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# Technical Data Sheet Nuts N' Bolts<sup>®</sup> 429

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# **Product Description**

Hernon® Nuts N' Bolts® 429 is a single component anaerobic thread locking adhesive. Nuts N' Bolts® 429 is a high-strength adhesive for locking and sealing large bolts and studs 1inch and larger diameters. Curing occurs only when adhesive is confined between mating surfaces. The cured adhesive is a thermoset plastic suitable for temperatures up to 300°F (149°C) and exposure to most solvents.

### **Typical Applications**

- Locking studs into marine motor housing.
- Rock-crusher studs
- Locomotive studs
- Hydraulic press studs (large diameter)
- Cylinder liner studs
- Snow plow blade bolts
- Submarine studs

### **Product Benefits**

- Prevents loosening of threaded parts
- Prevents rusting of threads
- Seals against leakage
- · Cures without cracking of shrinking
- Easily applied with **Hernon**® application equipment
- Low inventory-fits wide range of bolt sizes
- Single component-no mixing
- No curing outside of joint

# **Typical Properties (Uncured)**

Property	Value
Chemical Type	Dimethacrylate ester
Appearance	Red fluorescent liquid
Viscosity @ 77°F (25°C), cP	6,000 to 8,000
Specific gravity	1.11
Flash point	See MSDS

# **Typical Properties (Cured)**

Property	Value
Coefficient of thermal expansion, ASTM D696 (K <sup>-1</sup> )	80 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>
Coefficient of thermal conductivity, ASTM C 177, W/(m·K)	0.1
Temperature Range, °F	-65 to 300

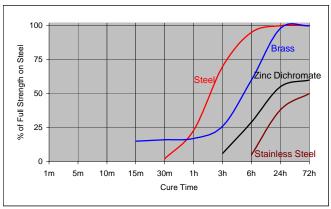
# Performance Testing

Each batch of **Nuts N' Bolts® 429** is tested to the lot requirements of MIL-S-46163A (Type I Grade L), and to the detail requirements of ASTM D5363 (AN0211).

### **Typical Curing Performance**

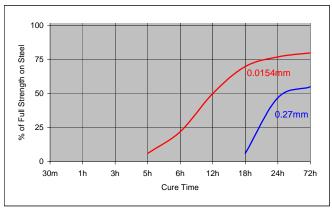
### **Cure Speed vs. Substrate**

The rate of cure will depend on substrate used. The graph below shows the breakaway strength developed with time on M10 steel nuts and bolts compared to different materials and tested according to ISO 10964.



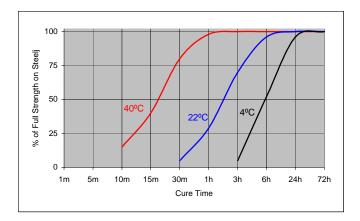
### Cure Speed vs. Bond Gap

The rate of cure will depend on the bondline gap. Gaps in threaded fasteners depends on thread type, quality and size. The following graph shows shear strength developed with time on steel pins and collars at different controlled gaps and tested according to ISO 10123.



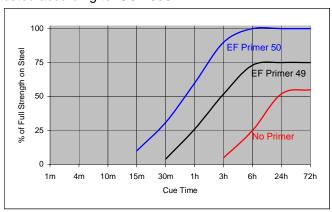
### **Cure Speed vs. Temperature**

The rate of cure will depend on the ambient temperature. The graph shows the breakaway strength developed with time at different temperatures on M10 steel nuts and bolts and tested according to ISO 0964.



### Cure Speed vs. Primer

When cure speed is unacceptably long (because of substrate, temperature or gap), performance may be improved by treating the surface with Hernon<sup>®</sup> EF<sup>®</sup> Primer 49 or 50. The graph below shows breakaway strength developed with time using EF<sup>®</sup> Primer 49 and 50 on M10 zinc dichromate steel nuts and bolts and tested according to ISO 10964.



# Typical Cured Performance

Tested on M10 steel nuts and bolts according to ISO 10964.

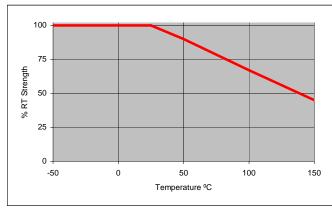
RT Cure	Torque	N∙m (in-lb)	
24 Hours	Breakaway	31.6 (280)	
	Prevailing	31.6 (280)	
	Breakloose Pretorqued to 5 N∙m (45 in-lbs)	38.4 (340)	
	Maximum Prevailing Pretorqued to 5 N•m (45 in-lbs)		

# **Typical Environmental Resistance**

Cured for 1 week @ 22°C
Breakloose Torque, ISO 10964, pretorqued to 5 N•m
M10 zinc phosphate nuts and bolts

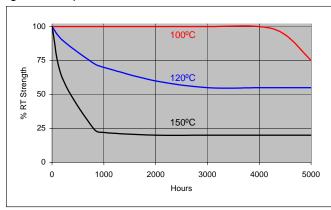
### **Hot Strength**

Tested at temperature



### **Heat Aging**

Aged at temperature indicated and tested at 22°C



### Chemical/Solvent Resistance

Aged under conditions indicated and tested at 22°C.

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	Temp	% of Initial Strength				
Chemical/Solvent	(°C)	100 h	500 h	1000 h		
Water Glycol 50/50	87	90	90	90		
Brake fluid	22	100	100	100		
Ethanol	22	95	95	95		
Gasoline	22	100	100	100		
Acetone	22	95	95	95		
Motor Oil	125	100	100	100		
NaOH, 10%	22	100	100	70		
HCI, 10%	22	100	100	100		

## **General Information**

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

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

Where aqueous washing systems are used to clean the surfaces before bonding, it is important to check for compatibility of the washing solution with the adhesive. In some cases these aqueous washes can affect the cue and performance of the adhesive.

This product is not normally recommended for use on plastics (particularly thermoplastic materials where stress cracking of the plastic could result). It is recommended to confirm compatibility of the product with such substrates.

#### **Directions For Use**

For best performance surfaces should be clean and free of grease. **Nuts N' Bolts® 429** should be applied to the bolt in sufficient quantity to fill all engaged threads.

### **Disassembly and Cleanup**

To aid in disassembly anaerobic compounds can be weakened by heating to at least 500°F (260°C). Once disassembled, cured adhesive can be removed with **Hernon**® **Gasket Remover 30**.

### Storage

**Nuts N' Bolts® 429** should be stored in a cool, dry location in unopened containers at a temperature between 46°F to 82°F (8°C to 28°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**<sup>®</sup> offers a complete line of semi and fully automated dispensing equipment. Contact **Hernon**<sup>®</sup> **Sales** for additional information.

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