NuSil MED-5440

Silicone Rubber, LSR NuSil Technology

Message:

NuSil Technology's unrestricted materials may be considered for long-term implant applications (greater than 29 days).

Liquid silicone rubbers, or LSRs, are elastomer systems reinforced with silica. They contain functional polymers of lower average molecular weight and viscosity when compared to high consistency rubbers (HCRs). They are typically supplied as two-component systems and formulated in a 1:1 mix ratio. Because their consistency is akin to petroleum jelly, they are often pumped with injection molding equipment to form molded components such as o-rings, gaskets, valves, seals, and other precision molded parts.

LSRs are designed for liquid injection molding (LIM) processes which may utilize single or multi-cavity molds, or for overmolding processes. Originally designed for automated systems, they are developed with high volume applications in mind and benefit from their high strength.

Comments: FLUOROSILICONE

General Information			
Filler / Reinforcement	Silica		
Features	Fast Cure		
	Good Colorability		
	High Strength		
Uses	Gaskets		
	Medical/Healthcare Applications		
	Overmolding		
	Seals		
	Valves/Valve Parts		
Agency Ratings	USP Class VI		
Forms	Liquid		
Processing Method	Liquid Injection Molding (LIM)		
Thermoset	Nominal Value	Unit	
Thermoset Components			
Part A	Mix Ratio by Weight: 1.0		
Part B	Mix Ratio by Weight: 1.0		
Additional Information	Nominal Value	Unit	
Cure System	Platinum		
Extrusion Rate	37.5	g/min	
Uncured Properties	Nominal Value	Unit	
Density	1.39	g/cm³	
Curing Time (150°C)	0.50	hr	
Pot Life (25°C)	> 1400	min	
Cured Properties	Nominal Value	Unit	
Shore Hardness (Shore A)	40		
Tensile Strength	7.93	MPa	

Tensile Elongation at Break	340	%
Tear Strength	10.5	kN/m

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