Material	Description	Re Part Number	sin Size	Harde Part Number	ner <sup>†</sup> Size
EpoxiCure™ 2	<ul> <li>Clear, general purpose epoxy system</li> <li>6hr cure time at room temperature</li> <li>Mix Ratio: 4 parts resin: 1 part hardener by volume</li> <li>&lt;104°F [40°C] Peak Temperature</li> <li>~80 Shore D Hardness</li> </ul>	20-3430-064 20-3430-128	64oz [1.9ℓ] 1gal [3.8ℓ]	20-3432-016 20-3432-032	16oz [0.48ℓ] 32oz [0.95ℓ]
EpoHeat™ 2	<ul> <li>Transparent yellow epoxy system</li> <li>Long pot-life allows product to be mixed in large batches</li> <li>Mix Ratio: 4 parts resin: 1 part hardener by volume</li> <li>60min cure time in oven at 149°F [65°C]</li> <li>&lt;338°F [170°C] Peak Temperature</li> <li>~75 Shore D Hardness</li> </ul>	20-3420-064	64oz [1.9ℓ]	20-3422-016	16oz [0.48ℓ]
EpoThin™ 2	<ul> <li>Clear, very low viscosity epoxy system</li> <li>9hr cure time at room temperature</li> <li>Mix Ratio: 2 parts resin: 1 part hardener by volume</li> <li>&lt;86°F [30°C] Peak Temperature</li> <li>~78 Shore D Hardness</li> </ul>	20-3440-032 20-3440-128	32oz [0.95ℓ] 1gal [3.8ℓ]	20-3442-016 20-3442-064	16oz [0.48ℓ] 64oz [1.9ℓ]
EpoKwick™	<ul> <li>Clear, fast curing epoxy system</li> <li>90min cure time at room temperature</li> <li>Mix Ratio: 5 parts resin: 1 part hardener by weight</li> <li>&lt;293°F [145°C] Peak Temperature</li> <li>~82 Shore D Hardness</li> </ul>	(also includes 20 pap	er cups, 20 stirring st	20-8138-032  Hardener 8oz [0.11   10   10   10   10   10   10   10	, 1.25in)
EpoColor™	<ul> <li>Red epoxy system to highlight pores and cracks</li> <li>90min cure time at room temperature</li> <li>Mix Ratio: 5 parts resin: 1 part hardener by weight</li> <li>&lt;293°F [145°C] Peak Temperature</li> <li>~82 Shore D Hardness</li> </ul>	20-8143-032	32oz [0.95ℓ]	20-8144-008	8oz [0.24ℓ]

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# Acrylic Systems

Material	Description	Re Part Number	esin Size	Hard Part Number	lener† Size
SamplKwick™	<ul> <li>Translucent, general purpose acrylic system</li> <li>5-8 minute cure time at room temperature</li> <li>~179°F [79°C] Peak Temperature</li> <li>~85 Shore D Hardness</li> </ul>	20-3562 20-3566 20-3562-025 20-3562-100 <b>Kit</b> <sup>†</sup>	1 lb [0.45kg] 5 lbs [2.3kg] 25 lbs [11.3kg] 100 lb [45kg]	20-3564 20-3568 20-3564-320 20-3564-640	12oz [0.36ℓ] 64oz [1.9ℓ] 2.5gal [9.5ℓ] 5gal [19ℓ]
			n 1 lb [0.45kg] ring scoop, 5 paper cup	Hardener 12oz os and 10 stirring sticks	
VariKwick™	<ul> <li>Blue, fast curing system</li> <li>Moderate shrinkage and viscosity</li> <li>~5 minute cure time at room temperature</li> <li>~185°F [85°C] Peak Temperature</li> </ul>	20-3596 <b>Kit</b> <sup>†</sup>	1kg	20-3597	500ml
		20-3595 Re	sin 1kg	Hardener 500	ml
VariKleer™	<ul> <li>Clear, general purpose acrylic system         <ul> <li>Requires pressure vessel for clear mounts</li> </ul> </li> <li>5-15 minute cure time at room temperature</li> <li>~212°F [100°C] Peak Temperature</li> <li>~84 Shore D Hardness</li> </ul>	203591 <sup>2, 3</sup> 203591002 <sup>2, 3</sup> 203591010 <sup>2, 3</sup>	1kg 2kg 10kg	203592 <sup>2, 3</sup> 203592001 <sup>2, 3</sup> 203592005 <sup>2, 3</sup>	500ml 1l 5l
		Kit <sup>†</sup>			
		20-3590 Resin 2.2 lbs [1kg] Hardener 16.9oz [500ml] (also includes measuring scoop, 2 paper cups and 10 stirring sticks)			
VariDur™	<ul> <li>Grey, low viscosity acrylic system</li> <li>10 minute cure time at room temperature</li> <li>~170°F [77°C] Peak Temperature</li> <li>~85 Shore D Hardness</li> </ul>	20-3572 20-3576 <b>Kit</b> <sup>†</sup>	1 lb [0.45kg] 5 lbs [2.3kg]	20-3574 20-3578	12oz [0.36ℓ] 64oz [1.9ℓ]
			esin 1 lb [0.45kg] ring scoop, 5 paper cup		

