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Continuous measurement of resin cure shrinkage ratio, Volume change of shrinkage stress



In addition to the evaluation of physical properties such as adhesive strength for improving the performance and stabilizing the quality of reactive resins such as adhesives and coating agents, cured state such as degree of hardening evaluation is required. The cure shrinkage stress measurement device can continuously measure the change in volume during curing.

Measurement Example of UV Curable Resin



The graph shows a result of two types of UV curable resins after continuous measurement of the shrinkage rate during curing process. It can be seen that the expansion after UV irradiation is suppressed with the low shrinkage treated acrylic resin.

Measurement Example of Thermosetting Resin



As the temperature increases, the shrinkage factor increase after the desired curing temperature is reached. Further shrinkage transpires when the temperature is lowered. It is found that the initial shrinkage rate is 2.5% and the maximum shrinkage rate is 4.5%.

Sample Volume Required is 1cc

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Type of Division by Function

Model		EU201A	EU201- PRO	EU201B	EU201B -PRO	EU201C	EU201C -PRO	EU201 G	EU201 H	EU201 I
Туре		Heat + Stress	Heat + Stress + Procon	Heat + Shrinka ge + Procon	Heat + Shrinka ge + Procon	Heat + Stress + Shrinka ge factor	Heat + Shrinka ge factor + Procon	Stress	Shrinka ge factor	Stress + Shrinka ge factor
Function	Shrinkage Stress	•	•			•	•	•		•
	Shrinkage			•	•	•	٠		•	•
	Heating or Cooling	•	•	•	•	•	٠			
	Temperature Control		•	•	•		•			

Performance

Laser displacement gauge for measurement of cure shrinkage ratio	 Repeatability 2µm Red Semiconductor laser 655nm (visible) Laser class 2 (FDA CDRH Part1040.10) Output 220µW 	Infrared Thermometer Nitrogen Purge Low Temperature (up to -50°C) High Temperature (up to 300°C) Thin Film Measurement		
Laser displacement meter for baseline measurement	 Repeatability 2μm Red Semiconductor laser 655nm (visible) Laser class 2 (FDA CDRH Part1040.10) Output 220μW 	Suggested Measurement Please keep the sample, and report the measurement data. Customer can have a trial measurement for the first time use.		
Load cell for stress measurement	 Standard Rating 5N (Optionally 500mN, 1N, 2N, 10N, 20N) Non-rectilinearity within ± 0.5% RO Repetition accuracy within ± 0.5% RO 			
Heater	 150W x 3 pcs (total 450W) heat resistance 500°C Measuring temperature sensor K thermocouple Safety limit temperature sensor K thermocouple 			

Testing Capabilities