

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

EVERBUILD® EVERFLEX® 700T Silicone

FAST CURE, LOW MODULUS, NEUTRAL CURE SEALANT FOR THE PVCU AND ROOFLINE INDUSTRY

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

EVERBUILD® EVERFLEX® 700T Silicone is a low modulus, neutral, oxime cure RTV silicone sealant that adheres to a wide range of both porous and non porous surfaces without the need for priming. EVERBUILD® EVERFLEX® 700T Silicone is formulated to a high viscosity to give excellent tooling properties.

USES

- Perimeter pointing internally and externally around PVCu /wood and all other window frames
- Sealing and as an adhesive onto PVCu, plastic trims and components
- Suitable as an expansion joint sealant
- Weather sealing and joint sealing to pre-formed panels
- Sealing soft metals such as lead, copper and zinc
- General draught proofing
- Parapet and roof weather sealing applications

CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Excellent adhesion - adheres to most common surfaces including glass, metals, plastics and wood
- Low dirt pick up - important in PVCu work
- Good external weathering properties
- Suitable for use on polycarbonate

Shrinkage	<20% ISO10563
Application Temperature Resistance	+5°C to + 40°C
Viscosity (bfld, S70, 10rpm)	200,000 – 380,000 cps
Elongation at break	>300% ISO8339

APPROVALS / STANDARDS

Certified under the harmonized European standard EN15651 for façade, cold climate and sanitary applications in compliance with the Construction Product Regulation

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Packaging	300ml Cartridges
Colour	Black, Brown, Bronze, Caramel, Mahogany, Translucent and White
Shelf Life	18 months from date of manufacture
Storage Conditions	Store in original unopened containers between 5°C and 25°C
Density	Colours - 1.3 g/cm ³ Translucent - 1.0 g/cm ³

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Shore A Hardness	40 approx
Movement Capability	+ or -12.5%
Service Temperature	-50°C to + 120°C

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Yield	10.5 Linear metres for a 6mm diameter bead.
Curing Rate	1 mm per 24 hours
Skin Time	5 - 20 mins.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

The surfaces must be clean, dry and free from dust, grease and other contaminants. As quality of plastics can vary, always carry out adhesion tests prior to large scale use.

Improve adhesion by wiping surface with PVCu Solvent Cleaner or white spirits (painted surfaces). Priming is generally not required, although we always advise testing small areas prior to use. Prime with Everbuild Silicone Primer P1 for porous and NP2 for non-porous substrates if priming is to be conducted.

Joint design should be as follows:

Minimum width: 5mm. Movement capacity will be impaired if the depth of the joint is greater than the width. For maximum movement accommodation, it is recommended that:

1. The joint depth should be no less than 5mm
2. Joint depth should be 5mm for joints up to 10mm wide
3. Joints above 10mm in width should be half the width in depth up to 20mm and minimum 10mm for wider joints

For deep joints, reduce depth by using Fix and Fill Expanding Foam or a suitable joint backer rod.

All joints should be designed so that the seal is placed in a position which does not retain water or form a water trap. Triangular fillets should be no less than 12mm across the face and should be finished with a flat or convex face.

APPLICATION METHOD / TOOLS

Cut the tip of the cartridge taking care not to damage the thread. Apply nozzle and cut at an angle of 45° with an opening slightly larger than the gap to be sealed. Apply using a standard sealant gun. Best results will be obtained by keeping an even pressure on the trigger and keeping the gun at a constant angle to the surface being sealed. To ensure a proper bond, always smooth the sealant down with a spatula or piece of wood. An improved joint appearance can be achieved by placing masking tape to both sides of the joint, removing within 5 minutes of application.

CLEANING OF TOOLS

Uncured sealant - White Spirit
Cured sealant - Everflex Silicone Eater

LIMITATIONS

- Do not use in conjunction with bitumen asphalt, neoprene and certain organic elastomers.
- Do not use in the manufacture of Aquariums. Use Aqua Mate Sealant
- Do not use on substrates that bleed oil, solvents or plasticisers.
- Non overpaintable. Use Weather Mate
- Not suitable for bedding I. G Units – Use Silicone 450

VALUE BASE

All technical data stated in this Data Sheet are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data and recommended uses for this product may vary from country to country. Consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact product data and uses.

ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY

LEGAL NOTES

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