

# BioMed Flex 50A Resin

For Soft, Biocompatible, Transparent Medical Devices and Models

BioMed Flex 50A Resin is a soft, elastic, medical grade material for applications requiring comfort, biocompatibility, and transparency. This ISO 10993 and USP Class VI certified material is made in an FDA-registered, ISO 13485 facility and can be used in applications for long-term skin contact ( > 30 days ), and short-term mucosal membrane contact ( < 24hrs ).

**Elastic Biocompatible Medical Devices**

**Soft Tissue Models to Assist in Surgeries**



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| Material Properties                    | METRIC <sup>1</sup>     | IMPERIAL <sup>1</sup>   | METHOD           |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
|  | Post-Cured <sup>2</sup> | Post-Cured <sup>2</sup> |                  |
| Mechanical Properties                  | METRIC <sup>1</sup>     | IMPERIAL <sup>1</sup>   | METHOD           |
| Ultimate Tensile Strength <sup>3</sup> | 2.3 MPa                 | 339 psi                 | ASTM D412-06 (A) |
| Stress at 50% Elongation               | 1 MPa                   | 145 psi                 | ASTM D412-06 (A) |
| Stress at 100% Elongation              | 1.3 MPa                 | 189 psi                 | ASTM D412-06 (A) |
| Elongation at Break                    | 150%                    |                         | ASTM D412-06 (A) |
| Tear Strength <sup>4</sup>             | 11 kN/m                 | 60.8 lb/in              | ASTM D624-00     |
| Shore Hardness                         | 50A                     |                         | ASTM 2240        |
| Compression Set 23 °C for 22 hours     | 8%                      |                         | ASTM D395-03 (B) |
| Compression Set 70 °C for 22 hours     | 11%                     |                         | ASTM D395-03 (B) |
| Bayshore Resilience                    | 15%                     |                         | ASTM D2632       |
| Thermal Properties                     | METRIC <sup>1</sup>     | IMPERIAL <sup>1</sup>   | METHOD           |
| Glass transition temperature (Tg)      | -36 °C                  | -32.8 °F                | DMA              |

#### Disinfection Compatibility

|                       |                                     |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Chemical Disinfection | 70% Isopropyl Alcohol for 5 minutes |
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Samples printed with BioMed Flex 50A Resin have been evaluated in accordance with the following biocompatibility endpoints:

| ISO Standard                                  | Description <sup>3</sup> |
|---|--------------------------|
| ISO 10993-5:2009                              | Met requirements of test |
| ISO 10993-23:2021                             | Met requirements of test |
| ISO 10993-10:2021                             | Met requirements of test |
| USP <88> Biological Reactivity Tests, In-vivo | USP Class VI Certified   |

The product was developed and is in compliance with the following ISO Standards:

| ISO Standard      | Description   |
|-------------------|---|
| EN ISO 13485:2016 | Medical Devices – Quality Management Systems – Requirements for Regulatory Purposes |
| EN ISO 14971:2012 | Medical Devices – Application of Risk Management to Medical Devices                 |

<sup>1</sup> Material properties can vary with part geometry, print orientation, print settings and temperature.

<sup>2</sup> Data was obtained from parts printed using Form 3B, 100 µm, BioMed Flex 50A settings, and using the BioMed Flex 50A MFG guide.

<sup>3</sup> Tensile testing was performed after 3+ hours at 23 °C, using a Die C specimen cut from sheets.

<sup>4</sup> Tear testing was performed after 3+ hours at 23 °C, using a Die C tear specimen directly printed

## SOLVENT COMPATIBILITY

Percent weight gain over 24 hours for a printed and post-cured 1 x 1 x 1 cm cube immersed in respective solvent:

| Solvent                         | 24 hr weight gain, % | Solvent                                  | 24 hr weight gain, % |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|--|----------------------|
| Acetic Acid 5%                  | 1.5                  | Isooctane (aka gasoline)                 | 15.6                 |
| Acetone                         | 43.4                 | Mineral oil (light)                      | 0.7                  |
| Isopropyl Alcohol               | 39.2                 | Mineral oil (Heavy)                      | 0.4                  |
| Bleach ~5% NaOCl                | 0.6                  | Salt Water (3.5% NaCl)                   | 0.6                  |
| Butyl Acetate                   | 133.1                | Sodium Hydroxide solution (0.025% PH 10) | 0.7                  |
| Diesel Fuel                     | 7.9                  | Water                                    | 0.7                  |
| Diethyl Glycol Monomethyl Ether | 31.4                 | Xylene                                   | 163.9                |
| Hydraulic Oil                   | 3.9                  | Strong Acid (HCl conc)                   | 45.6                 |
| Skydrol 5                       | 41.2                 | Tripropylene Glycol Methyl Ether (TPM)   | 43.6                 |
| Hydrogen peroxide (3%)          | 0.9                  |  |                      |