

VE518BEP

Enduraflex[™] black, soft, EPDM lining and cap material for VE530BEP. FDA compliant.

SPECIFICATIONS

Durometer of Face Material: Shore A Scale

Atmospheric Cure: 50-60 A

Pressure Cure: 50-60 A

Skive:

Open

Repairs:

Repair with original lining or CU535BEP See Section 16 – Repair Procedures

Storage Life from Date of Shipment:

 $32^{\circ}F(0^{\circ}C)$ to $50^{\circ}F(10^{\circ}C) - 180$ days $51^{\circ}F(13^{\circ}C)$ to $65^{\circ}F(19^{\circ}C) - 90$ days $66^{\circ}F(21^{\circ}C)$ to $75^{\circ}F(23^{\circ}C) - 60$ days $76^{\circ}F(23^{\circ}C)$ to $85^{\circ}F(30^{\circ}C) - 30$ days

* Storage temperature must not exceed 85°F (30°C).

CURE METHODS AND TIMES:

Autoclave	2 hours at 275°F (135°C)		
Internal Pressure	6 hours at 260°F (127°C)		
Atmospheric	Step 1 Observe a gradual warm-up time until reaching 160°F (71°C)		
	Step 2 24 hours at 180°F (82°C) or 20 hours at 200°F (94°C)		

Note: Cure times may require adjustment to compensate for heavy metal thickness, low exterior temperatures or other unusual factors. See Section 14 – Curing Instructions.

ADHESIVE SYSTEM

1 st Coat on Metal	Chemlok® 205	
2 nd Coat on Metal	Chemlok® 234B	
3 rd Coat on Metal	Tack 500	
On the rubber	Tack 500	

* Each adhesive component requires thorough mixing before application.

TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Tensile Strength PSI	ASTM D412	1100
% Elongation at Break	ASTM D412	450
Durometer	ASTM D2240	55 A
Specific Gravity	ASTM D927	1.13
Adhesion To Metal	ASTM D429	20 lbs.

APPLICATOR NOTES

- 1. Plying up layers of rubber lining thicker than 1/4" could result in rubber flowing or sagging during cure.
- The temperature of the substrate must be greater than 60°F (15°C) prior to applying primer and rubber. Temperatures should not exceed 120°F (49°C).
- 3. A heated table that warms rubber to approximately 120°F (49°C) prior to application is recommended.
- 4. Strict adherence to adhesive specifications is required. Tack time is critical to the success of the bond.

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