

## Technical Data Sheet

# KB0444

## Cyanoacrylate Instant Adhesive

### Description

KB0444 is a high performance, general purpose, fast curing, medium viscosity modified ethyl cyanoacrylate instant adhesive.

KB0444 suitable for bonding a very wide range of materials: paper, wood, leather, plastics, metals, ceramics and rubbers.

Cure times vary according to the materials being bonded, but most combinations are fast-fixing within 3 - 40 seconds.

### Applications

KB0444 general purpose instant adhesive is typically used in applications including: white goods assembly, filter assembly, electronic housing assembly and general industrial manufacturing.

The one component nature of Krylex KB0444 lends itself to easy automation of dispensing on production lines.

### Technical Features

Resin:	Modified Ethyl Cyanoacrylate
Appearance:	Clear
State:	Liquid
Cure Speed with activator:	<3 seconds
Cure Speed w/o activator:	3 - 40 seconds
Viscosity <sup>1</sup> :	510 - 660 cPs
Gap Fill:	0.15mm
Flash Point:	>85°C
Specific Gravity:	1.07
Max. Operating Temp:	-50°C to +80°C
Shelf Life @ 5°C:	12 Months

<sup>1</sup> Brookfield LVF, spindle 3, speed 30rpm

### Cured Performance

Full Cure Time: 24 Hrs @ 21°C

Tensile Shear Strength <sup>2</sup>: 20 N/mm<sup>2</sup>

<sup>2</sup> ISO 6922

After 2 minutes on steel: ~50% of final strength

### Fixture Times

Steel / Steel:	<40 seconds
ABS / ABS:	<25 seconds
Rubber / Rubber	<15 seconds
Wood (Balsa)	<3 seconds

### Factors Affecting Cure Speed

Cyanoacrylate adhesives cure when confined between close-fitting parts and in the presence of surface moisture on substrates.

Cure speed can be negatively influenced by very large gaps, low temperatures or low humidity environments.

Chemence recommends testing the suitability of Krylex products for any specific application.

### Use Of Accelerators/Primer

Krylex activators can be used to accelerate the curing speed or for priming absorbent surfaces. Activators may also be used for fillet cure and curing adhesive outside the bond line.

The use of an activator can reduce bond strength.

Krylex KP707 primer may be used for "difficult to bond" low surface energy plastic substrates.



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### Storage

Store in a cool area out of direct sunlight. Refrigeration to 5°C gives optimum stability.

### Product Safety

Cyanoacrylate bonds skin and eyes in seconds.

If accidental skin bonding occurs, wash with warm soapy water and pry skin apart using a blunt instrument (such as a teaspoon handle).

In case of eye contact, bathe immediately with water and seek medical attention.

Skin contact through clothing may cause burns due to an exothermic reaction.

### Instructions for Use

Ensure parts are clean, dry and free from oil and grease.

Apply approximately one drop of adhesive to 25mm<sup>2</sup> of bond area. Krylex KB0444 performs best with minimal gaps between substrates.

Hold parts together firmly until handling strength is achieved.

Product is normally hand applied from the bottle.

KB0444 is suitable for use with dispensing systems for high volume assembly applications.

### Presentation

Bottles: .....20g, 50g & 500g

### General Information

For safe handling of this product consult the Safety Data Sheet.

### Notes

The data contained in this data sheet may be reported as typical value and / or range. Values are based on actual test data and are verified on a regular basis.

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