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Activator 52

Product Description

Hernon® Accelerator 52 is a single component, non-CFC solvent based adhesive accelerator formulated to promote the cure speed of Hernon® cyanoacrylate adhesives.

Typical Applications

- Securing wire or coil tapes
- Tamper-proofing
- Board stiffener
- Edge guide

Product Benefits

- Environmentally Friendly.
- Used where increased cure speed of Hernon's cyanoacrylate products is required.
- Can be post or pre-applied to the bond. Best results are achieved when used for post applications.

Accelerator 52 meets the requirements of CID-A-A-3097 Type I and II.

Typical Properties

| Property | Value |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Chemical Type | Amine |
| Solvent | Acetone |
| Appearance | Clear liquid |
| Specific Gravity @ 25°C | 0.79 |
| Viscosity @ 25°C, cP | Low |
| Drying Time, seconds | ≤ 30 |
| On Part Life, minutes | ≤ 1 |
| Flash Point | See SDS |

Typical Performance

Fixture time and cure speed achieved as a result of using **Accelerator 52** depend on the adhesive used and the substrate bonded.

Fixture Time, Using grit-blasted steel,

Two-side activation with Accelerator 52

| Adhesive | Value |
|------------------|--------------|
| Instantbond™ 117 | ≤ 15 seconds |

Handling Precautions

This is a highly flammable material. When dispensing this material from a pressurized system, only nitrogen or argon should be used. Please check local, state and federal regulations regarding the use of flammable liquids in the workplace. For example, special care must be taken to avoid contact of the activator or its vapor with naked flame or any electrical equipment that is not flame proofed.

The solvent can affect certain plastics or coatings. It is recommended to check all surfaces for compatibility before use.

Directions for Use

Activation / Acceleration

- 1. Apply **Hernon**[®] Cyanoacrylate Adhesive to the parts to be bonded or fixed.
- 2. Spray or add a drop of **Accelerator 52** over all of the exposed Cyanoacrylate Adhesive (Typically use one drop of activator per drop of adhesive).
- 3. Can be used to check for signs of hazing or crazing.

Surface Activation

- Apply one coating of Accelerator 52 to the area to be bonded by spray, brush or dipping. Contaminated surfaces may need special cleaning or degreasing prior to activation to remove any soluble contamination.
- 2. Allow the solvent time to evaporate until the surfaces are completely dry (approximately 30 seconds).
- 3. Apply the **Hernon**® cyanoacrylate product immediately after drying or not more than 45 seconds thereafter.
- 4. **Accelerator 52** can be re-applied if necessary if there is a delay of more than 45 seconds between original activator and adhesive application.

General Information

This product is not recommended for use in pure oxygen and/or oxygen rich systems and should not be selected with a sealant for chlorine or other strong oxidizing materials.

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For safe handling information on this product, consult the Safety Data Sheet (SDS).

Under no circumstances should accelerator and adhesive be mixed directly as liquids.

Storage

Accelerator 52 is classified as HIGHLY FLAMMABLE and must be stored in an appropriate manner in compliance with relevant regulations. Do not store near oxidizing agents or combustible materials. Store product in the unopened container in a dry location. Store in a cool, dry location in unopened containers at a temperature between 45°F to 85°F (7°C to 29°C) unless otherwise labeled. Optimal storage is at the lower half of this temperature range. To prevent contamination of unused material, do not return any material to its original container.

Dispensing Equipment

Hernon® offers a complete line of semi and fully automated dispensing equipment. Contact **Hernon**® **Sales** for additional information.

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