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Technical presentation at SAE 2009 World Congress to demonstrate advances in gasket technology

Henkel Discusses Next Generation Formed-In-Place Gasket Liquid Sealant at SAE 2009 World Congress

MADISON HEIGHTS, Mich. – Henkel will discuss its Next Generation Formed-In-Place Gasket (FIPG) Liquid Sealant for Automotive Intake Manifold Applications in a technical presentation at SAE World Congress and Exposition. The topic will be presented at 10 a.m. on April 23rd in Room D3-22/23 at COBO Hall by Henkel technical expert, Chiu-Sing Lin. It highlights a study Henkel conducted in collaboration with Honda that shows that polyacrylate FIPG reduces gasoline permeation up to 10 times better than the silicone FIPG.

In addition to the findings of the study, the technical session will also touch upon the adhesion properties of the polyacrylate FIPG sealant on aluminum and magnesium alloys.

“Henkel is committed to developing sustainable technologies that reduce environmental impact while improving performance and quality,” said Dan Wohletz, vice president, NA automotive, Henkel. “This new polyacrylate Formed-In-Place Gasket Liquid sealant is an example of such an innovation. We are excited to have had the opportunity to collaborate with Honda on the study of this technology.”

For more information, please go to www.henkelna.com/automotive or call 866.332.7024.

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