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# Technical Data Sheet Quantum® 149

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## **Product Description**

Hernon® Quantum® 149 is a high viscosity, state-of-theart, single component, solventless, room temperature curing cyanoacrylate adhesive that polymerizes rapidly when pressed into a thin film between parts. The presence of surface moisture commences the cure of the adhesive. Quantum® 149 develops handling strength within seconds and full functional strength in a few hours. Quantum® 149 can bond a wide variety of surfaces including metals, thermoplastics, elastomers, ceramics, leather, cork, and paper. Notwithstanding the superior bonding capability of Quantum® 149, it is NOT recommended for long-term glass to glass bonding applications.

# **Typical Applications**

**Bonding** 

Rubber bumpers
Permanent locking of plastic

Fasteners

Speaker components

Shock mounts

Gears to shaft Wiper blades

Acrylic windows

Name plates Catheters

Honing stones

Security collars O-rings

insulation pads

**Fixturing** 

Filter caps Jumper wires Heat sinks

Gaskets
Golf club parts
Tennis racquet parts

P.C. boards Wire tacking

Potting

Transistors
Tamper proofing

Adjustable components

Fiberglass molds

## **Product Benefits**

- Rapid Cure forms a strong bond at room temperature in less than a minute with contact pressure.
- Surfaces will bond almost any combination of similar or dissimilar materials.
- Easy Use single component feature, eliminates any mixing.

# **Typical Properties (Uncured)**

Property	Value	
Chemical Type	Ethyl Cyanoacrylate	
Appearance	Clear liquid	
Viscosity @ 77°F (25°C), cP	2000 to 2800	
Specific gravity	1.10	
Flash point	See MSDS	

## **Typical Properties (Cured)**

Cured 24 Hours @ 22°C

**Physical Properties** 

Property	Value
Coefficient of thermal expansion, K <sup>-1</sup> , ASTM D696	100 × 10 <sup>-6</sup>
Coefficient of thermal conductivity, W/(m·K), ASTM C177	0.1
Temperature range, °C, (°F)	-54 to 121 (-65 to 250)
Gap Fill, mm (in.)	0.20 (0.008)

**Electrical Properties** 

Property	Value
Dielectric Strength, kV/mm ASTM D149	25
Dielectric Constant @ 0.10 kHz ASTM D150 1 kHz 10 kHz	2 to 3.3 2 to 3.5 2 to 3.5
Dissipation Factor @ 0.10 kHz ASTM D150 1 kHz 10 kHz	< 0.02 < 0.02 < 0.02
Volume Resistivity, Ω·cm ASTM D257	$2 \times 10^{15}$ to $10 \times 10^{15}$
Surface Resistivity, $\Omega$ ASTM D257	$10 \times 10^{15}$ to $80 \times 10^{15}$

## Typical Curing Performance

#### Cure Speed vs. Substrate

The rate of cure will depend on the substrate used. The table below shows the fixture time achieved on different materials at  $22^{\circ}$ C / 50% relative humidity. Fixture time is defined as the time to develop a shear strength of 0.1 N/mm<sup>2</sup>.

Substrate	Fixture Time (seconds)		
Steel	20 to 50		
Aluminum	10 to 30		
Zinc Dichromate	40 to 100		
Neoprene	< 5		
Nitrile Rubber	< 5		
ABS	15 to 40		
PVC	20 to 50		
Polycarbonate	30 to 70		
Phenolic	10 to 40		

# Cure Speed vs. Bond Gap

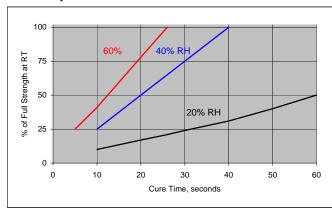
The rate of cure will depend on the bondline gap. Thin bond lines result in high cure speeds, increasing the bond gap will decrease the rate of cure.

#### Cure Speed vs. Accelerator

Where cure speed is unacceptably long due to large gaps, applying accelerator to the surface will improve cure speed. However, this can reduce ultimate strength of the bond and therefore testing is recommended to confirm effect.

#### **Cure Speed vs. Humidity**

The rate of cure will depend on the ambient relative humidity. The following graph shows the tensile strength developed with time on Buna N rubber at different levels of humidity.



## **Typical Cured Performance**

## **Shear Strength**

Cured 24 Hours @ 22°C - tested according to ISO 4587

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Substrate	Shear Strength N/mm² (psi)			
Steel (grit blasted)	18 to 26 (2610 to 3770)			
Aluminum (grit blasted)	12 to 19 (1,740 to 2,755			
Zinc Dichromate	6 to 13 (870 to 1,885)			
ABS	6 to 20 (870 to 2900)			
PVC	6 to 20 (870 to 2900)			
Polycarbonate	5 to 20 (725 to 2900)			
Phenolic	5 to 15 (725 to 2175)			
Neoprene	5 to 15 (725 to 2175)			
Nitrile	5 to 15 (725 to 2175)			

### **Tensile Strength**

Tested according to ISO 6922

Substrate	Cure Time at 22°C	N/mm² (psi)
Steel	24 hours	12 to 25 (1740 to 3650)
Buna-N	10 seconds	≥ 6 (≥ 870)
	24 hours	5 to 15 (725 to 2175)

## Typical Environmental Resistance

Cured for 1 week @ 22°C Shear Strength, ISO 4587 Steel lap-shear specimens (grit blasted)

#### **Chemical/Solvent Resistance**

Aged under condition indicated - Tested at 72°F (22°C).

	Temp	% of Initial Strength		
Chemical/Solvent	(°C)	100h	500h	1000h
Motor Oil	40	100	100	95
Gasoline	22	100	100	100
Ethanol	22	100	100	100
Isopropanol	22	100	100	100
Freon TA	22	100	100	100
1,1,1 Trichloroethane	22	100	100	100
Heat / 95% RH	40	80	75	65

## **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).

#### **Directions For Use**

For best performance bond surfaces should be clean and free from grease. This product performs best in thin bond gaps (0.05 mm).

### **Disassembly and Cleanup**

Liquid Cyanoacrylate should not be wiped with rags or tissue. The fabric will cause polymerization and large quantities of adhesive will heat or cure causing smoke and strong irritating vapors. Always flood with excess water to clean up spill conditions.

# Storage

Cyanoacrylate adhesives must be stored under refrigeration at a temperature of  $40^{\circ}\text{F} \pm 5^{\circ}\text{F}$  for extended shelf life. Before opening, the containers must be warmed to room temperature, otherwise, water may condense into the bottle and cause hardening of the adhesive. To prevent contamination of unused adhesive, do not return product 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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