

# ACEO® Silicone GP Shore A 40

3D PRINTED ACEO® SILICONES

## Product description

3D printed rubber objects of the ACEO® Silicone GP series are consistently high-quality parts which are produced via additive manufacturing. These elastomers are made out of 100 % pure silicone. The applied platinum catalyzed addition reactions lead to odor- and tasteless products

All 3D printed rubber objects of the ACEO® Silicone GP series are postcured after the 3D printing process. This allows for an improvement in the mechanical properties (e.g. a particularly low compression set) and the removal of volatiles (low-molecular polymer components). The post treatment leads to a slight yellow discoloration in translucent parts.

## Special features

ACEO® Silicone GP Shore A 40 has been designed especially for 3D printed parts. It is noted for its very good mechanical and electrical properties, including a good tear resistance according to ASTM D 624 B and DIN ISO 34-1 A (DIN 53507).

Available Colors:

ACEO® Silicone GP Shore A 40 is currently offered in translucent and in various colors. For detailed information please refer to the ACEO® design guidelines on [www.aceo3d.com](http://www.aceo3d.com).

## General properties of silicone elastomers

Rubber objects made of silicones can be used within a temperature range of - 55 °C to + 180 °C.

They are resistant to dilute acids and bases. Nonpolar solvents (gasoline, benzene, chlorinated hydrocarbons) cause extensive swelling. Silicone elastomers show a high resistance to radiation and environmental influences and have a water repellent surface. They are insulators and show remarkable high gas permeability.

## Appearance

3D printed rubber objects of the ACEO® Silicone GP series do show various surface qualities. Four different surfaces can be expected:

Surfaces being in contact to the building platform, surfaces generated by the layer by layer built up, surfaces of the ACEO® Silicones GP itself, and surfaces being in contact to the support material (if used). For further details, please refer to the ACEO® design guidelines on [www.aceo3d.com](http://www.aceo3d.com).

## Application

ACEO® Silicone GP series has been designed especially for 3D printed parts. This material enables applications in automotive, aerospace, medical and many other applications.

## Safety notes

3D printed rubber objects of the ACEO® Silicone GP series are not subject to chemical regulations. Therefore, safety data sheets are not required and are consequently not available.

**Product data**

Typical general characteristics <sup>Δ)</sup>	Inspection method	Value
Hardness Shore A	ISO 7619-1	40
Density	DIN EN ISO 1183-1 A	1,10 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Tensile strength	ISO 37 Type 1	>6,00 N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Elongation at break	ISO 37 Type 1	>350 %
Tear strength	ASTM D 624 B	>25 N/mm
Tear strength	DIN ISO 34-1-A	>5 N/mm
Rebound resilience	ISO 4662	68 %
Compression set	DIN ISO 815-1 Type B (22 h / 175 °C)	<15 %

Further typical characteristics <sup>Δ)</sup>	Inspection Method	Value
LOI-value	EN ISO 4589-2 / ASTM D2863	25 %
Dielectric strength	IEC 60243-1	20 kV/mm
Volume resistivity	IEC 62631-3-1	9 x 10 <sup>15</sup> Ω cm
Dielectric constant (50 Hz)	IEC 60250	2,9 ε <sub>r</sub>
Dissipation factor (50 Hz)	IEC 60250	3 x 10 <sup>-4</sup> tan δ

<sup>Δ)</sup> All values were generated from the average of samples built in the flat orientation (XY). Test specimens were die-cut from post-cured test plaques.

These figures are only intended as a guide and should not be used in preparing specifications.

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