

3M[™] Scotchcast[™]

Electrical Insulating Resin 40 in Bags

1. Product description

The resin is delivered in a two-chamber pouch with a peelable chamber separation seam and an integrated spout, packed in an aluminium bag for humidity protection. All necessary information for handling, service and safety are printed on the protection bag. The resin is hydrophobic according to IEC 60455-3-8.

2. Applications

These resin bags can be used for low voltage electrical insulation and for mechanical protection of low and medium voltage applications. For use indoor and outdoor in underground and submerged applications.

3. Typical properties

Physical properties	Typical value	Specification
Part A		
Density	0.99 g/cm³	ISO 3675
Viscosity 23 °C	1040 mPas	EN ISO 2555
Part B		
Density	1.23 g/cm³	ISO 3675
Viscosity 23 °C	210 mPas	EN ISO 2555
Part A&B (mixed)		
Density	1.06 g/cm³	ISO 3675
Viscosity 5 °C	2500 mPas	EN ISO 2555
Viscosity 23 °C	900 mPas	EN ISO 2555
Exothermic Reaction Temp 40 °C	104 °C	HD 631.1 S2
Hydrophobic Behaviour	≤ 10 ml	HD 631.1 S2
Volume Shrinkage	3.4 %	EN ISO 3521

Part A&B (cured*)

Mechanical properties	Typical value	Specification
Hardness Shore D	56	EN ISO 868
Tensile Strength	17 MPa	EN ISO 527
Elongation at Break	87 %	EN ISO 527
Impact Strength (without notch)	No break	EN ISO 179

Electrical properties	Typical value	Specification
Volume resistivity at 23 °C at 80 °C	3.89E+14 Ωcm 4.32E+10 Ωcm	IEC 60250
Dielectric Strength at 23 °C	36 kV/mm	EN 60243-1
Dissipation factor at 23 °C Dissipation factor at 80 °C	<0.05 <0.142	IEC 60250
Dielectric constant at 23 °C Dielectric constant at 80 °C	4.9 8.9 IEC 60250	
Properties after dry ageing Volume resistivity at 23 °C Dielectric Strength at 23 °C Dielectric constant at 23°C	> 1.0E+14 Ωcm 38 kV/mm <10	IEC 60250 EN 60243-1 IEC 60250
Properties after wet ageing Volume resistivity at 23 °C Dielectric Strength at 23 °C Dielectric constant at 23°C	> 1.0E+14 Ωcm 34 kV/mm <10	IEC 60250 EN 60243-1 IEC 60250

Note: This data is not to be used for specifications. Values listed are typical and should not be considered minimum or maximum. *curing and aging cycles according to Cenelec HD631.1 S2.

4. User information

4.1 Available Sizes

Size A90:	Scotchcast 40	90 ml / 104 gr
Size B200:	Scotchcast 40	200 ml / 230 gr
Size C370:	Scotchcast 40	370 ml / 426 gr

4.2 Process Figures

Pot Life	at 5 °C	39 min
	at 23 °C	20 min
	at 40 °C	11 min

4.3 Usage Information

The resin is supplied in a two-chamber plastic pouch with a peelable barrier seam in the correct stoichiometric proportion. This type of packaging assures the correct mixing ratio when applying the resin. The packaging features a Closed Mix and Pour Delivery system. The integrated pouring spout must be opened while attaching the mixed resin bag to the housing of the joint or by using the supplied opener.

4.4 Regulatory Status

The 40 Resin complies with EU directive 2011/65/EU (RoHS) and EU regulation 1907/2006/EC (REACH).

4.5 Storage

3M[™] Scotchcast[™] Resin 40 has a shelf life of 36 months from the date stated on original box, when stored between 10°C and 40°C with a humidity level < 75% in the originally sealed bag.

4.6 Safety and Handling:

3M provides its customers with a product specific Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) to cover potential health effects, safe handling, storage, use and disposal information. 3M strongly encourages its customers to review the MSDS on its products prior to their use.

5. Additional Information

To request additional product information, see address below.

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