## **Blocked Isocyanates** OEM – INDUSTRIAL COATINGS



## DESCRIPTION

Leeson Polyurethanes Ltd. produce a range of blocked aliphatic isocyanate systems. The range aims to overcome some of the limitations with traditional PU technology, namely:

- Stability in 1K systems
- Pot life restrictions in 2K systems
- Sensitivity to moisture, both ambient and trace levels in raw materials
- Increasing concern regarding free isocyanate levels in systems



## BENEFITS OF LEESON POLYURETHANES BLOCKED ISOCYANATE RANGE

- A wide range of unblocking temperatures
- Aliphatic based technology, giving excellent UV colour stability
- Flexible Formulation approach, offering tailored solutions to customers
- Product compatible with polyester, urethane and acrylic resins
- Range of DMP based technology offering low unblocking temperatures

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PROPERTY	PU5207	PU5208	PU5209	PU5210	PU5211	PU5364	PU5429	PU5614	PU5615	PU5616
Appearance	Clear straw liquid	Clear straw liquid	Clear straw liquid	Clear straw liquid	Clear straw liquid	Clear straw liquid	Clear straw liquid	Clear low viscosity liquid	Clear low viscosity liquid	Clear low viscosity liquid
Viscosity at 25°C (mPa.s)	≤1000	900 - 1300	2050 - 2450	3200 - 3800	1300 - 1500	1000 - 1400	$1000 \pm 500$	<1000mPa.s	<200mPa.s	<1000mPa.
Density at 25°C (g/cm³)	1.0 - 1.1	1.0 - 1.1	1.0 - 1.1	1.0 - 1.1	1.0 - 1.1	1.0 - 1.1	1.0 - 1.1	1.0 - 1.1	1.0 - 1.1	1.0 - 1.1
Solids content (%)	68 - 72	68 - 72	68 - 72	63 - 73	68 - 72	63 - 67	68 - 72	38 - 42	38 - 42	38 - 42
lsocyanate type	HMDI Trimer	HDI Biuret	HDI Biuret	IPDI Trimer	HMDI Trimer	IPDI Monomer	HDI Biuret	HMDI Trimer	HMDI Trimer	HMDI Trime
Solvent	1-Methoxy- 2-Propanol	1-Methoxy- 2-Propanol	Naphtha B	Naphtha B Butyl acetate	1-Methoxy- 2-Propanol	1-Methoxy- 2-Propanol	1-Methoxy- 2-Propanol	Water	Water	Water
Flashpoint - closed cup (°C)	31	31	48	22	31	31	31	N/A	N/A	N/A
Boiling point (°C)	120	120	135	126	120	120	120	N/A	N/A	N/A
Apparent % NCO (as supplied)	10.12	10.2	10.2	7.9	10.5	7.46	8.94	4.0	5.1	4.8
Apparent eq. wt. (as supplied)	415	410	410	530	400	563	470	1056	826	875
Blocking agent	3,5-Dimethyl- pryazole	3,5-Dimethyl- pryazole	3,5-Dimethyl- pryazole	3,5-Dimethyl- pryazole	Methylethyl Ketoxime	3,5-Dimethyl- pryazole	Diethyl- malonate	Dimethyl- pyrazole	Dimethyl- pyrazole	Dimethyl- pyrazole
Application	Automotive & Coil Coating	Coil	Coil & Electrostatic	Automotive & Coil Coating	Automotive & Coil Coating	Automotive & Coil Coating	Automotive & Coil Coating			



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## FURTHER INFORMATION

The Leeson Polyurethane range includes 4 blocking agents, allowing customers to choose the temperature (and also the isocyanates), they wish to use. Detailed below are the 4 blocking agents used within our range.

Blocking Agent	Unblocking Range (°C)			
Diethyl malonate (DEM)	100-120			
Dimethyl pyrazole (DMP)	110-120			
Methylethyl ketoxime (MEKO)	140-160			
ε-Caprolactam (ε-CAP)	160-180			

#### **IMPORTANT NOTE**

Leeson Polyurethanes' products are guaranteed against defective materials and manufacture and are sold subject to its standard Terms and Conditions of Sale, copies of which can be obtained on request.

#### HOW DOES THE TECHNOLOGY WORK?

During manufacture, we react the blocking agent onto the isocyanate. This gives an inert and non-hazardous material, at standard ambient temperatures.

The blocked isocyanate can be compounded into suitable coating systems, which are applied and dried. When cured at the correct unblocking temperature, the isocyanate is able to react with the functional co-binder polymer, to give a final cross linking cure.

#### TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

OEM – coil coating; automotive coatings; electrostatic coatings; white goods.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

The finished system is assessed as non-hazardous to health and the environment. The long service life and seamless surface reduce the need for repairs, maintenance and cleaning. Environmental and health considerations are controlled during manufacture of the products by Leeson Polyurethanes staff.

## FURTHER INFORMATION

To ensure you are specifying a fit for purpose system for your application please consult our Area Sales Manager for your area or visit our website.

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