

LORD Fusor[®] 2098 Crash Durable Structural Adhesive

LORD Fusor[®] 2098 crash durable adhesive is a structural metal bonding adhesive which replaces all OEM one-component crash durable adhesives, returning vehicles to pre-accident condition. It can be used for panel bonding, weld bonding and rivet bonding of all steel and aluminum panels.

Usage

Follow the vehicle manufacturer's guidelines regarding the fastening of the replacement panel (welding, mechanical fasteners, or bond only) and their position on the removal of any metal coatings (zinc or aluminum coatings and e-coat).

Metal Preparation

1. Using an 80-grit (or finer) disk, grind the surface of all mating flanges (not greater than 1 inch [25.4 mm]) to which Fusor metal bonding adhesive will be applied. Make sure to remove any existing adhesive.
2. Pre-fit the new panel to ensure proper alignment and plan the mechanical fastening (STRSW welds or rivets) and clamping locations for the final installation. If pull rivets or solid rivets are being used, drill required holes at this time.
3. Wipe bonding surface with solvent (acetone, heptanes, isopropyl alcohol, MEK, etc.), leaving no residue.

Product Preparation

1. Insert the Fusor two-component adhesive cartridge into the dispensing gun.
2. Squeeze a small amount of Fusor metal bonding adhesive from each side of the cartridge. This will level the plungers and ensure that adhesive is coming out of both sides of the cartridge.
3. Attach the mixing tip and dispense a small amount of material to verify that the adhesive is evenly mixed and that the color is consistent.

Application

1. Apply a small amount of adhesive to the bonding flange of both panels. Quickly spread adhesive over all bare metal, as a priming operation.
2. Apply a 1/4 to 3/8 inch (6.4 to 9.5 mm) bead of Fusor 2098 metal bonding adhesive to the prepared mating surfaces.

3. Secure the panel using clamps. The glass beads in the adhesive will prevent over clamping. Apply screws or rivets in hard-to-clamp areas. After the panel has been positioned, do not pull it away from the vehicle. If repositioning is necessary, slide the panels against one another. This maintains contact between the two surfaces.
4. Weld the panel (STRSW) or install the appropriate mechanical fasteners (rivets) in their respective locations. Once fastened, remove any remaining clamps or temporary fasteners. If using a bond-only application, clamps/fasteners may be removed after 10 hours at 70°F (21°C), or after 2 hours at 140°F (60°C).
5. Remove any adhesive squeeze-out and wipe the surface with solvent to clean off any residual adhesive.

Note: Adhesive is paintable, but must cure for 48 hours. Removing adhesive squeeze-out and applying a 2K sealer allows the refinish operation to start more quickly.

Technical Data

Work Time	90 minutes @ 70°F (21°C)
Clamp Time	immediately when mechanically fastened; 10 hours @ 70°F (21°C); 2 hours @ 140°F (60°C)
Paint Time	48 hours @ 70°F (21°C); 2 hours @ 140°F (60°C)
Tensile Strength	3190 psi (22 MPa)
Lap Shear Strength	
Cold Rolled Steel	3336 psi (23 MPa)
Aluminum	2466 psi (17 MPa)
Impact Wedge Peel	171.3 lb/in (30 N/mm)

Cautionary Information

Before using this or any LORD product, refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) and label for safe use and handling instructions.

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LORD USER INSTRUCTIONS

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LORD Fusor Metal Bonding Adhesives shall only be used for the adhesive-only bonding (no welds or rivets) of metal to metal assemblies (steel or aluminum) in full or partial panel replacements of door skins, roof skins, quarter panels, rear body panels and other outer body sheet metal.

LORD Fusor products shall not be used for adhesive-only bonding of any structural component unless specifically recommended by the vehicle manufacturer. Structural panels must be replaced in strict compliance with vehicle manufacturer guidelines. If in doubt as to what is a structural component or the proper installation method, contact the vehicle manufacturer. Further, any LORD Fusor products used in marine composite repair, such as with personal water craft and the like, shall be limited to repairs above the water line.

If you have any questions or need to receive proper use instructions, contact the LORD Customer Support Center at +1 800 234 Fusor (3876) or visit Fusor.com.

To comply with the requirements of the LORD Fusor Repair Products Lifetime Guarantee, attach a copy of this completed page to the repair record, and retain with your files:

Vehicle Make/Model: _____

Vehicle Identification Number: _____

LORD Fusor Product(s) Used for Repair: _____

Lot Number(s) on Cartridge(s) Used for Repair: _____

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