# 8800



# **Black Flexible Urethane**

8800 is a black, 2-part, flexible polyurethane resin. It has a low mixed viscosity and maintains excellent flexibility at low temperatures. In addition, this flexible urethane adheres strongly to a wide variety of substrates, including metals, composites, glass, ceramics, and many plastics.

It is a cost-effective flexible potting option that provides exceptional physical protection and creates minimum stress on circuit boards and surface-mounted devices. It offers superior moisture resistance and is an ideal choice for harsh environments, especially saltwater exposure and marine applications.

#### **Features & Benefits**

- 2:1 mix ratio
- · Quick working time
- · 24 hour cure at room temperature
- Constant service temperature of -50 to 120 °C
- Excellent dielectric properties
- Ideal underwater potting compound

### **Available Packaging**

Cat. No.	Packaging	Net Vol.	Net Wt.
8800-375ML	2 Bottle kit	375 mL	418 g
8800-2.55L	3 Can kit	2.55 L	2.84 kg
8800-10.8L	3 Can kit	10.8 L	12.0 kg
8800-60L	3 Pail kit	60 L	67.0 kg

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### **Cured Properties**

Resistivity	8.4 x 10 <sup>12</sup>	Ω·cm
Breakdown Voltage	46 200	V
Dielectric Strength	370	V/mil
Hardness	74	Α
Tensile Strength	4.5	N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Lap Shear (stainless steel)	4.4	N/mm <sup>2</sup>
(aluminum)	3.1	N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Glass Transition Temperature	$(T_{\alpha})$ 11	°C
CTE Prior T <sub>a</sub>	86	ppm/°C
CTE After T <sub>a</sub>	221	ppm/°C
Thermal Conductivity @ 25 °C	0.3	W/(m·K)
Service Temperature Range	-50-120	°C
Intermittent Temperature	130	°C

## **Usage Parameters**

Working Time*	10 min	
Mix Ratio by Volume	2:1	
Mix Ratio by Weight	7:4	
*Based on 100 g sample. Varies by volume and geometry.		

### **Uncured Properties**

Mixed Density		1.1 g/mL
Density	(A)	1.1 g/mL
	(B)	1.2 g/mL
Viscosity @ 25 °C	(A)	300 cP
	(B)	640 cP

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#### **Application Instructions**

Read the product SDS and Application Guide for more detailed instructions before using this product (downloadable at www.mgchemicals.com).

### **Recommended Preparation**

Clean the substrate with Isopropyl Alcohol, MG #824, so the surface is free of oils, dust, and other residues.

### **Mixing**

- **1.** (Optional) Pre-heat part A to improve surface quality.
- 2. Scrape settled material free from the bottom and sides of the part A container; stir the contents until homogenous.
- **3.** Measure 2 parts by volume of the pre-stirred part A, and pour into the mixing container. Ensure all contents are transferred by scraping the container.
- **4.** Measure 1 part by volume of the part B, and pour into the mixing container. Ensure all contents are transferred by scraping the container
- **5.** Thoroughly mix parts A and B together.
- **6.** (Optional) Put in a vacuum chamber at 25 inHg.
- **7.** Pour the mixture into a container holding the components to be protected.
- **8.** Blanket both parts with nitrogen if the material is not used up to prevent moisture.
- Close the part A and B containers tightly between uses.

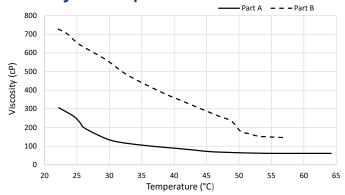
Mixing >500 g at a time decreases working time and can lead to a flash cure. Limit the size of hand-mixed batches. For large production volumes, contact MG Chemicals Technical Support for assistance.

## **Water Absorption**

Approximate sample size: 12.8 mm width, 12.5 mm thickness, and 4.8 g. Cured 1 hour @ 65 °C.

	1 Week	2 Weeks	4 Weeks
Water	0.02%	0.2%	0.6%
Salt Water 10%	0.08%	0.3%	0.8%

#### Viscosity vs. Temperature



#### **Cure Instructions**

Allow to cure at room temperature for 24 hours, or cure in an oven at one of these time/temperature options:

 Temperature
 65 °C
 80 °C

 Time
 30 min
 25 min

Moisture contamination with polyurethanes can create large bubbles on the surface and a lumpy appearance. For consistent curing results, ensure that the resin (part A) is dry before use and the mixture is kept dry during cure. If moisture contamination of part A is suspected, follow the steps below:

- **1.** Pre-heat part A at 65 °C for 2 hours. Mix the heated resin with the appropriate amount of hardener (do not allow the resin to cool as this may create condensation that wets the resin).
- 2. Mix the 2 components together and cure in an enclosure that has a constant stream of nitrogen gas flowing through to keep the environment dry.

## **Storage and Handling**

Store between 16 and 30 °C in a dry area, away from sunlight (see SDS). Minimize the time that the container is kept opened and purge with nitrogen before closing if the material is not used up at once. This product has a 1.5 year shelf life.

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