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# FormCure UV Curing Station



**Location:** Elings 3430

**Description:** FormLabs UV curing chamber

Manufacturer: FormLabs

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#### **About**

After your FormLabs print has gone through the FormWash, the resin should be cured in the FormCure, a UV curing chamber. Each resin has a specific hardening curve that can be found within the reference material. This will help you indicate the ideal time and temperature to be set on the FormCure.

## **Safety Concerns**

- Allow at least half an hour for IPA to evaporate before placing part in FormCure
- Allow time for the Form Cure to cool off before removing parts
- Do not operate form cure with lid open

### **Operating Procedures**

- 1. Any part to be cured needs to be washed in the FormWash with IPA BEFORE being placed in the form cure. Supports can be removed before or after curing process.
- 2. Wait 30 minutes after washing to allow all remaining IPA to evaporate
- Check the reference material for selected resin to determine ideal time and temperature for curing

- 4. Use the dial on the front of the FormCure to set time and temperature
- 5. Place part within the FormCure→ press start.

# **Detailed Specifications**

• Max cure temp: 80 degrees C

• Light: 39W total drawn by 13 405 nm LEDs

### **Reference Documentation**

Form 2 Training SOP

https://support.formlabs.com/s/article/Using-Form-Cure?language=en\_US

https://support.formlabs.com/s/article/Form-Cure-Time-and-Temperature-Settings?language=en\_US

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