

# 3M™ Light Cure Adhesive LC-1112

## Product Description

3M™ Light Cure Adhesive LC-1112 is a one-component, medium viscosity adhesive that cures rapidly when exposed to UV light to form a semi-rigid bond.

## Features

- Fast curing (in seconds)
- Cures to tack-free surface
- Cures with UV light
- Improved adhesion to glass

## Applications

### General Purpose Assembly

- Potting
- Rigidizing
- Lamination
- Wire tacking
- Encapsulating
- Bonding temperature sensitive plastics

## Suggested Light Source Wavelength Ranges

**UV Light:** 250 - 380 nanometers

## Typical Uncured Properties

**Note:** The following technical information and data should be considered representative or typical only and should not be used for specification purposes.

<b>Chemistry</b>	Acrylate
<b>Color</b>	Colorless
<b>Specific Gravity (g/cc)</b>	1.14
<b>Viscosity (@ 25°C)<sup>1</sup></b>	12,000 cps

<sup>1</sup>TA Instruments AR2000 Rheometer, 40mm, 1° cone, shear rate 1 sec<sup>-1</sup>.

## Typical Cured Properties

**Note:** The following technical information and data should be considered representative or typical only and should not be used for specification purposes.

### Physical

<b>Hardness, Shore D (ASTM 2240)</b>	83
<b>Hardness, Shore A<sub>2</sub> (ASTM 2240)</b>	–
<b>Tensile Strength (psi) (ASTM D638)</b>	4600
<b>Elongation (%) (ASTM D638)</b>	17

### Shear Strength (psi) (ASTM D1002)

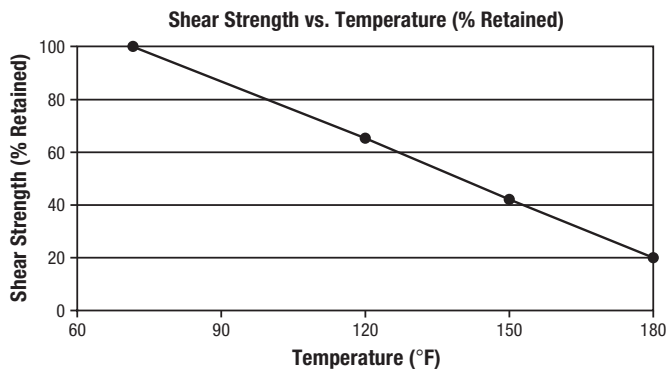
<b>Polycarbonate / Polycarbonate</b>	410
<b>Polycarbonate / GFRP</b>	420
<b>Acrylic / Acrylic</b>	450
<b>Polycarbonate / ABS</b>	840
<b>Polycarbonate / Cold Rolled Steel</b>	730
<b>Polycarbonate / FRP</b>	360
<b>Polycarbonate / Aluminum</b>	850

## Typical Cured Properties (continued)

**Note:** The following technical information and data should be considered representative or typical only and should not be used for specification purposes.

### Shear Strength vs. Temperature

Temperature °F	(°C)	% Retained
70	(21)	100
120	(49)	64
150	(66)	42
180	(82)	20

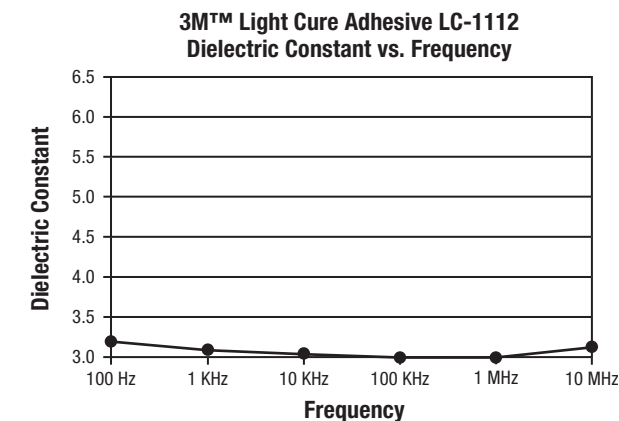


### Thermal

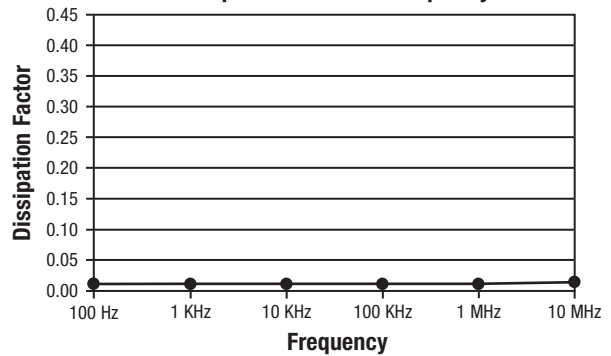
<b>Glass Transition Temperature (Tg) °F (°C)</b>	73 (23)	
<b>Coefficient of Thermal Expansion CTE (x 10<sup>-6</sup> unit/unit/°C)</b>	Below Tg 60	Above Tg 221

