix Ratio (Part A:Part B)

Meets or exceeds the ASTM E 595 low outgas specifications outlined in NASA SP-R-0022A and European Space Agency PSS-014-702, with a TML of  $\leq 1\%$  and CVCM of  $\leq 0.1\%$

### APPLICATION

- For applications requiring low outgassing and minimal volatile condensables under extreme operating conditions
- As an embedding or potting compound for environmental protection of electronic assemblies and components
- Provides protection from extremes in temperature, humidity, radiation, thermal stress and mechanical stress
- Low viscosity for applications requiring superior flow

### PROPERTIES

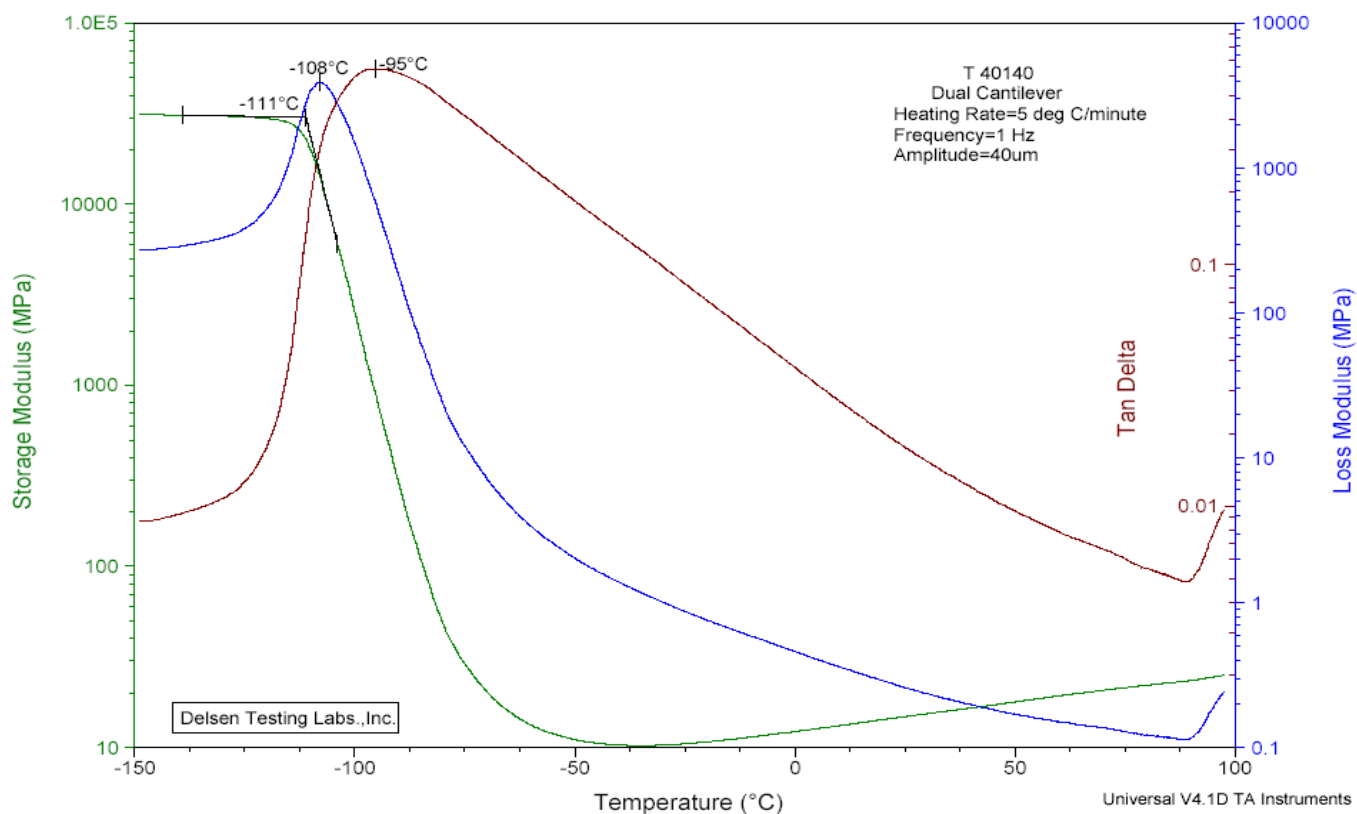
Typical Properties	Average Result	Standard	NT-TM
<b>Uncured:</b>			
Appearance*	Transparent	ASTM D2090	002
Viscosity, Part A *	3,600 cP (3,600 mPas)	ASTM D1084, D2196	001
Work Time*	2 hours	-	008
<b>Cured: 4 hours at 65°C (149°F)</b>			
Specific Gravity*	1.04	ASTM D792	003
Durometer, Type A*	40	ASTM D2240	006
Tensile Strength*	650 psi (4.5 MPa)	ASTM D412	007
Elongation*	100%	ASTM D412	007
Lap Shear Strength* (primed w/CF1-135)	200 psi (1.4 MPa)	ASTM D1002	010
Refractive Index	1.43	ASTM D1218, D1747	018
Moisture Absorption, % gain after 24 hours at 60°C, 90% R.H	0.07%	-	202
Coefficient of Linear Expansion			
Below Tg (-150° to -115°C)	10 ppm/°C (10 $\mu\text{m}/\text{m}/^\circ\text{C}$ )	-	-

