

# AS157

## Product Description:

AS157 is a high strength, fast curing, acetoxo silicone RTV adhesive rubber developed for applications requiring fast development of physical properties and excellent adhesion.

AS157 is a 1 part high temperature silicone that when cured resists weathering, ozone, moisture and UV. AS157 works well in manual and automatic dispensing equipment.

## Product Features:

- Fast Room Temperature Cure
- Thixotropic paste
- Excellent unprimed adhesion to plastic, metal glass
- Heat accelerated instant cure capability

## Heat Accelerated Curing:

Typical utilization involves dispensing in open air and ambient humidity to result in a high strength adhesive rubber. However, cure speed can be accelerated with hot air to nearly instant cures exhibiting very fast adhesion. A 1 minute hot air stream exposure, followed by a 1 minute cool down in a humid environment, results in a cured elastomer condition exhibiting outstanding adhesion.

## Replacement For:

GE 157 and Dow DC732. Tested and conforms to requirements of MIL-A-46106 Type I Group III material.

## Packaging:

Available in standard 3 oz. tubes and 10.3 oz. cartridges. Other size packaging available upon request.

## Shelf-life:

Sealed containers 1 year from date of shipment when stored in a cool dry area below 70°F

# High Strength Fast Cure Adhesive Sealant

## Typical Properties:

### UNCURED

Color:	Translucent
Viscosity, cps	500,000
Specific Gravity	1.12
Consistency	Thixotropic paste
Working time, mins. @ R.T.	4
Tack Free Time, mins. @ R.T.	12
Application Rate, 90 PSI, g/min.	250
Solids	98%

### CURED – ROOM TEMPERATURE

Cured – 72 hrs. @ R.T.	
Tensile Strength, PSI	750
Elongation, %	850
Durometer, Shore A	38
Peel Strength, PPI	50
Tear Strength, PLI	100
Lap Shear Strength, PSI	330

### Electrical

Dielectric Strength, v/mil	>500
Dielectric Constant	2.8
Dissipation Factor	0.001
Volume Resistivity, ohm/cm	2.0 x 10 <sup>14</sup>

### Thermal

Brittle Point, °F (°C)	-68 (-55)
Maximum Continuous Operating Temperature, °F (°C)	482(250)
Thermal Conductivity Btu/hr/ft <sup>2</sup> , °F/ft	0.0005
Coefficient of Expansion in/in/°F	20 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>

## **Application Instruction Sheet** for **AS157 and AS159**

Clean surface and dry thoroughly. If using the optional "Tube Nozzle", cut to desired bead size. Push sealant ahead by squeezing tube for uniform bead. The paste-like consistency makes it easy to be tooled using a spatula or wooden paddle. Tooling time, approximately 5 minutes at Room Temperature. TACK FREE approximately 20 minutes at Room Temperature. Normal Room Temperature cure time is 24 hours. Length of time for a full cure depends on thickness of application and other factors including temperature and humidity. Accelerated cure may be achieved using hot air. Thin bond line sections can be heat accelerated cured using a 1 minute hot air stream exposure. Test the exposure time on a sample prior to final application.

Primerless adhesion too many metals including aluminum, stainless steel, steel, glass, ceramics and many rigid plastics. Not for use on stovepipes, fireplaces or underwater. Not for use in delicate electric or electronic applications. For industrial use only. KEEP OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

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