

# Araldite<sup>®</sup> CV 5863

# Aradur<sup>®</sup> HV 5863

UL<sup>®</sup> Recognized Insulation Compound for 180°C Applications

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**General**

Araldite CV 5863 with Aradur HV 5863 is a two-component epoxy paste compound for bonding electrical insulating materials. It has excellent thermal endurance up to 180°C and outstanding resistance to most common chemicals including electrical insulating oils.

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**Applications**

Araldite CV 5863 with Aradur HV 5863 is a two-component ambient temperature gelling electrical bonding compound, which after post curing at temperatures up to 150°C, will give bonds with temperature resistance up to 180°C and excellent resistance to common chemicals, including transformer oils. It is suitable for bonding a wide range of substrates, both metals and electrical insulating materials that include Nomex<sup>®</sup> and porcelain ceramics.

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**Benefits**

Non-flowing paste for ease of application  
Gap filling  
For use in applications up to 180°C as tested in accordance with UL 1446  
Excellent resistance to most common chemicals including transformer oils  
Bonds to a wide range of substrate materials used in electrical applications  
Cures at room temperature - post cure recommended for optimal properties

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**Typical Properties\*****Araldite CV 5863**

Appearance	White-beige paste
Viscosity @ 25°C, cPs	90,000 – 140,000
Specific gravity, g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.55 – 1.65
Flash Point, Closed Cup, °C	190

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**Aradur HV 5863**

Appearance	Black paste
Viscosity @ 25°C, cPs	50,000 – 70,000
Specific gravity, g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.55 – 1.65
Flash Point, Closed Cup, °C	> 200

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**Mixed**

Appearance	Dark grey paste
Viscosity @ 25°C, cPs	80,000 – 140,000
Specific gravity, g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.55 – 1.65
Pot life (100 gm) @ 25°C, min	90

\* Typical properties are based on Huntsman's test methods. Copies are available upon request.

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**Packaging & Storage**

Store at 70-90°F in a dry well-sealed condition, if possible in original containers. If only part of container is used, blanket with dry nitrogen and tightly re-seal.

Under these conditions their shelf lives will be one year from date of shipping. Contact Customer Service for packaging information.

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**Mix ratios\***

	Parts by weight	Parts by volume
Araldite CV 5863	100	100
Aradur HV 5863	50	50

\*Resin and hardener should be mixed together at room temperature with thorough stirring

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**Processing data****Pretreatment**

The strength and durability of a bonded joint are dependent on proper pretreatment of the surfaces to be bonded. The bonding surfaces should be cleaned with a degreasing agent such as acetone in order to remove all traces of oil, grease and dirt. Alcohol, gasoline or paint thinners are not recommended. The strongest and most durable joints are obtained by either mechanically abrading or chemically etching the degreased surfaces. Abrading should always be followed by a second degreasing step.

**Application**

The resin/hardener mixture is applied directly or with spatula, to the pretreated and dry bonding surfaces. A layer of adhesive 0.05 to 0.10 mm. thick will normally impart the greatest lap shear strength to a joint. The bonded components should be assembled and clamped if necessary as soon as the adhesive has been applied. An even contact pressure over the bonded area will ensure optimum cure.

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### **Equipment Maintenance**

All tools should be cleaned with hot water and soap before any residual material has had time to cure. If solvents such as acetone are used for cleaning, operators should take the appropriate precautions and avoid any contact with skin or eyes.

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### **Cure Requirements**

Temperature (°C)	40	60	100
Cure to lap shear > 1 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	50 minutes	15 minutes	5 minutes

To achieve optimum performance properties an elevated temperature cure or post cure is recommended. Lap shear strength of >1 N/mm<sup>2</sup> represents strength where careful handling of the bonded object is possible. This product will not fully cure at temperatures below 60°C. Suggested cure schedules are:  
3 hours at 80°C or  
1 hour at 130°C or  
15 minutes at 150°C

### **Average lap shear strength vs. immersion in various media for 90 days**

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### **Physical Properties**

**(ISO 4587)**  
Hardness Shore D 87 – 92  
Cured for 24 hours/23°C + 1 hour/130°C and tested at 23°C  
10°C 148 – 153  
Substrates are aluminum alloy  
Coefficient of linear thermal expansion 25– 30 x 10<sup>-6</sup>

### **Average lap shear strength of typical metal-to-metal joints (ISO 4587)**

Cured for 24 hours/23°C + 1 hour/130°C and tested at 23°C  
Pre-treatment – sandblasted

<b>Metal</b>	<b>Joint Thickness (mm.)</b>	<b>Value ((N/mm<sup>2</sup>)</b>
Aluminum alloy	1.5	17
Steel 37/11	1.0	10
Stainless steel V4A	2.0	12
Steel (galvanized)	0.8	12
Copper	1.5	4
Brass	1.5	4

### **Average lap shear strength of typical plastic-to-plastic joints (ISO 4587)**

Cured for 24 hours/23°C + 1 hour/130°C and tested at 23°C  
Pre-treatment – lightly abrade and alcohol degrease

Media	Temperature (°C)	Value ((N/mm <sup>2</sup> ))
As-made	23	17
Acetone	23	16
Gasoline	23	15
Ethyl acetata	23	15
Acetic acid, 10%	23	6
Methanol	23	18
Lubricating oil	23	16
Sulfuric acid, 10%	23	9
1,1,1-trichloroethane	23	17
Water	20	17
Water	90	19

**Average lap shear strength vs. tropical weathering (40/92, DIN 50015)**

Cured for 24 hours/23°C + 1 hour/130°C and tested at 23°C

Substrates are aluminum alloy

Condition	Value (N/mm <sup>2</sup> )
As made	17
After 30 days	17
After 60 days	17
After 90 days	18

**Electrical Properties  
(typical values)**

Cured for 24 hours/23°C + 15 minutes/150°C

Dielectric Strength @ 3mm, v/mil	375
Dielectric constant, 60 Hz	
@ 25°C	4.96
@ 50°C	5.06
@ 100°C	4.26
@ 125°C	5.48
Dissipation factor, 60 Hz	
@ 25°C	0.0066
@ 50°C	0.0059
@ 100°C	0.0097
@ 125°C	0.0319
Volume resistivity, ohm-cm	
@ 25°C	1.2 x 10 <sup>16</sup>
@ 50°C	4.2 x 10 <sup>15</sup>
@ 100°C	3.2 x 10 <sup>13</sup>
@ 125°C	2.3 x 10 <sup>12</sup>

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**Handling/Safety  
Precautions**

Mandatory and recommended industrial hygiene procedures should be followed whenever our products are being handled and processed. For additional information please consult the corresponding material safety data sheets.

**Araldite CV 5863**

**Warning!** Causes skin and eye irritation. May cause allergic skin reaction. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin. Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Aradur HV 5863**

**Warning!** Corrosive - causes skin and eye burns. Harmful if swallowed, if absorbed through skin, or if inhaled. May cause allergic skin reaction. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Keep container closed. Use with adequate ventilation. Wash thoroughly after handling.

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**First Aid****In case of contact:**

**Eyes:** Flush eyes with plenty of water for 15 minutes and get prompt medical attention.

**Skin:** Wash skin thoroughly with mild soap and water; remove contaminated clothing before reuse. Discard contaminated shoes and other articles made of leather.

**Inhalation:** Remove person to fresh air.

**Ingestion:** **Do not** induce vomiting. Dilute with plenty of water and contact physician immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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