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# **Acrylic Systems (cont'd)**

		Resin		Harde	Hardener⁺	
Material	Description	Part Number	Size	Part Number	Size	
VariDur 10 <sup>2, 3</sup>	<ul> <li>Semi transparent, low odor system</li> <li>Low shrinkage, high viscosity</li> <li>8 minute cure time</li> <li>100°C Peak Temperature</li> </ul>	111027 <sup>2, 3</sup> 111031 <sup>2, 3</sup>	1kg 10kg	111029 <sup>2, 3</sup> 111033 <sup>2, 3</sup>	500ml 5l	
		Kit				
		111037 <sup>2, 3</sup> Resin 1kg Hardener 500ml (also includes measuring scoop, 2 paper cups and 10 stirring sticks)				
VariDur 200 <sup>2,3</sup>	<ul> <li>Dark blue, low odor system</li> <li>Low shrinkage, high viscosity</li> <li>8 minute cure time</li> <li>100°C Peak Temperature</li> </ul>	111030 <sup>2, 3</sup> 111034 <sup>2, 3</sup> <b>Kit</b>	1kg 10kg	111029 <sup>2, 3</sup> 111033 <sup>2, 3</sup>	500ml 5l	
		111039 <sup>2, 3</sup> Resin 1kg Hardener 500ml (also includes measuring scoop, 2 paper cups and 10 stirring sticks)				
VariDur 3000	<ul> <li>Blue, mineral filled acrylic system</li> <li>Hardest castable mounting system</li> <li>15-30 minute cure time at room temperature</li> <li>~252°F [122°C] Peak Temperature</li> <li>~90 Shore D Hardness</li> </ul>	203581 <sup>2, 3</sup> 203583 <sup>2, 3</sup>	1kg 10kg	203582 <sup>2, 3</sup> 203584 <sup>2, 3</sup>	500ml 5l	
		Kit <sup>†</sup>				
			sin 1kg uring scoop, 2 pap	Hardener 500m er cups and 10 stirring sticks,		

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# Tips, Tricks & Techniques:

Ring forms enable you to use castable mounting systems in central force mode. To use a ring form:

- 1. Place a ring form in an EPDM mounting cup
- 2. Place sample in cup
- 3. Fill with castable mounting compound of your choice
- 4. Remove EPDM up before grinding



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# **Mounting Consumables & Accessories**

#### Thermoplastic Cement

For adhering samples to glass slides or other specialty holders



40-8100 (qty 12)

#### Mounting Wax

For adhering samples to glass slides or other specialty holders



Crystalbond

40-8150\*

7 x 0.875in [178 x 22mm] 20-8145\*\* Crystalbond LT 7 x 1 x 0.5in [178 x 25 x 13mm]

#### Pigments for castable systems



20-8501 Blue, 1oz [3ml] 20-8502 Black, 1oz [3ml] 20-8504 Red, 1oz [3ml]

# Flat Edge Filler

Enhances edge retention in castable mounting systems.



