

Technical Datasheet

Elecolit[®] 3043



Product Description

Panacol Elecolit[®] adhesives are solvent free single or two-component adhesives. They are mostly based on epoxy resin and can be cured at room temperature or by exposure of heat. Elecolit[®] adhesives are electrically and / or thermally conductive adhesives which are designed for potting, bonding or contacting of conductors.

Elecolit[®] 3043 is a 1 component silver-filled, solvent-free, low-viscosity conductive adhesive. Elecolit[®] 3043 is easy to dispense due to the low grain size of the silver particles. Elecolit[®] 3043 is characterized by a low ion content (Na, K, Cl, Sb, F). After prolonged storage, the product has to be homogenized because the silver naturally sediments in the low-viscosity resin.

Curing Properties

The product is a one-component adhesive and cures under exposure to heat. Possible curing temperatures are listed in the table below.

Thermal curing	
Time at 80°C	15 h
Time at 120°C	90 min
Time at 160°C	10 min

The curing times given are guidelines. They refer to the curing of 2 g of adhesive. The heating up of the joining members are not taken into account.

The final strength of the adhesive is reached at the earliest after 24 h.

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Resin	epoxy
Appearance	grey
Filler	silver
Filler – weight [%]	80
Particle size D95 [µm]	22

Uncured material

Viscosity [mPas] (Brookfield LVT, 25°C, Sp 4, 30rpm) <i>PE-Norm 001</i>	4 000 - 5 000
Density [g/cm ³] <i>PE-Norm 004</i>	3,8
Flash point [°C] <i>PE-Norm 050</i>	>100

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Cured material

Hardness shore D <i>PE-Norm 006</i>	65 - 85
Temperature resistance [°C]	-40 - 180
Water absorption [mass %] <i>PE-Norm 016</i>	<1

Glass transition temperature DSC [°C] <i>PE-Norm 009</i>	140 - 150
Coefficient of thermal expansion [ppm/K] below Tg <i>PE-Norm 017</i>	52

Thermal conductivity [W/m*K] <i>PE-Norm 062</i>	2
Volume resistivity [Ohm*cm] <i>PE-Norm 040</i>	1,5E-02

Young's modulus E [MPa] <i>PE-Norm 056</i>	12 043
Lap shear strength (Al/Al) [MPa] <i>PE-Norm 013</i>	10
Lap shear strength (steel/steel) [MPa] <i>PE-Norm 013</i>	15
Lap shear strength (brass/brass) [MPa] <i>PE-Norm 013</i>	4

Transport/Storage/Shelf Life

Trading unit	Transport	Storage	Shelf-life*
Cartridge	0°C - 10°C	0°C - 10°C	at delivery min. 4,5 months max. 9 months
Other packages			

***Store in original, unopened containers!**

Instructions for Use

Surface preparation

The surfaces to be bonded should be free of dust, oil, grease or other dirt in order to obtain an optimal and reproducible bond.

For cleaning we recommend the cleaner IP® Panacol. Substrates with low surface energy (e.g. polyethylene, polypropylene) must be pretreated in order to achieve sufficient adhesion.

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Application

Our products are supplied ready to use. Depending on packaging they can be applied by hand directly from the container or semi or fully automatically. With automated application from the cartridge the adhesive is conveyed by a compressed air-operated displacement plunger via a valve in the needle. When metering low viscosity materials from bottles the adhesive is transported by a diaphragm valve. If help is required, please contact our application engineering department.

Adhesive and substrate may not be cold and must be warmed to room temperature prior to processing.

For safety information refer to our safety data sheet.

Disclaimer

The product is free of heavy metals, PFOS and Phthalates and is conform to the EU-Directive 2017/2102/EU "RoHS III".

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