

Gelest Flexible Optical Encapsulant Series

Filler-Free 2-part Silicone Elastomers

Features: Provide rapid-cure pure silicone elastomers with high optical transmission They have relatively low viscosity and extended pot-life, allowing potting, embedding and coating. Systems are vinyl-addition (platinum) cure.

Applications:

electronic devices - provide mechanical and chemical protection to electronic components, free of abrasive silica.

optical devices - index matching, cladding or transmission media applications. **supported membranes** - filler-free silicone allows maximum transport of gases.

Capsular Thickness Description: Cure $\operatorname{\mathbf{Pt}}$ Hardness Type 100% active 2-part

Gelest OETM 41 1.41 refractive index 2-part silicone RTV encapsulant, supplied as 1:1 kit

Description

Gelest OETM 41 is a flexible, optically clear molding, encapsulation and coating compound. The low viscosity of the catalyzed mix, long pot-life at room temperature and moderate cure temperature make this extremely useful in laboratory, prototype and small production run applications.

Cured Properties

Refractive Index
Tensile Strength
Elongation
Durometer, Shore A
Tear Strength

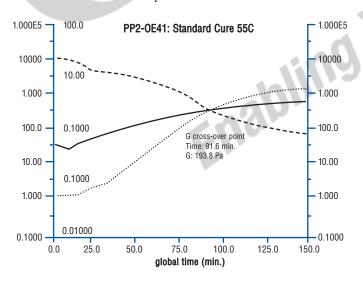
1.407
>300psi
140-200%
15-30
Tear Strength
5-15pli

Uncured Properties of Gelest OETM 41

Viscosity (1:1) catalyzed: 1750-2500 cSt.

Application Methods

Thoroughly mix Part A with Part B in a 1:1 ratio. De-air mix under vacuum for about 20 minutes. The pot-life is 18 hours at 25°C. Pot-life may be extended by storing at 5°C. Pour into mold or apply to substrate. Avoid entrapping air. Cure at 55°C for 4 hours or at room temperature over 72 hours.



Standard Packaging

PP2-OE41 Gelest OETM 41

1 kg kit (500g OE41A, 500g OE41B): \$84.00 6 kg kit (3kg OE41A, 3kg OE41B): \$384.00

Gelest OE^{TM} 41 is available in other versions in which cure speed or volatile content has been varied to match special requirements.

Gelest OETM 41.2 Accelerated Cure

Rapid cure version of standard Gelest OETM 41, cures in less than 1 hour at room temperature, has a working time of about 10 minutes. PP2-OE41.2 **Gelest OETM 41.2**

1 kg kit (500g OE41.2A, 500g OE41.2B): \$96.00 6 kg kit (3kg OE41.2A, 3kg OE41.2B): \$384.00

Gelest OETM 41.4 Extended Cure

Slow cure version of standard Gelest OETM 41, offers a pot-life of 48 hours at room temperature. Cures in one hour at 120° C

PP2-OE41.4 Gelest OETM OE41.4B

1 kg kit (500g OE41.4A, 500g OE41B): \$96.00 6 kg kit (3kg OE41.4A, 3kg OE41.4B): \$384.00

Gelest OETM 41.6 Low Volatility

Low volatility content of **Gelest OE**TM **41.6** offers advantages in electrical and high vacuum where bleed or migration of low molecular weight species can have deleterious effects.

PP2-OE41.6 Gelest **OETM** 41.6

1 kg kit (500g OE41.6A, 500g OE41.6B): \$160.00

Gelest OETM 41.7 Low Volatility in solution

A single component solution version in toluene which cures after evaporation of solvent i 24 ours to form optically clear films.

Product must be stored <5°C

PP1-OE41.7 **Gelest OE**TM **41.7** 100g/\$85.00

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