### Electrical

<b>Volume Resistivity (Ohm-cm) (ASTM D257)</b>	1.4 x 10 <sup>16</sup>
<b>Dielectric Strength (Volts/mil) (ASTM D149)</b>	3450
<b>Dielectric Constant (1 Mhz) (ASTM D150)</b>	3.0
<b>Dissipation Factor (1 Mhz) (ASTM D150)</b>	0.013



### 3M™ Light Cure Adhesive LC-1112 Dissipation Factor vs. Frequency



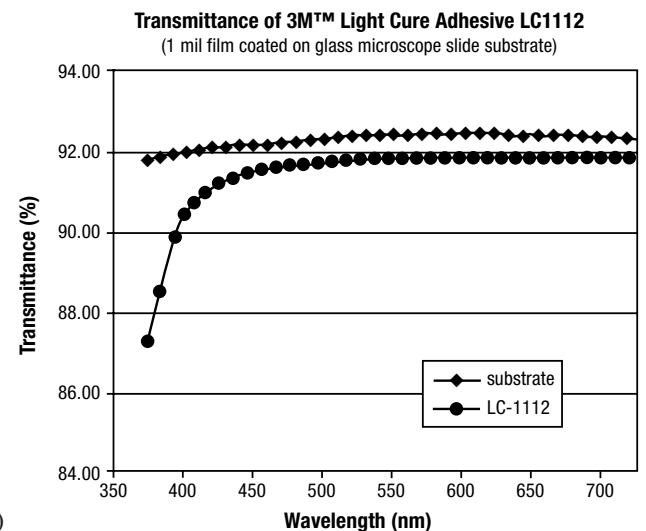
### Chemical

<b>Water Absorption (%) (ASTM D570)</b>	24 hr RT 0.21	2 hr boiling water 2.22
<b>Solvent Resistance</b>	IPA	MEK
<b>1 hour</b>	A	A
<b>24 hours</b>	A	C
<b>1 week</b>	A	C
<b>30 days</b>	A	C

A = Unaffected, no change to color or surface texture.  
 B = Slight attack, noticeable swelling of surface, softness.  
 C = Moderate / severe attack, extreme swelling of surface.

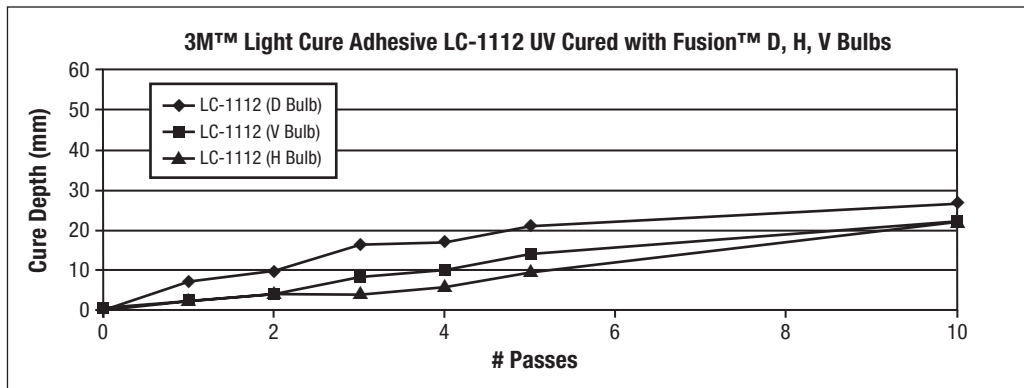
### Optical

<b>Refractive Index</b>	1.56		
<b>Color</b>	Colorless		
<b>CIE Color Analysis L*A*B*</b>	L*	A*	B*
<b>1 mil coating on glass substrate</b>	96.73	-0.08	0.31
<b>(glass substrate reference)</b>	(96.98)	(-0.03)	(0.15)
<b>Haze (%) (ASTM D1003)</b>	< 1%		
<b>Transmittance</b>			



