

# WS-104 and WS-105

**Flexible Epoxy Working Stamp Resins for Photo Imprint** 

# **ADVANTAGES FEATURES:**

- <u>Fluorine-free</u> UV curable epoxy working stamps
- High Tg
- Excellent Chemical Resistance (high resistace to etching from imprint resins): minimizes height gain for multiple imprints
- Excellent mechanical, and thermal stability
- ANTI-STICK Layer IS NOT needed for Working
  Stamp
- Solvent Free ready to use
- Long shelf life at room temperature

## **APPLICATIONS:** Working Stamp fabrication

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: UV-curable epoxy

working stamp resin.

#### GENERAL USAGE INFORMATION:

**Storage:** room temperature storage (15-30°C) in the original container is required.

#### SAFETY AND HANDLING

The uncured adhesive can be cleaned with isopropyl alcohol (IPA), methyl ethyl ketone (MEK), acetone, or xylene. Avoid direct skin and eye contact. Use only in well ventilated areas. Use protective clothing, **gloves and safety goggles**. Read <u>Safety Data Sheet</u> before handling. TDS updated: V1-112023

#### **APPLICATION NOTES:**

#### Master Stamp or Master Mold preparation:

To protect the master Stamp/Mold surface the use of a release agent or antistick agent is recommended. The common anti-stick or release agent is trichloro(1*H*,1*H*,2*H*,2*H*-perfluorooctyl)silane (CAS # 78560-45-9).

#### Substrate conditions:

To obtain the optimal performance for WS-104 and WS-105, plastic or glass substrates should be primed or should have an adhesion promotor layer.

**Dispense process:** droplet dispense method for capillary flow, or casting method, or spin coating method are suitable for film forming

Suggested spin conditions for spin coating method for 10 micron layer thickness:

Speed: 1,200 to 2,000 rpm

Time: 20 to 30 seconds

Acceleration: 800 to 1,000 rpm/sec

A droplet dispense / Casting method can avoid excess use of working stamp resin

Layer thickness: 5 to 200 micron

#### **UV CURING CONDITIONS:**

\*Metal halide / Mercury UV: UV-A (320-400 nm), intensity: 200-1,000 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

Suggested curing conditions: 250 mW/ cm<sup>2</sup> x 150 to 200 sec

Atmosphere: cure between two substrates or in an inert atmosphere (oxygen-free)

\*or LED-365 nm, UV light intensity: 200 to 1,000 mW/  $\rm cm^2$ 

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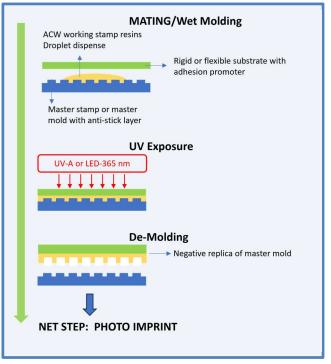
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# WS-104 and WS-105 (continued)

**Processing environment**: process at temperature between 20 - 30 °C at relative humidity of 40-60% and process under yellow light.

PICAL PROPETIES:		
Before cure (liquid)	WS-104	WS-105
Viscosity (cps, 25 °C)	250 to 350	100 to 150
Density (g/mL)	1.1	1.1
Shelf life (15 - 25 °C)	6 months	6 months
Working life (20 - 30 °C)	3 months	3 months
After curing - cured film	WS-104	WS-105
Volume shrinkage (%)	2-3	2-3
Tg (DMA, °C)	70	65
Young's Modulus (MPa)	1,200	250
Elongation (%)	15	25
Contact angle of water on		
working stamp (°)	116	120
% Transmission (400 to 900 nm)	>90	>90



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