

Technical Data Sheet

EPIKOTE™ Resin 816

Product Description

EPIKOTE Resin 816 is a low viscosity epoxy resin produced from bisphenol A and epichlorohydrin, and containing an added proportion of Cardura E10P (glycidyl ester of neodecanoic acid) as a reactive diluent. EPIKOTE 816 is of low volatility and mild odour, which gives the resin its agreeable handling characteristics. EPIKOTE 816 provides good pigment wetting and good resistance to filler settling. As judged by laboratory tests, EPIKOTE 816 is considered to have a moderate resistance to crystallisation on storage.

Application Areas/Suggested Uses

Compositions for the building and civil engineering industries, e.g. flooring compounds, adhesives, mortars and grout laminating binders. Solvent-free and high-solids coatings.

Benefits

- Low viscosity
- Low volatility
- Good resistance for crystallization
- Excellent pigment/filler and substrate wetting
- Imparts good mechanical performance

Sales Specifications

Property	Value	Unit	Test Method
Color	200 max	Pt-Co	ASTMD1209
Epoxy Group Content	5000 - 5300	mmol/kg	SMS 2026
Viscosity at 25°C	1.5 - 2.1	Pa.s	ASTMD445

Typical Properties

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Property	Value	Unit	Test Method
Density at 25°C	1.13	kg/L	ASTMD4052
Epoxy Equivalent	189 - 200	g/equivalent*	SMS 2026
Viscosity 10°C	16.00	Pa.s	ASTMD445
Viscosity 15°C	6.29	Pa.s	ASTMD445
Viscosity 20°C	3.80	Pa.s	ASTMD445
Viscosity 25°C	1.61	Pa.s	ASTMD445
Viscosity 30°C	1.20	Pa.s	ASTMD-445
Viscosity 35°C	0.85	Pa.s	ASTMD445
Viscosity 40°C	0.48	Pa.s	ASTMD445

*number of grams of resin containing 1 equivalent of epoxide (Weight per equivalent, WPE, is an alternative term).

Safety, Storage & Handling

Please refer to the MSDS for the most current Safety and Handling information.

EPIKOTE Resin 816 should be stored at room temperature in conditions such that moisture is excluded, in the original containers kept tightly closed. Under these conditions the shelf life should be a minimum of three years from date of certification.