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PRODUCT SPECIFICATION SHEET

BELZONA® 1821

1. PRODUCT NAME

Belzona® 1821

(Fluid Metal)

Fluid grade repair system for creating positive grip surfaces and for casting components where machining is required.

2. MANUFACTURER

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3. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

A two component machineable grade material based on silicone steel alloy blended within high molecular weight reactive polymers and oligomers. The system is designed for creating positive grip surfaces on machinery and equipment when used to bond Belzona® Supergrip or Surefoot to the surface. The system provides a durable non-slip surface with excellent adhesion, wear and chemical resistance.

Applications

Tank tops
Fire escapes
Walkways
Vehicle step-ups
Loading ramps
Chequer plate access areas
Conveyor drive drums
Brake test rollers
Take off and feed rollers
Fork lift grab arms

4. TECHNICAL DATA

Base Component

Appearance	Paste
Color	Dark gray
Gel Strength at 77°F (25°C)	> 150 g/cm HF
Density	2.70 - 2.90 g/cm ³

Solidifier Component

Appearance	Mobile liquid
Color	Amber
Density	1.06 - 1.0 g/cm ³

Mixed Properties

Mixing Ratio by Weight (Base : Solidifier)	5.3 : 1
Mixing Ratio by Volume (Base : Solidifier)	2 : 1
Mixed Form	Viscous liquid
Peak Exotherm Temperature	212 - 239°F (100 - 115°C)
Time to Peak Exotherm	22 - 28 mins
Mixed Density	2.23 g/cm ³

• **Shelf Life:**

Separate base and solidifier components should have a shelf life of at least 5 years when stored between 32°F (0°C) and 86°F (30°C).

• **Working Life:**

Will vary according to temperature. At 77°F (25°C) the usable life of mixed material is 15 minutes.

• **Coverage Rate:**

This depends on the choice of aggregate and nature of substrate as a practical guide an 800 gm unit will cover 6.6 sq.ft. (0.6 sq.m.) at a thickness of 20 mil (500 microns).

• **Volume Capacity:**

The volume capacity of an 800 gm unit of mixed Belzona® 1821 is 20.72 cu.ins. (340 cc).

• **Cure Time:**

Allow the system to solidify for the times shown in the chart below before subjecting it to the conditions indicated.

5. PHYSICAL / MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

Determined after 7 days cure at 77°F (25°C).

• **Abrasion Resistance:**

Taber

The Taber abrasion resistance with 1 kg load is typically:
CS17 Wheels (Dry) 40 mm³ loss per 1000 cycles

• **Adhesion:**

Tensile Shear

When tested in accordance with ASTM D1002 using degreased strips, grit blasted to a 3 - 4 mil profile typical values will be:

Aluminum	2,180 psi (153 kgs/cm ²)
Brass	2,400 psi (169 kgs/cm ²)
Copper	2,600 psi (183 kgs/cm ²)
Mild steel	3,600 psi (253 kgs/cm ²)
Stainless steel	3,600 psi (253 kgs/cm ²)

Cleavage

When tested to ASTM D1062 typical values will be:

Mild steel	2,100 psi (148 kgs/cm ²)
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• **Chemical Resistance:**

Once fully cured, the material will demonstrate excellent resistance to most commonly found inorganic acids and alkalis at concentrations up to 20%. The material is also resistant to hydrocarbons, mineral oils, lubricating oils and many other commonly found chemicals.

• **Compressive Strength:**

When tested in accordance with ASTM D695, typical values obtained will be 10,000 psi (703 kgs/cm²).

• **Corrosion Resistance:**

Will show no visible signs of corrosion after 5,000 hours exposure in the ASTM B117 salt spray cabinet.

CURE TIMES

TEMPERATURE	41°F (5°C)	50°F (10°C)	59°F (15°C)	68°F (20°C)	77°F (25°C)	86°F (30°C)
Movement or use involving no loading	16 hrs	6 hrs	3 hrs	2 hrs	1¼ hrs	1 hr
Machining and/or light loading	24 hrs	8 hrs	6 hrs	4 hrs	3 hrs	2½ hrs
Full mechanical or thermal loading	3 days	2 days	1½ days	1 day	12 hrs	8 hrs
Contact with chemicals	8 days	6 days	4 days	3 days	2 days	1 day

• **Flexural Strength:**

When tested to ASTM D790, typical values obtained will be 6,400 psi (450 kgs/cm²).

• **Hardness:**

The hardness of the material when tested to ASTM D2240 is typically 80 Shore D.

• **Heat Distortion Temperature:**

When tested to ASTM D648 (264 psi fiber stress), typical values obtained will be 100°F (38°C).

• **Heat Resistance:**

For many typical applications, the product is thermally stable up to 300°F (150°C) dry, and 140°F (60°C) wet, and down to -40°F (-40°C).

• **Impact Strength:**

When tested to ASTM D256 is typically 1.9 ft.lb./in. (102 J/m).

6. SURFACE PREPARATION AND APPLICATION PROCEDURES

For proper technique, refer to the Belzona® Instructions For Use leaflet which is enclosed with each packaged product.

7. AVAILABILITY AND COST

Belzona® 1821 is available from a network of Belzona® Distributors throughout the world for prompt delivery to the application site. For information, consult the Belzona® Distributor in your area.

8. WARRANTY

Belzona® guarantees this product will meet the performance claims stated herein when material is stored and used as instructed in the Belzona® Instructions For Use leaflet. Belzona® further guarantees that all its products are carefully manufactured to ensure the highest quality possible and tested strictly in accordance with universally recognised standards (ASTM, ANSI, BS, DIN, etc.). Since Belzona® has no control over the use of the product described herein, no warranty for any application can be given.

9. TECHNICAL SERVICES

Complete technical assistance is available and includes fully trained Technical Consultants, technical service personnel and fully staffed research, development and quality control laboratories.

10. HEALTH AND SAFETY

Prior to using this material, please consult the relevant Material Safety Data Sheets.

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