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# FLEXIL-S RTV 15C + 5% Catalyst S

## 1. DESCRIPTION

**Flexil-S** RTV 15C + 5% Catalyst S is a two part silicone elastomer which cures at room temperature, to a flexible elastic 15 shore A material.

## 2. ADVANTAGES

- High elongation
- Good tear strength
- Precise reproduction
- Low shrinkage
- Option of a fast catalyst

## 3. APPLICATIONS

Suitable for the reproduction of models with undercuts. Ideal for case moulding of figurines. Useable with thixotropic agents Additive TC and HTC for application by stiff brush or knife.

## 4. CHARACTERISTICS

#### a) CONSTITUENTS:

	RTV 15C	Catalyst S	Catalyst F
Appearance	Viscous fluid	Fluid	Fluid
Colour	Beige/White	Green	Yellow
Specific Gravity / gcm <sup>-3</sup> @20 °C	1.25	1.00	1.00
Viscosity / cps	14,000	55	55

## b) MIXING:

RTV + 5% Catalyst	Pot Life/mins	Demould/hours	Full Cure @ 20°C
Catalyst S Green	50	16-24	7 days
Catalyst F Yellow	15-20	2-3	10 hours

#### c) AFTER CROSSLINKING

Shore Hardness/A [ASTM D2 240 2mm film]	15
Tensile Strength/Mpa [DIN 53504]	2.6
Elongation at break/1% [DIN 53504]	600
Tear Strength KN/m [ASTMS D624 Notched Die B]	18
Linear Shrinkage	<0.5

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# d) ADDITIVES

Additive TC & HTC when added at 2-5% to the catalysed mix will make the mixture applicable by a stiff brush or pallet knife.

## 5. PACKING

Available in 21kg kits.

## 6. HEALTH & SAFETY

(Refer to Health & Safety Data Sheet)

Handling and mixing of Flexil-S RTV 15C & Cat S require the following precautions:

- i. Wear gloves and goggles.
- ii. Do not eat, drink or smoke.
- iii. Avoid swallowing, skin or eye contact.
- iv. If contact does occur, wash with clean water immediately and in case of eye contact, consult a doctor.

## 7. SHELF LIFE

**Flexil-S** RTV 15C & Cat S have a minimum shelf life of six months when stored in the original containers at temperatures between 18 and 25°C.

Note: If allowed to freeze the RTV will be spoilt. If allowed to heat to excessive temperatures, gel times will be substantially shortened.

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