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Comparison of Araldite[®] 2028 & Araldite[®] 2028-1

NEW PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT REPORT FOR

Huntsman Customers

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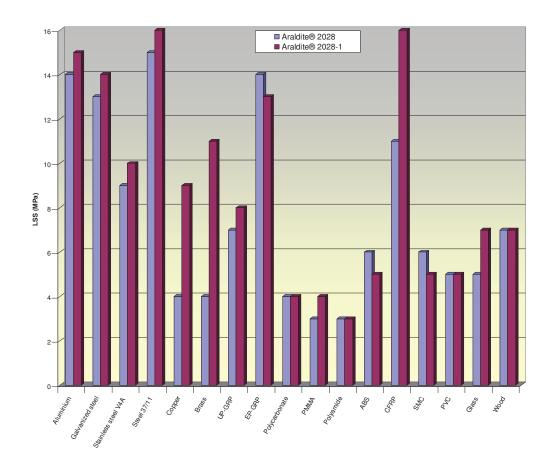
NTRODUCTION

The Araldite[®] 2028 was slightly reformulated in order to offer our customers a product with higher transparancy (clear water) & better UV resistance. Maintaining the level of performance of the current product.

RESULTS & DISCUSSION

As can be seen below the both Araldite® 2028 and Araldite® 2028-1 offer very similar performances.

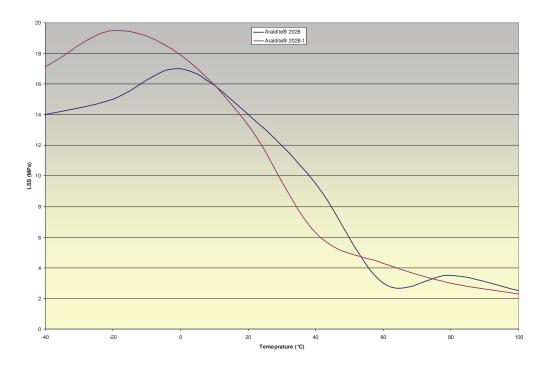
Lap Shear Strength (LSS) on different substrates



All combinations are providing similar or even better strength on the substrates tested.

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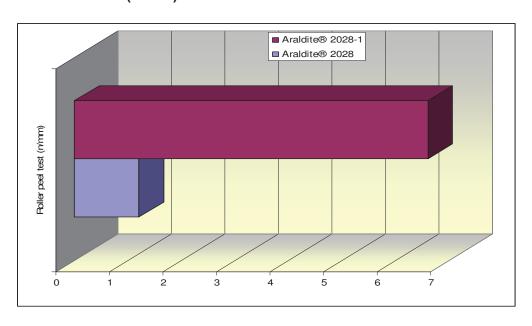
Lap Shear Strength vs temperature



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The two products are providing similar curve profiles and temperature resistance.

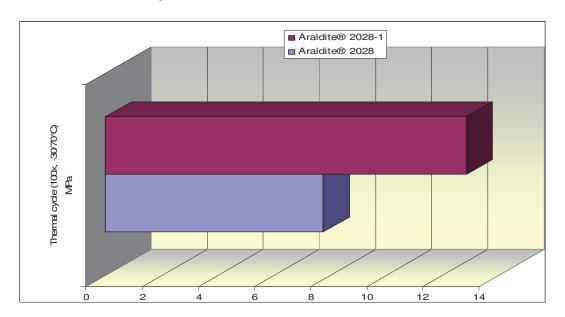
Roller Peel test (N/mm)



Araldite[®] 2028-1 gives much better resistance in peel than Araldite[®] 2028.

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Thermal cycling (100 cycles of 6 hours duration from -30 $^{\circ}$ C to 70 $^{\circ}$ C – residual LSS in MPa)



CONCLUSION & RECOMMENDATIONS

As can be seen above the new Araldite[®] 2028-1 performs to a similar level to the previous Araldite[®] 2028.

Moreover, the new Araldite® 2028-1 gives better bonding properties on glass & most of current metals than the Araldite® 2028 & a better resistance to peel.

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