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RAPIDSEAL



FOLIAC Rapid-Curing Pipe Sealant for Universal Applications

Product Overview

ROCOL® RAPIDSEAL is a fluorescent yellow compound for use as a thread sealant on industrial metal pipework (including stainless steel) up to 3" diameter.

ROCOL RAPIDSEAL has a rapid cure speed that minimises downtime in breakdown or repair situations.

Features and Benefits

- ROCOL RAPIDSEAL has an excellent temperature range from -50°C to +150°C.
- When fully cured ROCOL RAPIDSEAL can resist pressures up to 1000 bar (14,500 psi).
- ROCOL RAPIDSEAL is suitable for use with natural gas and LPG pipework - conforms to EN751-1.
- Suitable for use by registered gas installers.
- Thread locking action eliminates vibration induced loosening.
- ROCOL RAPIDSEAL is NSF P1 listed and therefore acceptable for use in and around a food processing areas as a pipe sealant.
- WRAS (Water Regulations Advisory Scheme) approved material for use in contact with drinking water.
- ROCOL RAPIDSEAL replaces traditional paste/hemp combinations.
- Supplied in a convenient precision applicator which minimises waste, whilst its thixotropic nature reduces drips during application.

Specifications

- NSF P1 registered 152681
- WRAS approved materials 1910543

Directions for Storage and Use

- ROCOL RAPIDSEAL should not be applied in sub-zero temperatures.
- Ensure threads are completely clean and free of contaminants by using a suitable solvent cleaner such as ROCOL Industrial Cleaner Rapid Dry.
- Apply a single continuous bead of ROCOL RAPIDSEAL around the 2nd or 3rd male thread (for long thread engagements a second bead may be required further up the thread).
- Assemble the thread and tighten as per standard practice. Low pressure testing may be carried out immediately.
- Full cure time of ROCOL RAPIDSEAL will depend on ambient temperature etc. However, a full cure can take up to 6 hours.
- For natural gas and LPG installations the maximum thread size specified in EN751-1 is DN50 (2").
- The storage temperature should be controlled between +1°C and +40°C.
- Shelf life is 2 years from date of manufacture.

Typical Applications

 ROCOL RAPIDSEAL is ideal for sealing air, water (including potable), steam (up to 2 bar), natural gas, LPG, petrol, diesel, fuel oils, mineral oils, vegetable oils, alcohol and refrigerant gases.

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Property	Result
Appearance	Fluorescent yellow compound
Temperature Range	-50°C to +150°C
Pressure Resistance	1000 bar (14,500 psi)
Flash Point	>100°C
Brookfield Viscosity @ 25°C (2.5 rpm)	70,000cps
Curing Times:	
Low Pressure Seal	Immediate
Functional Strength	1-3 hours
Full Chemical Cure	3-6 hours
Maximum Thread Size	3" diameter (Natural gas & LPG up to 2")
Natural gas/LPG approval	Meets the requirements of EN751-1 class H. Suitable thread sizes DN10 to DN50 operating at pressures up to 5bar, temperature range -20°C to +125°C.

Values quoted above are typical and do not constitute a specification.