E-3955— FST HH

Description

LOCTITE Engineering Grade products are high performance fluids developed to be highly consistent with extraordinary attributes. E-3955 is a high performance, high modulus product which boasts excellent flexural and tensile physical properties with outstanding flame retardance. E-3955 displays high HDT enabling it to be used in harsh environments without deformation or deflection. In preliminary testing, E-3955 passes flammability standards such as UL94 V-0 and AirBus AITM2-0002. E-3955 has been tested in QUV exterior weathering conditions (ASTM G-154—Cycle 1) for 1600 hours with less than a 15% change in Flexural properties[16].

Available Colors: Black

| Mechanical Properties | Method | Thermal Post Cure |
|--|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| Tensile Stress at Break | ASTM D638 | 77 ± 5.9 MPa [5] |
| Young's Modulus | ASTM D638 | 3672 ± 24 MPa [5] |
| Elongation at Failure | ASTM D638 | 2.5 ± 0.3 % [5] |
| Flexural Stress at Break | ASTM D790 | 138 ± 16 MPa [1] |
| Flexural Modulus | ASTM D790 | 5200 ± 112 MPa [1] |
| Flexural Strain at Break | ASTM D790 | 2.9% ± 0.4 [1] |
| Other Properties | | |
| Heat Deflection Temperature @ 0.455 MPa (Green) | Internal DMA | 59.2°C [4] |
| Heat Deflection Temperature @ 0.455 MPa | ASTM D648 via VICAT | >250°C [13] |
| Heat Deflection Temperature @ 1.82 MPa | ASTM D648 via VICAT | 197°C [14] |
| 24hr Soak in Acetone @ 25C (Weight Change) | Internal | <0.2% [7] |
| 24hr Soak in IPA @ 25C (Weight Change) | Internal | <0.2% [8] |
| 24hr Soak in Water @ 25C (Weight Change) | Internal | 0.4% [9] |
| 168hr Soak in Water @ 80C (Weight Change) | Internal | 1.0% [10] |
| Liquid Density (g/ml) | ASTM D792 | 1.27 [18] |
| Solid Density (g/ml) | ASTM D792 | 1.39 [18] |
| Rating | UL94 1.5mm/3mm Thickness | V0 [17] |
| Rating (12 second burn) | AirBus AITM2-0002 6mm Thickness | Pass [3] |
| Rating (60 second burn) | AirBus AITM2-0002 6mm Thickness | Pass [2] |
| Gas Components of Smoke | AirBus AITM3-0005 6mm Thickness | Pass [11] |
| Smoke Density | AirBus AITM2-0007 6mm Thickness | Pass [12] |
| CTE (Coefficient of Thermal Expansion) 25C - 160C | ASTM E831 | 80.5 μm/m/°C [15] |
| CTE (Coefficient of Thermal Expansion) 160C - 280C | ASTM E831 | 136 μm/m/°C [15] |

Liquid Properties

Viscosity @ 65°C (77°F) **ASTM D7867** 800-1100 cP @ 25C [6]

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Pre-Melt Requirements

E-3955 requires pre-melt of material before use. It is recommended to heat E-3955 in the provided 1 kg container at 80°C for 4 hours to fully liquify the material in the container. Shake container before pouring material into tray.

Pre-Melt material should be kept at 60°C to maintain fluidity and should be used within 2 weeks of melting for best results.

Machine Settings

E-3955 is formulated to print optimally on any heated DLP machine. It is recommended to print with 385-405 nm wavelength projectors with irradiance between 3-7 mW/cm². Layer time is given below at 6 mW/cm². **This material must be printed at or above 55C. It is recommended to print at or above 65C.**

| Layer Thickness: | 50um | 100um |
|------------------------|------|-------|
| Base Cure Time: | 45s | 45s |
| Model Layer Cure Time: | 1.5s | 2.5s |

Post Processing / Post Curing

E-3955 requires post processing to achieve specified properties. Prior to post curing, support structures and excess resin should be removed from the printed part. E-3955 requires post curing to achieve specified properties. A thermal cure is the only curing method required.

User must wear suitable respiratory protection during cleaning process.

- Preheat Glycol Ether TPM wash to 80°C
- 2. Glycol Ether TPM wash in closed bottle, agitate by hand for 30 seconds@80°C
- 3. Manually clean any leftover residue using warm (80°C) Glycol Ether TPM
- 4. Remove excess Glycol Ether TPM parts using compressed air@30 PSI
- 5. Rinse residual Glycol Ether TPM off parts using Acetone Spray, do not soak in Acetone (optional)
- 6. Allow for Acetone/Glycol Ether TPM to dry off parts, 1+ hours@80°C
- 7. Place in cold oven and power on oven
- 8. 3°C per minute ramp from 20°C to 190°C, dwell at 150°C for 10 minutes and continue ramp
- 9. 6 hours@190°C
- 10. 1 hour@210°C
- 11. Turn off oven and allow enclosed oven to cool

Do not quench or expose to cold air until oven temperature is below 40°C