Typical Properties	Average Result	Standard	NT-TM
Above Tg (-95°C to 250°C)	490 ppm/°C (490 μm/m/°C)	-	-
Dynamic Mechanical Analysis (DMA)	See Attached Graph	ASTM E1640	-
Collected Volatile Condensable Material (CVCM)*	0.01%	ASTM E595	072
Total Mass Loss (TML)*	0.05%	ASTM E595	072

\*Properties tested on a lot-to-lot basis. Do not use the properties shown in this technical profile as a basis for preparing specifications Please [contact](#) NuSil Technology for assistance and recommendations in establishing particular specifications.

### DYNAMIC MECHANICAL ANALYSIS (DMA) ASTM E1640

	Tg	E' at -150°C	E' at 100°C	Max and Min Tan Delta above Tg
CV16-2500	-108°C	12,100 MPa	30 MPa	0.6 – 0.004



## INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

### Mixing

Thoroughly mix Part A and Part B, in a 10:1 mix ratio by weight prior to use.

### Vacuum Deaeration

Remove air entrapped during mixing by common vacuum deaeration procedure, observing all applicable safety precautions. Slowly apply full vacuum to a container rated for use and at least four times the volume of the material being deaerated. Hold vacuum until bulk deaeration is complete.

### Inhibition Concerns

Cures in contact with most materials, exceptions include: sulfur-cured organic rubbers, latex, chlorinated rubbers, some RTV silicones and unreacted residues of some curing agents.

Note: Some bonding applications may require the use of a primer. NuSil Technology CF1-135 silicone primer is recommended.

### Adjustable Cure Schedule

Product cures at a wide range of cure times and temperatures to accommodate different production needs. [Contact](#) NuSil Technology for details.

## OPERATING TEMPERATURE

The operating temperature range of a silicone in any application is dependent on many variables, including but not limited to: temperature, time of exposure, type of atmosphere, exposure of the material's surface to the atmosphere, and mechanical stress. In addition, a material's physical properties will vary at both the high and low end of the operating temperature range. Silicone typically remains flexible at extremely low temperatures and has been known to perform at -50°C (-58°F) as well as resist breakdown at elevated temperatures up to 250°C (482°F). The user is responsible to verify performance of a material in a specific application.

## ROHS AND REACH COMPLIANCE

Please [contact](#) NuSil Technology's Regulatory Compliance department with any questions or for further assistance

## SPECIFICATIONS

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### Packaging

37 mL SxS Kit  
50 Gram Kit  
100 Gram Kit  
500 Gram Kit

### Warranty

12 Months

Technology for assistance and recommendations in establishing particular specifications.

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