# Bondchem

# **Technical Datasheet M128**

## **Product Description**

Bondchem M128 is a hybrid two component structural methacylate adhesive, designed for the bonding of difficult substrates and composite applications. M128 has been formulated from innovative technology, including our revolutionary adhesion system. This unique system enables the M128 to achieve the ultimate balance of mechanical strength and impact resistance whilst still remaining both simple and quick to use.

## **Typical Applications**

Bondchem M128 is very versatile, and can bond a wide variety of substrates without the need for surface primers or conditioners. Typical examples shown below:

- · Bonding moulded DCPD composite parts
- Bonding aluminium and stainless steel lettering in the sign manufacturing industry.
- Bonding automotive carbon fibre body panels
  Bonding PETG in the POS manufacture industry

#### **Instructions For Use**

- 1. Always consult MSDS before using M128 for the first time.
- 2. Carry out surface preparation where required. \*
- 3. Remove cap, and attach mixer nozzle.
- 4. Dispense sufficient adhesive to ensure equal mix.
- 5. Apply adhesive to one surface and assemble components carefully, clamping if required.
- 6. It is always easier to remove any excess adhesive prior to cure using a suitable cleaner \*
- 7. Allow the adhesive sufficient time to achieve handling strength before moving or unclamping components.

\*Contact your Bondchem representitive for full information and usage instructions.

#### **Properties of Uncured Material**

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Resin	Methyl Methacrylate
Colour	Clear/Amber
Appearance	Opaque Liquid
Viscosity Brookfield Sp5 @ 20 rpm	3,000 - 4,000cps
Cure System	Exothermic
Open Time	2-4 Minutes @ 20°C
Handling Strength	4-7 Minutes @ 20°C

#### **Performance of Cured Material**

ASTM D1002 Lapshear	Up to 25 Nmm <sup>2</sup>
ASTM D638 Tensile Strength	Up to 25 Nmm <sup>2</sup>
Gap Fill	2mm
Temperature Range	-55°C to 125°C

#### Packaging

Bondchem M128 is available in 25ml, 50ml and 400ml Nylon cartridges for use with a dispensing gun. M128 is also available in 20 litre pails for use with our BC1 dispensing system.

## Storage & Shelflife

Bondchem M128 should be stored unopened in a cool dry location, out of direct sunlight. Stored correctly, this grade can offer a 12 month shelf life from manufacture.

## Health and Safety in Use

Bondchem M128 is a methyl methacrylate and should not be used without consulting the MSDS, which contains full information regarding the use of this product, including Transport, Disposal, Toxicological, Exposure Controls, Accidental Release and First Aid measures essential to the safe use of this product.

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