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DI-OCTYL PHTHALATE (DOP)

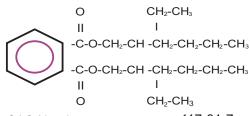
DI - OCTYL PHTHALATE (DOP) Primary plasticizer for PVC and PVC copolymers

Chemical Nature Phthalic acid ester of C₈ alcohol

Chemical Name :- Bis (2- Ethylhexyl)Phthalate

Trade Name :- DOP, DEHP Molecular Formula :- C₂₄H₃₈O₄ Molecular Weight :- 390

 $\label{eq:molecular Structure} \mbox{ In } C_4H_9(C_2H_5)C_2H_3-CO_2-C_6H_4-CO_2H_9(C_2H_5)C_4H_9$



CAS Number :- 117-81-7 UN. NO :- 3082 EINECS NO :- 204211-0

Specification Characteristics Unit Test Method Value

Colour	HU	ASTM-D-1045-86	20 max.
Volatile Loss (130°C/ 3Hrs)	wt.%	KLJTM	0.10 max.
Ester Value	mg KOH/g	ASTM-D-1045-86	284-290
Acidity	wt.%	ASTM-D-1045-86	0.01 max.
Moisture	wt.%	ASTM-E-203	0.10 max.
Specific Gravity (27°C)		ASTM-D-1045-86	0.980-0.986
Ester content	wt.%	ASTM-D-1045-86	99.50 min.
Heat Stability (180°C/ 2Hrs)	HU	ISI-9591-96	No Change
Acidity after heat treatment	wt.%	ASTM-D-1045-86	0.03
Plasticizing Esters by GC	% by area	KLJTM	99.50 min.
Residual alcohol	% by area	KLJTM	0.10 max.

Typical Properties

Volume Resistivity	Ohmcm	KLJTM	2±0.2 X10 ¹¹
Boiling Point @ 7 mbar	°C	lit.	231
Pour point	°C	lit.	-46
Viscosity at 20°C	ср	KLJTM	82 <u>+</u> 2
Flash Point	°C	KLJTM	218
Refractive Index (27°C)		ASTM-D-1045-86	1.484-1.488

Total Solution in Plasticizers





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Properties

DOP is almost colourless and odourless oily liquid, free of foreign materials which is, slightly soluble in water(0.285mg/L at 240c) but soluble in alcohols, hexane etc. and is miscible and compatible with all the monomeric plasticizers of PVC compounding.

KLJ advantages :-

- I) It is almost smellless.
- li) Its volume resistivity is much higher than any other DOP.
- lii) It has less volatility due to less % of moisture & residual alcohol.

Application

95% of DOP is used as a Plasticizer in PVC resins for fabricating flexible vinyl Product like: vinyl upholstery, tablecloth, shower, curtain, raincoat, shoes, garden hoses, swimming pools liners, polymeric coating, cable coating, component of paper & paperboard, defoaming agents, surface lubricants, in order of importance.

The only significant non-plasticizer use for DOP is an replacement for polychlrinated biphenyls in dielectric fuild for electric capacitors.

The micelleneous use for DOP are :- as the solvent in erasable ink, as an acaricide for use in orchards, as an inert ingredient in pesticides, as an vacuum pump oil, in detecting leaks in respirators.

Packing & Storage

DOP is packed in 200/225 Kg iron drum/HDPE drum, 20-22 MT in Flexi tank / ISO tank / road tanker. It is stored in tightly closed container, in a cool & dry, ventilated

Shelf Life

Original characteristics remain intact for 24 month, if kept in recommended storage.

Safety

The MSDS can be provided on request.

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