PARALOID™ TMS-2670

MBS Impact Modifier For Epoxy Resin Applications

Regional Product Availability

- North America
- Europe, Middle East and Africa
- Asia Pacific

Description

PARALOID™ TMS-2670 MBS Impact Modifier is a new Impact Modifier/Toughener, specifically designed to overcome the brittle mechanical behavior of epoxy resins and composites. Over the last few decades, epoxy resins have found use in many industrial and consumer applications. Its versatility in combining chemical and temperature resistance, as well as excellent adhesion and electrical insulation properties, enables a wide variety of uses in adhesive, construction and electrical applications. Unfortunately, epoxy resins tend to display a rather brittle mechanical behavior, which occasionally limits their use. PARALOID™ TMS-2670 MBS Impact Modifier developed by Dow Plastics Additives, specifically overcomes this brittle mechanical behavior. The butadiene based core shell structure has been optimized to achieve an easily dispersible, highly efficient impact modifier.

In addition the optimization of the production process of the PARALOIDTMTMS-2670 MBS Impact Modifier has led to a Core-Shell Rubber (CSR) which, once dispersed in the epoxy, has only a minor effect on the viscosity, allowing an improved process ability of the impact modified epoxy resin.

Application Properties

PARALOID™ TMS-2670 MBS Impact Modifier provides an optimal balance of performance benefits in end use epoxy applications.

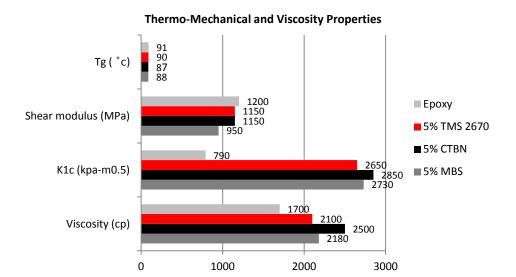
Processing:

- Easy dispersion
- Low viscosity of the modified liquid epoxy resin

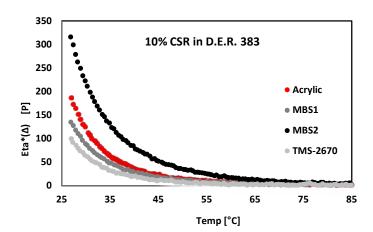
Mechanical/Thermal Properties:

- Enhanced impact performance at room and low temperature
- Enhanced Toughness at room and low temperature
- Retention of glass-transition temperature
- Retention of excellent thermal performance
- Enhanced adhesion properties



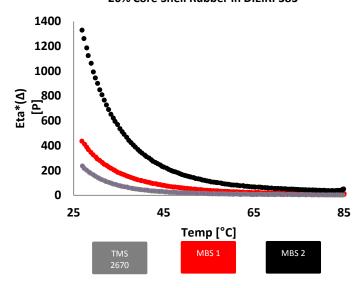


PARALOID™ TMS-2670 MBS Impact Modifier is designed to disperse more readily than currently available butadiene based core shell rubber products. PARALOID™ TMS-2670 MBS Impact Modifier also allows for improved process ability of the epoxy resin as it yields only a minor effect on viscosity.





20% Core Shell Rubber in D.E.R. 383



Typical Physical Properties

(These properties are typical but do not constitute specifications.)

Analysis	Unit	Value
Appearance		White Powder
Residual Particles		0.0-30.0
Total Volatiles	Wt.%	<1.0
Residual Chloride	ppm	0-250
Total Organics	ppm	0-500
Resin pH		6.2-7.2
PSD Span		0.0-2.7
Rubber Content	%	76.0-80.0

Compliance

PARALOID™ TMS-2670 MBS Impact Modifier has limited clearance under FDA Food Additive Regulation 21CFR178.3790 governing its use in semi-rigid and rigid vinyl plastics for food packaging and food-contact applications. The maximum allowable amount of modifier depends on the number, quantity and type of modifiers in the formulation.

Storage and Handling

Standard recommended storage conditions are as follows:

- Store indoors, protected from sunlight, UV, and moisture.
- Temperature should not exceed 120 deg. F.
- Opened bags should be kept tightly closed when not in use, preventing absorption of moisture from the air.

When stored correctly in the original packaging, the shelf life of PARALOID™ TMS-2670 MBS Impact Modifier is 2.4 years (900 days) from date of manufacture.



Safe Handling Information

Avoid high concentrations of dust in air and accumulation of dust on equipment. An airborne dust of this material can create a dust explosion. When handling and processing this material, local exhaust ventilation may be required to control dust and reduce exposure to vapors. To prevent dust explosion, employ bonding and grounding for operations capable of generating static electricity. Dispose of by placing powder in air tight bags. Incinerate or landfill at a permitted facility in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

Material Safety Data Sheets

Material Safety Data Sheets are available outlining hazards and safe handling methods. Contact Dow for copies of the MSDS for this product and for other handling information.

Notes: These are typical properties only are not to be constructed as specifications. Users should confirm the result by their own tests

Handling Precautions

Before using this product, consult the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)/Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for details on product hazards, recommended handling precautions and product storage.

Storage

Store products in tightly closed original containers at temperatures recommended on the product label.

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