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# Cera Glue® AA

# A Superior High-Temperature Bonding Agent for Alumina Parts

Cera Glue® AA is a fiber-free, ready-to-use, water-based, high-temperature-use (up to nearly 1500 C [2732 F]) bonding glue for Alumina-to-Alumina or for bonding high-Alumina content ceramics to one another. Cera Glue bonds parts together dramatically, creating a strong adhesive connection of the pieces. Also this glue can be used with dense or porous surfaces: just apply two coats to both faces to be bonded, drying between each coating at room temperature or at 60 C, followed by heating up to at least 1500 C in any atmosphere for around ½-2 hours. NOTE that this product DOES NOT contain Boron Nitride.

### **Key Attributes**

- Specifically designed for Alumina-to-Alumina or for high-Alumina parts
- Usable to nearly 1500 C, higher than other bonding agents
- Glue is highly stable/unreactive with many materials

   even molten ones
- Provides very strong joining of parts
- YAG (YAG, 3Y<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>\*5Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) based, phosphate-refractory bonded
- Contains no RCF (Refractory Ceramic Fiber)
- Water-based easy cleaning and diluting if needed

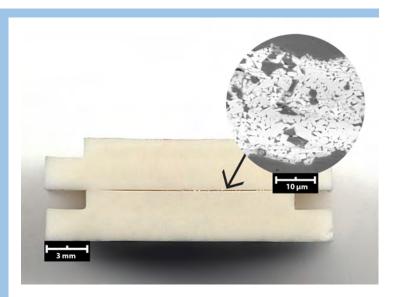
#### **Ideal Use**

- Bonding parts
- Glue-repair of broken or chipped ceramic/refractory parts
- Hermetically sealing tubes and bonded parts
- Creating large complex parts from separately sintered components

#### **Use Notes**

- 1. Remove any surface oil, dust, grease, scale, or other coating.
- 2. Shake the container vigorously until the mixing ball is loosened and the glue is evenly resuspended and liquid appearing.
- 3. Paint one layer onto both sides of the area to be bonded; allow to dry at room temperature or at 60 C and then apply a second layer.
- 4. Place the parts together and heat up to 1500 C in any atmosphere and 'soak' for ½ to 2 hours or more.

Prewetting the areas with water is not necessary, but may be helpful on very porous refractories to prevent excessive drying of the glue.



## **Specifications**

Active Ingredients Proprietary Refractory Materials with Yttrium Aluminate (YAG, 3Y<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>\*5Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>)

Max Use Temperature with

All Atmospheres Nearly 1500 C (2732 F)
Fired Composition Mixed Oxides, with
YAG primary phase

Liquid Carrier Water
Binder Phase Stable refractory with phosphate
BN Level None
Specific Gravity 1.52
Color Grayish White
Brook-field Viscosity (cps) 400 @2/60
Shelf Life (months) >12
Coating pH 2

H F R Ratings 1-0-0 Substrate Use

Alumina and high-Alumina refractories

#### Sizes and colors

Standard Size: 8 oz. (237 ml) container Cera Glue AA is a grayish white colored glue.

### **Safety Information**

- Consult SDS before use.
- For industrial use only

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