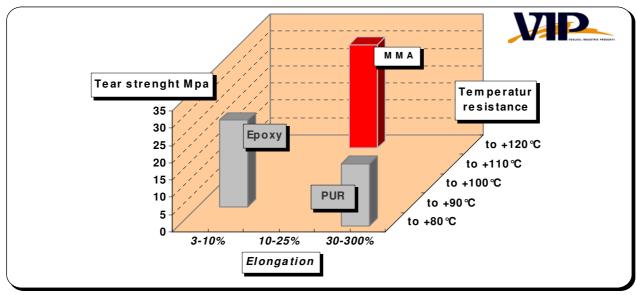


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1. Characteristics:

Structural Bonding in modern Manufacturing and Processing demands extremely high degrees of strength, speed and safety for the functional bonding of modern materials. The modified Methyl-Methacrylat-Ester (MMA) is a 2component structural adhesive for metal bonding, modern difficult to bond plastics and innovative composites. You can achieve high strength, tough yet slightly elastic bonds, mostly without chemical or mechanical preparation of the surface. In comparison to classic structural bonding (e.g. with Epoxies), MMA scores with its exceptional tear strength, remaining elasticity as well as its high degree of resistance to temperature extremes. The Power Weld adhesive is easy to use and mostly non runny, because of its thixotropic viscosity. MMA is a state-of-the-art modern alternative to many conventional bonding methods like welding, soldering or riveting



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2. "Pro"-facts at a glance:

- High lapshear resistance
- Very good chemical resistance
- High temperature specification
- Non runny
- Partly no primer / no sanding
- Remains elastic
- Wide adhesion spectrum
- Very good working consistency
- Fills cuts and gaps up to 4mm
- Good Reworkability (sanding, drilling, painting, etc.)
- UV stable





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3. Applications:

Bonding of Design Elements and Spoilers			
GRP-Panels in Front and Back are bonde ot the Metal frame			
GRP-Panels to Steel			
Aluminium parts to steel substrates			
Carbon panels to steel			
Repair of headlamp-fixtures			
Plastic panelling and - casings			
Loadarea covers on buses			
Reinforcement and fixation of floorpanels			
Fixation of metal sheets to the A-frame			
Bonding of roof panels			
Bonding of reinforcement beams			
Bonding of skips			
Bonding of side panels on refrigerated trucks			
Bonding of rail carriages			
Bonding of bus frames			
Bonding of rear spoilers			
Bonding of various car panels			
Edge reinforcements in coach building			
Composite & metal bonding on prototypes for car, truck, bus, ship or rail			
Bonding of Vents and Shafts			
Bonding of Conductors			
Window frames, Edges			
Corner angle bonding			
High spec. assembly bonding			
Ships deck and hull bonding			
Bonding of the ships interior			
Cabine shells			
Bathroom units			



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4. Technical properties:

Chemical Base	2-K Methyl Methacrylate (MMA)
Product Name	Power Weld
Colour	Creme, black
Packaging Sizes	25ml, 50ml, 400ml, Hobbocks, Drums *
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Solvents	no
Volatile Organic Content (VOC)	430g/kg
Consistency	Pasteus
Viscosity @ +23 ℃ / 50% rh	100.000 mPas
Mixing Ratio (Volume)	1:1
Density @ +23 ℃ / 50% rh	0,97 g/ml
Shore Hardness (D)	Sh-D 78
Working Temperature (Material)	+10℃ to +30℃
Working Temperature (Workplace)	+6℃ to +30℃
Thermal stability	-50 ℃ to +120 ℃
Potlife @ +23 ℃ / 50% rh	4-8 mins
Working time @ +23 ℃ / 50% rh	~ 4 mins
Tack free @ +23 ℃ / 50% rh	~ 10 mins
Full curing time @ +23 ℃ / 50% rh	~ 24 hrs
Tear strength	Steel/Steel: ~ 30 N/mm² AL/AL: ~ 27 N/mm² ABS/ABS: ~ 18 N/mm² GRP/GRP: ~ 16 N/mm² PC/PC ~ 8 N/mm²
Elongation	~ 19%
Change in volume	< 5%
Maximum gapwidth	~ 4mm



*B = minimal effect A *C = failure not recommended B *C = failure not recommended A Water 90 °C B Acetic acid 10% B Xylol B Strong Acids & Alkaline C Shelf life 9 months @ 4-22 °C/ 50% rh Cool & dry (< +20 °C; avoid high levels of humidity) Keep away from direct sunlight Temperatures above +25 °C reduce the shelf life Keep away from frost A Conversion table A (°C x 1.8) + 32 = °F N/mm² x 145 = psi kV/mm x 25.4 = V/mil MPa x 145 = psi mm / 25.4 = inches N.m x 8.851 = lb.in					I	METHA
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8mm