20-8196 1 lb [0.45kg]

#### Conductive Filler

Nickel-based filler makes castable mounting systems conductive



20-8500 2 lb [0.9kg]

#### EpoBlue

Blue powdered dye for epoxy systems



111068 <sup>2, 3</sup> 25g

#### Mold Release Powder



20-3048 2oz [45g]

#### Mold Release Spray



20-3050-008

8oz [0.24l]

#### Release Agent



20-8185-002<sup>†</sup> 20z [6mℓ] 20-8185-008<sup>†</sup> 80z [237mℓ] 20-8185-016<sup>†</sup> 16oz [470mℓ] 20-8185-032<sup>†</sup> 32oz [950mℓ]

## Silicone Mold Release



113022<sup>2,3</sup> Paste P, 100g 113023<sup>+2,3</sup> Spray, 200ml

#### MetKleer<sup>™</sup> Adhesive Bases



20-8188 4 x 5in [102 x 127mm] (qty 10)

#### Paper Cups & Stirring Sticks



20-8177-100 20-8175 113030 <sup>2, 3</sup> 113031 <sup>2, 3</sup>

113034 2, 3

Paper Cups, 5oz [148ml] (qty. 100) Stirring Sticks, wooden (qty 1000) Paper Cups, 150ml (qty 50) Wall Holder for 113030 Stirring Sticks (qty 100)



SO - Special Order. Items may have long lead times and minimum orders.

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# Support Clips & Clamps

Support clips are for use in supporting specimens during mounting. The weight and hardness of the clips should be considered when choosing a clip. The stainless steel SamplKlip™ is the heaviest clip, but may be too hard for use when preparing a soft material. The UniClip™ is the next heaviest clip and is softer, making it more compatible with soft materials. For metallic specimens that are to be etched after preparation, one of the polymer clips (SamplKlip I, Specimen Support Clip, or UniClip) is best to prevent interference with etching due to a stainless steel clip in contact with the specimen.

#### SamplKlip Support Clip - Stainless Steel (qty 100)\*

For use with all mounting systems.



20-4000-100 0.25 H x 0.550 W x 0.350in L [6 x 14 x 9mm], 0.575g

# SamplKlip I Support Clip – Plastic (qty 100)\*

Best when used with castable mounting systems.



20-4100-100 0.25 H x 0.475 W x 0.3in L [~6 x 12 x 8mm], 0.230g

20-4100-100S 0.25 H x 0.425 W x 0.25in L [~6 x 11 x 6mm], 0.230g

# Specimen Support Clip – Plastic (qty 1000)† Best when used with castable mounting systems.



20-4001-000 0.25 H x 0.290 W x 0.375in L [6 x 7 x 9.5mm], 0.145g

#### UniClip Support Clip - Plastic (qty 100)†

For use with all media. Orient with "legs" upward for compression mounting systems.



20-5100-100 0.4 H x 0.360 W x 0.500in L [10 x 9 x 13mm], 0.290g

113043 Black <sup>2, 3</sup> 113068 Red <sup>2, 3</sup> 113069 Green <sup>2, 3</sup>

† Compatible with specimens between 0.0035 – 0.090in [0.9 – 2.3mm]

<sup>\*</sup> Compatible with specimens up to 0.200in [5mm] thick



## Ring Forms & Castable Molds

#### Disposable Mounting Cups (qty 50)

can also be used as specimen caps



20-8280 1in 20-8281 1.25in 20-8282 1.5in 20-8283 2in

#### SamplKup<sup>™</sup> (qty 12)



 20-9178
 1in
 20-9177
 25mm

 20-8180
 1.25in
 20-9179
 30mm

 20-9181
 1.5in
 20-9182
 40mm

 20-9184
 2in
 20-9183
 50mm

#### **EPDM Mounting Cups (qty 5)**



20-8181 1in 20-8182 1.25in 20-8183 1.5in 20-8184 2in

### Silicone Molds (qty 1)



20-8483 <sup>50</sup> 60mm 20-8484 55 x 30 x 22mm 20-8485 70 x 40 x 22mm

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### **EPDM Rectangular Molds (qty 1)**



20-6185 2.5 x 1.4 x 1.8in [63 x 25 x 46mm] 20-6186 6 x 4 x 2in [150 x 100 x 50mm] 20-6187 6 x 3 x 1in [150 x 76 x 25mm]

### **Plastic Ring Forms**

for best results, use with epoxy systems



20-8151-100 1in 20-8152-100 1.25in 20-8153-100 1.5in 20-8154-100 2in

Ring Forms (qty 100)

#### Blue Mounting Mold (qty 1) 2,3



113001 Ø 25mm, 23mm H 113002 Ø 30mm, 25mm H 113003 Ø 32mm, 25mm H 113004 Ø 38mm, 25mm H 113005 Ø 40mm, 30mm H 113006 Ø 50mm, 30mm H 113007 Ø 60mm, 35mm H 113010 55 W x 30 D x 22mm H 113011 70 W x 40 D x 22mm H 113012 100 W x 50 D x 22mm H





