

EPO-TEK<sup>®</sup> 343ND-LH Technical Data Sheet For Reference Only

Low Viscosity Optical Epoxy

Date: March 2021 Rev: IV No. of Components: Two Mix Ratio by Weight: 10:1 **Specific Gravity:** Part A: 1.12 Part B: 1.02 Pot Life: 4 Hours Shelf Life- Bulk: One year at room temperature Six months at -40°C Shelf Life- Syringe:

## Recommended Cure: 100°C / 1 Hour

Minimum Alternative Cure(s): May not achieve performance properties listed below 80°C / 30 Minutes

## NOTES:

• Container(s) should be kept closed when not in use.

• Filled systems should be stirred thoroughly before mixing and prior to use.

• Performance properties (rheology, conductivity, others) of the product may vary from those stated on the data sheet when bi-pak/syringe packaging or post-processing of any kind is performed. Epoxy's warranties shall not apply to any products that have been reprocessed or repackaged from Epoxy's delivered status/container into any other containers of any kind, including but not limited to syringes, bi-paks, cartridges, pouches, tubes, capsules, films or other packages.

• Syringe packaging will impact initial viscosity and effective pot life, potentially beyond stated parameters.

• If product crystalizes in storage, place container in warm oven until crystallization disappears. Please refer to Tech Tip #7 on website.

**Product Description:** EPO-TEK® 343ND-LH (formerly R&D # 121-191-3) is a two component epoxy for fiber optic and semiconductor applications. Designed to balance a low temperature cure with resonable pot life, EPO-TEK 343ND-LH maintains a long workable viscosity at room temperature and can be cured at 80°C in as little as 30 minutes. In addition, its high Tg is designed to provide high strength at elevated temperatures.

**Typical Properties:** Cure condition: Varies as required. Different batches, conditions & applications yield differing results. Data below is not guaranteed. To be used as a guide only, not as a specification. \* denotes test on lot acceptance basis

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES:		
* Color (before cure):	Part A: Light yellow Part B: Light yellow	
* Consistency:	Pourable liquid	
* Viscosity (23°C) @ 100 rpm:	2,580	cPs
Thixotropic Index:	N/A	
* Glass Transition Temp:	91	°C (Dynamic Cure: 20-200°C/ISO 25 Min; Ramp -10-200°C @20°C/Min)
Shore D Hardness:	79	
Die Shear @ 23°C:	18	Kg
Degradation Temp:	422	<b>D</b> °
Weight Loss:		
@ 200°C:	0.02	%
@ 250°C:	0.16	%
@ 300°C:	0.56	%
Suggested Operating Temperature:	< 350	°C (Intermittent)
Particle Size:	N/A	

OPTICAL PROPERTIES @ 23°C:		
Spectral Transmission:	≥ 90% @ 800-1640	nm
Refractive Index (uncured):	1.5682 @ 589	nm