



## Technical Data Sheet

### DOWSIL™ SH 780 Sealant

Neutral (Oxime type), one-part silicone sealant  
JIS A 5758 G-20LM, G-30SLM (SR-1-9030G) specified sealant

#### Features & Benefits

- One-part sealant for ease of use
- Cures to a flexible silicone elastomer
- Nonacidic cure enables use on a variety of substrates
- Non-sag
- Excellent adhesion properties for substrate such as various metals (except copper/brass), glass, tiles, earthenwares, etc.
- Inherently waterproof
- Remains flexible over a wide temperature range (-40 to 150°C)
- Greater UV stability and temperature and weather resistance than organic sealants such as urethane sealants and modified silicone sealants

#### Composition

- One-part
- Neutral cure (Oxime type)
- RTV sealant

#### Applications

- General-purpose sealing and bonding
- Space-filling rubber adhesive
- Caulking and sealing window and door frames

#### Typical Properties

Specification Writers: These values are not intended for use in preparing specifications.

Test <sup>1</sup>	Property	Unit	Result
JIS A 1439	Tack free (JIS)	minutes	6
JIS K 6249	Density	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.03
JIS K 6249	Hardness (JIS type A)		19
JIS K 6249	Tensile strength	MPa	1.8
JIS K 6249	Elongation	%	600

1. JIS: Japanese Industrial Standard

## Description

DOWSIL™ SH 780 Sealant is a one-part, neutral-cure (Oxime type) RTV sealant. It easily extrudes in any weather and cures quickly at room temperature.

This cold-applied, non-sagging silicone material cures to silicone rubber upon exposure to atmospheric moisture.

## How to Use

Consult the “Sealant Hand Book,” “JASS8 Waterproofing Work,” and “Technological Indicator Concerning Watertight Design and Construction of the Outside Wall Joint.”

## Approvals/ Specifications

This sealant meets or exceeds the requirements of:

- JIS A5758 G-20LM G-30SLM (SR-1-9030G)
- JSIA F☆☆☆☆

## Colors

DOWSIL™ SH 780 Sealant is available in several colors including: clear, white, aluminum, gray, light-gray 2, umber, dark brown, black, and stain.

## Primer

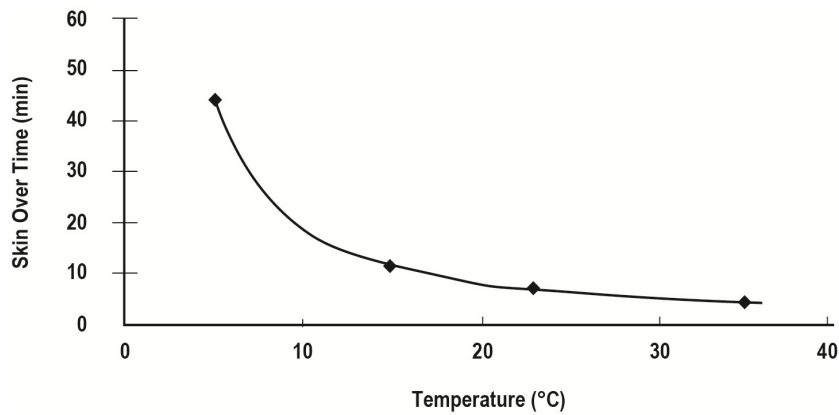
Use primers to increase adhesion to glass, metal, and porous materials. It is recommended to test adhesion properties with the substrate prior to application.