## Curing Performance

### Cure Depth vs. Time

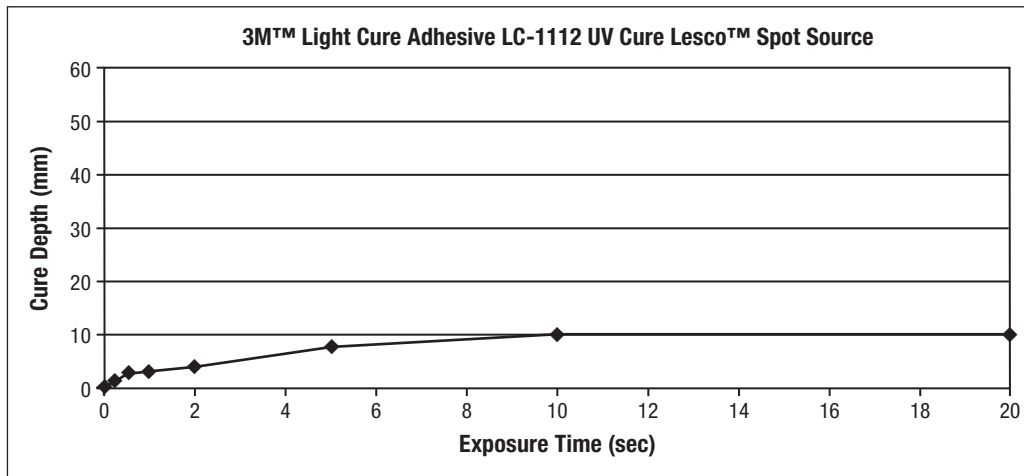


Cured with Fusion™ F300 conveyor lamp system, conveyor speed = 25 fpm, 1 pass = 0.28 sec.

D bulb, iron-doped mercury, 3.366 W/cm<sup>2</sup> UVA intensity.

H bulb, mercury, 1.504 W/cm<sup>2</sup> UVA intensity.

V bulb, gallium-doped mercury, 1.223 UVA intensity.



Cured with Lesco™ SuperSpot max UV spot curing system, 320-390 nm wavelength, 20 W/cm<sup>2</sup> intensity, 1" above sample.

## Directions for Use

Dispense adhesive from syringe, fixture parts to be bonded, expose to suitable light source. Degree of cure will depend on exposure time, intensity and spectral distribution of the light source, distance of adhesive from the light source, and light transmittance of the substrates. Cure of surfaces exposed to oxygen may be inhibited resulting in a slightly tacky surface. Curing with high intensity short-wave UV light or covering the surface to exclude oxygen is suggested for a tack-free surface.

## Storage

This product is light sensitive. Minimize exposure of adhesive to daylight, UV light and artificial light during storage and handling. Store in original container. Store product at 60-80°F (16-27°C) or refrigerate for maximum shelf life.

## Shelf Life

6 months when stored at 60-80°F (16-27°C),  
12 months when refrigerated at 40°F (4°C).

## Regulatory

Customer must consult the MSDS for this product prior to its use. For MSDS or regulatory information about this product, refer to our website at 3M.com.

## For Additional Information

To request additional product information or to arrange for sales assistance, call toll free 1-800-251-8634.

Address correspondence to: 3M, Electronics Markets  
Materials Division, 3M Center, Building 225-3S-06,  
St. Paul, MN 55144-1000.

Our fax number is 651-778-4244 or 1-877-369-2923.

In Canada, phone: 1-800-364-3577.

In Puerto Rico, phone: 1-787-750-3000.

In Mexico, phone: 52-70-04-00.



### Electronics Markets Materials Division

3M Center, Building 225-3S-06  
St. Paul, MN 55144-1000  
1-800-251-8634 phone  
651-778-4244 fax  
www.3M.com/electronics

3M is a trademark of 3M Company  
Fusion and Lesco are trademarks of American Ultraviolet.  
Please recycle. Printed in U.S.A.  
©3M 2012. All rights reserved.  
60-5002-0600-2

## Important Notice

All statements, technical information, and recommendations related to 3M's products are based on information believed to be reliable, but the accuracy or completeness is not guaranteed. Before using this product, you must evaluate it and determine if it is suitable for your intended application. You assume all risks and liability associated with such use. Any statements related to the product which are not contained in 3M's current publications, or any contrary statements contained on your purchase order shall have no force or effect unless expressly agreed upon, in writing, by an authorized officer of 3M.

## Warranty; Limited Remedy; Limited Liability.

This product will be free from defects in material and manufacture at the time of purchase. **3M MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTIES INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.** If this product is defective within the warranty period stated above, your exclusive remedy shall be, at 3M's option, to replace or repair the 3M product or refund the purchase price of the 3M product. **Except where prohibited by law, 3M will not be liable for any indirect, special, incidental or consequential loss or damage arising from this 3M product, regardless of the legal theory asserted.**

