



MEGUM™ 3290-1

Description MEGUM™ 3290-1 is a one-coat bonding agent for bonding fluorocarbon rubbers to metals and other rigid substrates during vulcanization. Also suitable for other common curing systems including bisphenolic and peroxide curing.

Benefits & Features Rubber to substrate bonding system with more aggressive cross-linking chemistry to give good environmental resistance in the finished good.

Uncured Properties	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Color	Clear/Yellow Tint		
Solids Content			
-- 1	4.2	%	
-- 2	7.0 to 8.0	%	ASTM D2369
Density	0.839	g/cm ³	ASTM D1475
Dry Film Density	1.1	g/cm ³	
VOC Content	5.70	lb/gal	
Flash Point ³	13.0	°C	
Viscosity ⁴ (20°C, Brookfield RVT)	1.0E-3 to 3.0E-3	Pa·s	ASTM D1084
Theoretical Coverage ⁵	76.0	m ² /l	
Recommended Film Thickness	0.20	µm	
Recommended Film Thickness Range	0.10 to 0.30	µm	
Shelf Life ⁶ (25°C)	24	month	

Elastomer

FKM, AEM and Bisphenol and diamine cured FKM compounds and diamine cured AEM and ACM.

Substrate

CRS, Phosphate pre-treated CRS, Aluminum, Stainless Steel, etc.

Surface Prep

Review Dow 's rubber-to-substrate bonding agent application guide or contact your account manager.

Mix Instructions

Diluents - Ethanol

First, thoroughly mix MEGUM™ 3290-1 with a high speed propeller-type agitator. If diluting, slowly add the diluent to the adhesive while mixing constantly. Otherwise, the polymer base may precipitate from solution.

Recommended dilution is 1 part product to 3 parts diluent; however, a dilution study using customer rubber compounds and substrate preparation will determine ultimate dilution and concentration of this bonding agent.

- 1 part adhesive: 0 part diluent - estimate 7.4% theoretical solids
- 1 part adhesive: 0.5 part diluent - estimate 4.9% theoretical solids
- 1 part adhesive: 0.75 part diluent - estimate 4.2% theoretical solids
- 1 part adhesive: 1.0 part diluent - estimate 3.7% theoretical solids
- 1 part adhesive: 1.5 part diluent - estimate 2.9% theoretical solids
- 1 part adhesive: 2.0 part diluent - estimate 2.5% theoretical solids
- 1 part adhesive: 2.5 part diluent - estimate 2.1% theoretical solids
- 1 part adhesive: 3.0 part diluent - estimate 1.8% theoretical solids

Application Technique

Brushing: dilute 1 part product with 0.5-3 parts diluent.

Dipping: dilute 1 part product with 1-5 parts diluent.

Spraying: dilute one part product with 2-6 parts diluent.

Drying the Film

The drying time is approximately 5 minutes at 130°C (266°F), 10 minutes at 100°C (212°F), or 15 minutes at 82°C (180°F).

Molding and Curing

Can be used with all common molding and curing methods. Cure temperatures between 150°C and 210°C (300°F and 410°F) are recommended.

Pre-Bake Resistance

Coated inserts can be pre-baked for up to 15 minutes at 120-150°C (250-300°F) without adversely affecting bond quality.

Dry Film Stability

Excellent dry film stability. Inserts coated with product can be stored for several weeks if protected from contaminants.

Clean-up

Equipment clean up should be done using recommended dilution solvents.

Packaging/Sizes Available

Drums, pails and cans.

Storage & Stability

The shelf life of this material is assured for 24 months (from the date of manufacture) at temperatures below 78°F in an unopened container.

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Notes

These are typical properties only and are not to be construed as specifications. Users should confirm results by their own tests.

¹ By volume

² Non-volatile solids by weight

³ Seta Closed Cup

⁴ ULA Spindle, @ 100 RPM

⁵ Applied at a dry film thickness of 0.04 mil

⁶ Unopened

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