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MSLA Heat Gray

(MPT-HE001GY)

Check

- Tank and LCD screen are clean
- Shake well (60 sec) before pouring
- Tank and platform are tightened properly

Exposure Setting Recommendation Chart

Printer	Layer Thickness (µm)	Bottom (Burn-In) Layers	Normal Layer Exposure Time (s)	Bottom Layer Exposure Time (s)	Light-off Delay (s)	Lifting Distance (mm)	Lifting Speed (mm/min)	Retract Speed (mm/min)
Shuffle	50	10	7	40	9	6	80	150
	100	6	12	40	9	6	80	150
Shuffle XL	50	10	6	40	15	8	60	150
	100	6	10	40	15	8	60	150
Sonic	50	10	1.5	10	9	6	80	150
	100	6	2.5	10	9	6	80	150
Sonic Mini	50	10	2.5	15	9	6	80	150
	100	6	4	15	9	6	80	150
Sonic Mighty	50	6	2	10	15	8	60	150
4K	100	6	4	10	15	8	60	150
Elegoo Mars2	50	6	2	10	8	5	80	150
Pro	100	6	3.5	10	8	5	80	150
Elegoo Mars3	50	6	1.4	12	8	5	80	150
Ultra 4K	100	6	2.5	12	8	5	80	150
Anycubic	50	6	1.2	15	15	8	1 (mm/s)	2.5 (mm/s)
Photon MonoX	100	6	1.8	15	15	8	1 (mm/s)	2.5 (mm/s)

Each printer is unique, light intensity varies from printer to printer, even within same model and make. Please adjust normal exposure time from above recommended settings \pm 2 (\pm 0.5 for Mono LCD printer) for optimal results.

Sizing calibration, stl file: https://www.thingiverse.com/thing:1586206

Washing

Submerge print in clean IPA (95+% concentration) for up to 5 minutes, gently shake-off/blow-off excess IPA, set prints in shaded, airy place to dry before post-curing. Extended time in IPA causes deformation.

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Post Curing

For optimal material performance, two post-curing steps are required: **photo** + **thermal curing**. There are several options for post-curing. Refer to the below data charts, select the option that is best fit for the intended application.

(Subject printed on Sonic Mighty 4K @ 100 µm, oven temp starts from room temperature)

- 1. FormCure at 35 °C / 60 mins
- 2. FormCure at 80 °C / 120 mins
- 3. FormCure at 35 °C / 60 mins followed by oven to 160 °C for 180 mins
- 4. FormCure at 80 °C / 120 mins followed by oven to 160 °C for 180 mins
- 5. FormCure at 60 °C / 60 mins followed by oven to 160 °C for 90 mins

Heat Deflection Temperature

	Photo-Cured ¹	Photo-Cured ²	Photo-Cured + Thermal-Cured ³	Photo-Cured + Thermal-Cured ⁴
HDT @0.45 MPa (°F/°C)	228.2/109	352.4/178	352.4/178	482/250

In accordance with ASTM D648

Mechanical Properties Data

	Photo-Cured ¹	Photo-Cured + Thermal-Cured ⁵	
Tensile (MPa)	55 – 75	60 - 80	
Elongation (%)	1 - 2	1 – 3	
Impact (J/m)	19 - 25	24 - 31	
Hardness (Shore)	85 – 87 D	87 – 89 D	
Flexure Strength (MPa)	130 - 145	135 – 185	
Flexure Modulus (MPa)	2550 - 2650	2850 - 3000	

Properties may vary with different print geometry, orientation, setting and postprocess condition and equipment.

Storage

- Keep resin in shaded environment; temperature between 15°C and 26°C
- NOT accessible to children.
- Do Not store resin in the tank for more than 2 days.
- Filter out all debris in case of failed prints.

Note: Slight pigment settlement is normal. Gently mix remaining resin in resin tank with soft wiper for color evenness.