**Table 1:** JIS A5758 (G-20LM/G-30SLM) Test Result (with DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF))

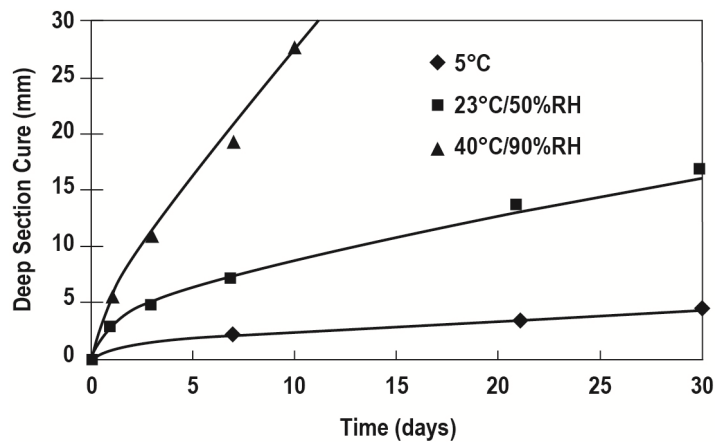
Properties	Condition	Unit	Results		Specification
Slump (length)	5 ± 2°C	mm	0		3 or less
	50 ± 2°C	mm	0		3 or less
Slump (breadth)	5 ± 2°C	mm	0		3 or less
	50 ± 2°C	mm	0		3 or less
Change in volume		%	6		10 or less
60% Modulus	23 ± 2°C	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Glass	0.3	0.4 or less
		N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Aluminum	0.3	0.4 or less
	-20 ± 2°C	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Glass	0.3	0.6 or less
		N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Aluminum	0.3	0.6 or less
Durability (9030G)	23 ± 2°C		Pass		No failure
Adhesion properties at maintained extension	23 ± 2°C		Glass	Pass	No failure
			Aluminum	Pass	No failure
	-20 ± 2°C		Glass	Pass	No failure
			Aluminum	Pass	No failure
Adhesion properties after exposure to artificial light through glass	23 ± 2°C		Glass	Pass	No failure
Adhesion properties at variable temperature	23 ± 2°C		Aluminum	Pass	No failure
Adhesion properties after immersion in water	23 ± 2°C		Glass	Pass	No failure
			Aluminum	Pass	No failure
Elastic recovery (G-20LM/G-30SLM)	23 ± 2°C	%	95/90		60 or more

**Table 2:** Tensile Adhesion Properties (JIS A1439: with DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF), Tensile Speed: 50 mm/min @ 20°C)

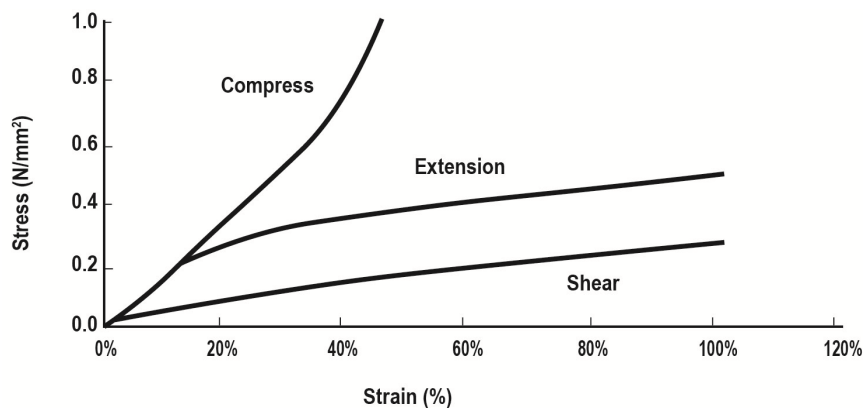
	Condition	50% Modulus (N/mm <sup>2</sup> )	Max. Strength (N/mm <sup>2</sup> )	Elongation at Max. Strength (%)
Aluminum	Initial	0.36	0.71	254
	@90 ± 2°C for 14 days	0.39	0.78	248
	@23 ± 2°C for 7 days in water	0.35	0.79	281
Glass	Initial	0.37	0.66	214
	@90 ± 2°C for 14 days	0.38	0.65	192
	@23 ± 2°C for 7 days in water	0.36	0.64	217
	In Xenon Weather Meter for 1300 hours	0.37	0.67	232



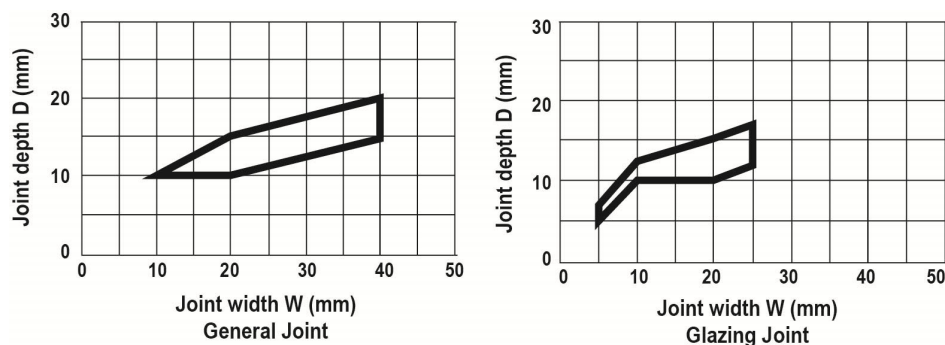
**Figure 1:** Surface Cure Speed



**Figure 2:** Deep Section Cure



**Figure 3:** Stress Strain Curve (JIS A1439 test piece)



**Figure 4:** Setting of Joint Depth

### Joint Design

The joint design must conform to “JASS8 (Construction standard of Architect Institute of Japan)” and “Technological Indicator Concerning Watertight Design and Construction of the Outside Wall Joint.”

