**LS3-3354**

Optically clear primerless adhesive silicone gel

**DESCRIPTION**

- High purity, optically clear, soft silicone gel
- Medium viscosity components can be blended in a convenient 1:1 ratio by weight or volume
- Cures at room temperature in 24 hours
- 1.54 refractive index
- Good UV Resistance
- Good adhesion without the use of primer

**APPLICATION**

- For potting, encapsulating, backfilling, and dampening applications requiring a soft gel with optical clarity
- Viscosity is excellent for dispersing phosphors to obtain high brightness white light
- For applications requiring an operating temperature range of -40°C to 200°C (-40°F to 392°F) or for soldering operations up to 260°C (500°F) for 1 to 2 minutes.

**PROPERTIES**

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Cured: 24 hours at ambient temperature and humidity | 55 | - | ASTM D2240 | 006

Refractive Index vs. Wavelength
NuSil Silicone Gel
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Refractive Index vs. Temperature, 5 λ's
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Dispersion curve fit:

\[ n = 1.524 + (1.051\times10^{-4})\lambda^2 + (-1.077\times10^{-9})\lambda^4 + (1.492\times10^{14})\lambda^6 \]

Linear Regression Fit for Thermo-optic Coefficient (dn/dT):

\[ \lambda (nm) \quad dn/dT \]

411 \quad - 4.09 \times 10^{-4}/\degree C
589 \quad - 4.01 \times 10^{-4}/\degree C
833 \quad - 3.70 \times 10^{-4}/\degree C
1306 \quad - 3.54 \times 10^{-4}/\degree C
1550 \quad - 3.64 \times 10^{-4}/\degree C
INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Thoroughly mix Part A with Part B in a 1:1 mix ratio by weight or volume. Deviations from the 1:1 mix ratio may change cure rates. Airless mixing, metering and dispensing equipment are recommended for production processing.

Vacuum Deaeration

Removed air entrapped during mixing by common vacuum deaeration procedure, observing all applicable safety precautions. Slowly apply vacuum, up to 28 inches Hg, to a container rated for use and of volume at least four times that of material being deaerated. Hold vacuum until presence of air is no longer evident.

Substrate Consideration

Cures in contact with most materials, exceptions include: butyl and chlorinated rubber, some RTV silicones and unreacted residues of curing agents used with a few types of plastics.

Adjustable Cure Schedule

Product cures at a wide range of cure times and temperatures to accommodate different production needs. Contact NuSil Technology LLC 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. This type of 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 200°C (392°F). The user is responsible to verify optical and mechanical performance of a material in a specific application.

SPECIFICATIONS

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.

ORDERING INFORMATION

Packaging | Warranty
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20 Gram Kit | 12 Months
50 Gram Kit | 
50 ml SxS Kit | 
2 Pint Kit (910 g) | 

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