# Novagard® 400 Series 400-196 Specification Data



## **DESCRIPTION**

Novagard 400 Series 400-196 is a single-component, silicone sealant and/or adhesive. A semi-paste-like product, Novagard 400 Series 400-196 provides fast tack-free times and high green strength.

# **APPLICATIONS**

As it is a faster curing version of Novagard 400 Series 400-150, Novagard 400 Series 400-196 is ideal for applications that require quick cures and early green strength development. As an adhesive, Novagard 400 Series 400-196 outperforms slower materials in multistep assembly applications where the fast tack and early strength combine to hold the assembly together as the unit moves from station to station.

#### INSTALLATION

As with all single-component materials, the work life and cure times of Novagard 400 Series 400-196 are dependent upon environmental conditions such as temperature, humidity, and application thickness. Adhesion should be checked on small samples prior to full-scale production.

## **AVAILABILITY**

Novagard 400 Series 400-196 is available in 10 oz. cartridges, 5-gallon pails, and 55-gallon drums.

## **STORAGE**

Novagard 400 Series 400-196 has a shelf life of twelve (12) months from the date of manufacture, as indicated by the lot number when stored in the original, unopened container at, or below, 75°F (24° C).

# PRECAUTIONS / LIMITATIONS

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Consult and obey all applicable local, state, and federal regulations for the disposal of solvent and silicone waste. For additional information consult product S.D.S.

Do not use in or around highly oxidative chemicals such as liquid oxygen, chlorine, or peroxides. Not recommended for surfaces that are to be painted.

In confined cure conditions, Novagard 400 Series 400-196 may discolor brass, copper, or other sensitive metals. It may stress craze molded polycarbonate.

#### PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Physical Property	Test Method	Performance Range
Appearance		Translucent Paste
Viscosity	Brookfield #6 @ 10 rpm	200,000 - 400,000 cPs
Skin Over Time	3/8" @ 50% RH & 77°F	4 – 10 minutes
Through Cure	3/8" @ 50% RH & 77°F	24 hours

# **TYPICAL PROPERTIES\***

Physical Property	Test Method	Typical Value
Specific Gravity		1.00 – 1.05
Hardness (Shore A)	ASTM D2240	20 ± 5
Tensile Strength	ASTM D412	150 – 180 psi
Elongation	ASTM D412	500 – 600%
Adhesion Glass Aluminum Wood	ASTM C794	12 – 15 pli 10 – 14 pli 12 – 15 pli
Tear Resistance	ASTM D624	30 – 35 pli

<sup>\*</sup>The values outlined reflect testing that was conducted under laboratory conditions, actual results may vary. The information provided in the above table is not intended for use in preparing specifications. Please consult the manufacturer for additional information.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Novagard believes that the information provided is a true and accurate description of the typical characteristics of the aforementioned product, however, it is the responsibility of the individual user to thoroughly test the product in their specific application to determine performance, efficacy, and safety.

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