

### **Dow Automotive**

# **BETASEAL 8000**

## **Description / Application:**

Single-component, high-viscosity, atmospheric humidity-curing polyurethane bonding/sealing compound for high-strength, permanently elastic adhesive joints used in the automotive industry for the direct glazing process. May be used primerless to OEM paint systems following successful trials.

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#### **Technical Data:**

**Basis** polyurethane prepolymers

**Colour** black

**Density** 1.23 +/- 0,03 g/cm<sup>3</sup> at 23 ℃

Solid contents > 98%

Viscosity (Extrusion, Ballan 4 mm nozzle, 4

bar)

pasty, pumpable 12 - 18 g/min at 23 °C

Flash point > 100 ℃

Processing temperature 10 - 40 °C

**Open time** max.: 15 min at 23 ℃/50% rh

Sagging behavior very good, non-sagging

**Tack-free time** approx. 30 min at 23 ℃/50% rh

**Cure rate** > 4 mm in 48 h at 23 °C/50%rh

Tensile strength (DIN 53 504) 9 +/- 1 N/mm<sup>2</sup>

Elongation at break (DIN 53 504) > 500%

Lap shear resistance (EN 1465) min. 5 N/mm2 (height of adhesive layer: 2mm)

23°C/50% rh, 7d

Resistance to tear propagation (DIN 53 515) 15 N/mm

Shore A hardness (DIN 53 505) approx. 60

Abrasion resistance Extremely high

Temperature stability -40 °C to 100 °C, for short periods up to 140 °C

Resistance to chemicals Highly resistant to aqueous chemicals, petrol, alcohol and

mineral oils.

Conditionally resistant to esters, ketones, aromatics and

chlorinated hydrocarbons

Bonding surface preparation All bonding surfaces must be free of dirt, dust, water, oil and

grease. In general surfaces should be primed. Verify compatibility or consult our technical service department.

Processing equipment Cartridges: hand-operated or pneumatic heated gun with

mechanical piston

Drums, pails: commercial heated pumping system with

connection to automatic applicator, if required.

Cleaning Uncured BETASEAL 8000 residues can easily be removed

with BETACLEAN 3000 or BETACLEAN 3500. Hardened

BETASEAL 8000 residues can only be removed

mechanically. Immerse equipment in BETACLEAN 3000.

Shelf life 6 months at +5 °C to +25 °C in unopened containers.

(See "use before" date printed on container).

**Containers** 300 ml cartridges, cardboard packs of 12

Pails: 22 litres Drums: 200 litres

**Protection measures** 

See health and safety data sheet.

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