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Typical Physical Properties

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ASTM

PC 18 MOLDING SYSTEM

Typical Properties PC 18 A (ISO)

Viscosity, mPa·s @ 25°C:	1500-2000
Specific Gravity @ 25°C :	1.74
Appearance @ 25°C:	liquid

Typical Properties PC 18 B (polyol blend)

Viscosity, mPa·s @ 80°C:	1800-2300
Specific Gravity @ 25°C :	1.74
Appearance @ 25°C:	viscous liquid

Product Description:

The PC 18 casting materials are a solid cast two-component urethane system. The PC 18 systems are designed for ease of application and de-mold rates of 15 minutes to 60 minutes depending on gel time. The gel time on the two PC 18 systems is 4 and 9 minutes, and the hardness exceeds 80 shore D. The product contains components that will settle out of solution; Therefore, both A and B must be thoroughly mixed separately before using. Only mix as much material as will be used, as the pot life is fairly short. Mix for up to 2 minutes before pouring. Working time for 9-minute gel material is about 4 minutes and 2 minutes for 4 minute gel material.

Density, Ibs/ft ³	D-1622	107	.5
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Compressive strength, psi	D2370	800	0
Reactivity Profile	4-m	in gel 8-ı	min gel
Mix ratio by weight A/B		100/100	100/100

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Mix ratio by weight A/B	100/100	100/100
Gel Time @ 74° F, Min.	4	9
De-Mold Time, Min.	15	60
Shrinkage (in./in.)	0.005	0.005
Finished color	Gray	Gray

Recommended Uses:

The PC 18 systems are designed for use in making parts or molds with thin or thick cross section, sharp patterns or contours. Cured parts can be machined or painted and have excellent water resistance. PC 18 can replace epoxy resins for many applications. It is typically used for producing vacuum forming molds as well as molds for open pour processes.

Storage and Handling:

Containers for both A and B components should be kept tightly closed to prevent moisture contamination. Do not reseal if contamination is suspected. Use of a dry nitrogen blanket for partial drums is recommended. Component B may be stored at ambient temperatures. Storage for Component A should be maintained between 77°F (25°C) and 95°F (35°C). For best results, this product should not be allowed to freeze, although it may be re-heated in a well ventilated oven for a period of time to re-liquefy solid particles. To avoid product degradation, product temperature during re-heating should not exceed 140°F (60°C). An additional note of caution is that exposure to temperatures over 400°F (204°C) can create excessive pressure potentially causing containers to rupture. Do not breathe aerosol or vapors and avoid contact with skin and eyes. Exposure to vapors of heated MDI can be dangerous. To heat product properly, use well ventilated convection ovens or other methods that distribute heat evenly. Avoid using drum heaters or other



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heat sources that may cause excessive local heating.

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