**Table 3:** General Adhesion Properties

Test method: JASS8 Simple adhesion test

Primer: DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF) or DOWSIL™ Primer-B

Cure condition: 23°C/50% RH × 7 days

Substrate		Primer	Cohesion failure %
Glass	Float Glass	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Heat Reflecting Glass	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Supper Heat Reflecting Glass	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Heat Absorbing Glass	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Porcelain-clad	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Ceramic Tile	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%

**Table 3:** General Adhesion Properties (Cont.)

	Substrate	Primer	Cohesion failure %
<b>Metal</b>	Anodized Aluminum	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Electrolytic Colorized Aluminum	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	SPCC-SB (Ni Plated)	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	SUS	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Hot Dip Zincing	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
<b>Coating</b>	Acryl Coating	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Melamine Coating	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3 (RF)	100%
	PVC Coating	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
<b>Plastic</b>	PET Glass	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Epoxy Glass	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Poly Styrene	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Rigid PVC	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
<b>Rubber</b>	Silicone Rubber	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Modified Silicone Rubber	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
	Poly Sulfide Rubber	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	0%
	Urethane Rubber	DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF)	100%
<b>Porous Substrate</b>	Mortar, Concrete	DOWSIL™ Primer-B	100%
	ALC	DOWSIL™ Primer-B	100%
	Slate Siding Board	DOWSIL™ Primer-B	100%
<b>Wood</b>	Cedar, Cypress	DOWSIL™ Primer-B	100%
	Luan	DOWSIL™ Primer-B	100%

**Notes**

Adhesion properties might be different according to the manufacturer and the kind.

The adhesion test is recommended before apply sealant.

The use of the primer is recommended for to improve adhesion properties and durability.

There is a possibility that the sealant changes in quality by the contact of EPDM and CR with the sealant.

**Primer**

Recommended primers include:

- DOWSIL™ Primer-D3(RF) for glass, metal, varnished metal
- DOWSIL™ Primer-B for wood, mortar, concrete

Refer to the primer data sheet for details. Please contact Dow Sales Engineer for specific advice.

**Handling  
Precautions**

- The substrate surface should be clean and dry.
- After applying sealant, it is necessary to protect the surface from rain for at least one day.
- It is necessary to prevent the joint from extensive movement during cure.
- A stain may be visible around the joint when used on an outside wall joint.
- When using an air gun, air pressure should be controlled below 0.3 MPa.
- Sealant quality may be affected by contact with EPDM and Chloroprene.

**Handling  
Precautions  
(Cont.)**

- Product evolves methyl ethyl ketoxime (MEKO) which may discolor/corrode brass and copper or crack acryl resin and polycarbonate. Please do not use it for these substrates.
- When curing an alcohol sealant on/near or under a cured oxime sealant, it may discolor. When curing an oxime sealant on/near or under a cured alcohol sealant, it also may discolor.
- Do not use near an open flame.
- Not recommended for use at continuous temperatures above 150°C.
- Do not use on aquariums.
- Solvent based primers are highly flammable. Keep away from open flame.
- Oxime Sealant - This product generates methyl ethyl ketoxime (MEKO) during curing. In animal experiments in which MEKO is inhaled in large quantities for a long period of time, there has been health issues. Inhalation in large quantities for a long period of time may damage your health, so provide sufficient ventilation when using. If you need more information, please refer to Safety Data Sheet.

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Storage**

When stored in a cool and dark space, DOWSIL™ SH 780 Sealant has a shelf life of 12 months from the date of manufacture. It might be discolored during storage under high temperature. Refer to product packaging for “Date of Manufacture.”

**Packaging  
Information**

DOWSIL™ SH 780 Sealant is supplied in 330 ml disposable plastic cartridge. Please contact Dow Sales Engineer for specific advice.

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This product is neither tested nor represented as suitable for medical or pharmaceutical uses.

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