10mm

1,2m

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0,8m

0,6m

5. Substrates:

N x 0.225 = lb

N/mm x 5.71 = lb/in

Metals		Plastics		Composites & Others	
Aluminium (eloxised)	Α	ABS	Α	GRP	Α
Aluminium (abraded)	Α	PA	Α	Carbon	Α
Brass	Α	PBT	Х	BMC (Bulk Molding Compound)	Χ
Cast Iron	Α	PC	Α	DMC (Dough Molding Compound)	Χ
Copper	Α	PE - HDPE, LDPE, PP, PTEE	Χ	SMC (Sheet Molding Compound)	Α
Iron	Α	PETG	Χ	EPDM	Α
Stainless Steel	Α	PMMA (Acrylicglass, Plexiglass®)	Α	Biofibre-Compound (Hemp & Flax)	Χ
Metal Paints (2K)	Α	Polyester	Α	PP-EPDM	Α
Steel (electrolytically galvanised)	Α	PP	Χ	Siliciumcarbide, -nitride, -boride	Α
Steel (fire galvanised)	Α	PPE	Χ		
Steel (galvanised)	Α	PPSU	Χ	Concrete	Χ
Steel (phosporised)	Α	PS (Polystyrol) – Styropor	Х	Basalt	Α
Steel (sandblasted)	Α	PUR	Α	Glass	Α
Chromium Steel	Α	PVC - hard/soft	Α	Granite	Α
Galvanised Metals	Α	PDCPE (Telene)	X	Rubber	Χ
		TPO (thermoplastic polyolefines)	Α	Wood	Α
				Ceramics	Α
				Marble	Α
				Natural stone (eg. sandstone)	Α
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A = very much suitable, partly without (*) or with suitable chemical and/or mechanical pre treatment (*).

N.mm x 0.142 = oz.in

mPa.s = cP

X = not specifically tested.

*) Thorough cleaning of the substrates is always necessary. A suitable primer will always increase the adhesion, regardless of the adhesive system you are intending to use. Because of the large variety of usages of the individual products and the magnitude of circumstances (e.g. methods of usage, surface conditions, system build, etc.) the user is obliged to do a personal trial prior to usage. VIP GmbH offers the possibility of bonding trials in VIP's own lab for classification of various substrates and suitable adhesives.



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6. Directions for use:

Before the Application of the Power Weld it is necessary to check the safety data sheet (SDS) for info on precautions and security measures associated with the product. Even on not classified products the usual precautions for chemical materials should always be adhered to.

Easy application with hand operated or pneumatic dosage gun. To prevent any irregularities in the dried product a guaranteed (1:1) mixing ratio must be achieved at all times. This is only possible using the suitable static mixers with a minimum 16 mixing elements as recommended.

Surfaces must always be dry and free of dust, oils or any grease. For cleaning we recommend the VIP Special Cleaner. On all unprepared **metals**, please clean with a solvents base spirit wipe first. Please remove rust or other corrosion and fill the damaged areas using our VIP liquid metal or knead metal. In general the use of a chemical (use of a primer) or mechanical preparation (sanding, shot blasting, etc.) always increases the adhesion on the surface to be bonded.

Open the cartridge and attach the static mixer. First apply 2-3cms that you have to discard to ensure the proper mixing of the product. Afterwards apply the Power Weld onto the areas to be bonded. Please apply the adhesive immediately as a <u>thin</u> film or as a bead or droplet onto the substrate. If required smoothen over the bond with a spatula.

The thickness of your bead is dependent on the materials to be bonded (ideally 0.75mm to 3mm). Please ensure that you position the parts within the recommended work time. Later corrections, while the material is curing can reduce the adhesion to your substrates. Please make sure hat the material completely fills the gap to achieve a homogenous adhesive bead.

The cure time is dependent on thickness, working temperature and the temperature of your substrates. For best results, please apply the product at 22 °C. Materials with a high conductivity of heat will prolong the cure time. The product will not cure under a surrounding temperature of 6 °C. If the substrate is too cold, a thin (mostly invisible) film of condensed water might build on the surface, and this can cause adhesion failure. These surfaces must be tempered and dried prior to bonding.

The cure speed varies depending on the surface materials (steel reacts faster than plastics). The optimum gap width is between 1-4 mms depending on adhesive area, material elongation, stress and mechanical strain.

The final cure is achieved after approx. 24 hours (dependent on temperature, material and gapwidth).

Caution: The mixing of the two components causes a chemical reaction with a strong exotherm build up of heat. When mixing larger amounts a plainly recognisable rise in temperature in the material will occur. Ideally please bond the parts with a low bead thickness (up to 3mm). Never exceed a bead thickness of 4mm. Do not discard the reacting material in plastic bins and do not hold metal work pieces in your hands while the adhesive is curing.



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6a. VIP Accessories for use

Product Description		Art. No.*
Special Cleaner	1K Alkaline Liquid Cleaner – For Plastics and Metal surfaces	PMX 4910
Liquid metal (Aluminium & Steel)	2K PowerPoxy – for Repair of holes and corrosion areas	PPX 5020
Knead metal (Aluminium & Steel)	2K Epoxy Kitt – for Repair of holes and corrosion areas	PKI 5020
Dosage gun 50ml	1:1 Cartridge application - manually – metal – <i>Deluxe</i>	PMX 5003
Dosage gun 400ml	1:1 Cartridge application - manually - metal - Deluxe	PMX 5415
Mixer eco transparent	For 25/50ml cartridges – Bayonet - 16 Mixing elements – round	PMX 4942
Mixer turbo blue	For 25/50ml cartridges – Bayonet - 16 Mixing elements – square	PMX 4944
Mixer standard green	For 200-600ml cartridges - 19 Mixing elements – square - 10,7mm	PMX 4953

*) For further accessories, please check out the latest VIP Product/Pricelists or our web page: www.vip-gmbh.com

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