Starting Formulation

SF 7000

Flexibilized, One-Component Electrical Potting and Impregnating Compound

EPON™ Resin 828 / HELOXY™ Modifier 32

Introduction

This single package epoxy/anhydride compound utilizes HELOXY Modifier 32 as a low viscosity flexibilizer for thermal shock resistance and metallic stearates as latent catalysts. The combination of lithium and zinc stearates eliminates surface tack but retains long shelf life and provides good electrical insulating properties at temperatures up to 130 °C. The low volatility of all components permits the use of high vacuum to insure complete impregnation and absence of air voids.

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<tr>
<th>Formula</th>
<th>Material</th>
<th>Supplier</th>
<th>Pounds</th>
<th>Gallons</th>
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<tr>
<td>EPON Resin 828</td>
<td>Hexion</td>
<td>60</td>
<td>6.19</td>
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<td>HELOXY Modifier 32</td>
<td>Hexion</td>
<td>40</td>
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<tr>
<td>Dodecenylsuccinic Anhydride</td>
<td>Allied Chemical Corp.</td>
<td>70</td>
<td>8.37</td>
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<td>Lithium Stearate #304</td>
<td>Witco Chemical Corp.</td>
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<td>Zinc Stearate Grade H</td>
<td>Metasap Chemical Co.</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>0.44</td>
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<td>Total</td>
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Typical Handling

Table 1 / Handling Properties

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<tr>
<td>Density</td>
<td>lbs/gal</td>
<td>8.92</td>
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<tr>
<td>Initial Viscosity at 25 °C</td>
<td>cP</td>
<td>900</td>
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<tr>
<td>Expected Shelf Life at 77 °F</td>
<td>months</td>
<td>&gt;2</td>
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<tr>
<td>Gel Time at 250 °F</td>
<td>min.</td>
<td>12</td>
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<td>Gel Time at 300 °F</td>
<td>min.</td>
<td>7</td>
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Suggested Cure Schedule

- at 250 °F | hrs | 5 |
- at 300 °F | hrs | 3 |

Compounding

Weigh the Dodecenylsuccinic Anhydride into a mixing vessel and heat to 300 °F to 340 °F. Use an inert gas sparge to prevent hydrolysis of the anhydride. Add lithium stearate and agitate until dissolved. Add zinc stearate and agitate until dissolved. Cool to 100 °F or less prior to blending with the EPON Resin 828.

Application

The compound may be heated to temperatures of 150 °F to 200 °F, if necessary, to lower viscosity and improve air release properties. Most electrical compounds are potted, impregnated or encapsulated under vacuum to assure complete penetration of fine windings and elimination of air voids.

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### Table 2 / Cured State Properties

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<tr>
<td>Tensile Strength, Ultimate</td>
<td>psi</td>
<td>2,100</td>
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<td>Tensile Elongation</td>
<td>%</td>
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<td>Izod Impact, notch</td>
<td>ft•lb/in.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Weight Loss - 24 Hrs. at 300 °F</td>
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<td>0.53</td>
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<td>Water Absorption - 24 Hrs. at 77 °F</td>
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#### Electrical Properties

**Volume Resistivity**

- 25 °C ohm-cm: $2.9 \times 10^{15}$
- 66 °C ohm-cm: $6.8 \times 10^{12}$
- 93 °C ohm-cm: $3.0 \times 10^{11}$
- 130 °C ohm-cm: $2.1 \times 10^{10}$
- 150 °C ohm-cm: $5.5 \times 10^9$
- 180 °C ohm-cm: $<10^9$

**Capacitance at 60 HZ**

- 25 °C: 3.56
- 40 °C: 3.90
- 60 °C: 3.25
- 80 °C: 3.34
- 100 °C: 3.11
- 120 °C: 3.00
- 140 °C: 3.17
- 160 °C: 3.34
- 180 °C: 4.26
- 200 °C: Off Scale

**Dielectric Constant**

- 3.56
- 3.90
- 3.25
- 3.34
- 3.11
- 3.00
- 3.17
- 3.34
- 4.26

**Dissipation Factor**

- 0.024
- 0.015
- 0.009
- 0.001
- 0.018
- 0.149
- 0.458
- 0.707
- 1.018

\(^1\) Cure Schedule 16 hrs at 250°F

#### Storage

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