

Elasticizing and Matting with Renewable Raw Materials

Deogrip[®] in Practice

Epoxy-Systems

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This strategy is supported by our own technical laboratory capacities that we maintain at our sites in Hamburg and Marschacht.





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- We supply you with highly effective additives worldwide, even in small units.
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- With our own R&D capabilities, we also serve as development partners for our customers.
- As a medium-sized company, you benefit from our direct lines of communication – we don't make you wait long for an answer.
- Our quality management is certified in accordance with DIN EN ISO 9001:2015.

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Technical Datasheets

At **www.do-additives.de/en** you have the opportunity to download "technical datasheets" for each of our products.



1. From Castor Oil to Deogrip®



The Raw Materials

The cross-linking of cold-pressed oils has been one of the core competencies of the DOG Deutsche Oelfabrik over the course of its more than 115-year company history. Cross-linked native oils, also called factice, are often used as additives in the rubber industry. Taking this as a starting point, DOG developed a new product for the coating industry called Deogrip, which is based on cross-linked castor oil and provides numerous advantages.

The Production

The product types offered in powder form, Deogrip WPF and Deogrip WPF-NT, are produced at our locations in Hamburg and Marschacht. The production of the liquid Deogrip Micro products takes place exclusively at our location in Marschacht. The renewable raw material, castor oil, is first modified chemically and subsequently cross-linked to a polymer. DOG's expertise in the polymerization process and wet milling is essential for the production of the fluid Deogrip Micro products. The process that is employed by DOG ensures that the products have a consistently high quality. In further refinement steps, individual adjustments to the particle size are subsequently made in order to meet the demands of the coating industry.

Appearance	Product	Active	Particle Size	
		[%]	d₅₀ [µm]	d ₉₀ [µm]
Deogrip in	Powder Form			
	Deogrip WPF Milled Powder	100	120	500
	Deogrip WPF-NT Milled Powder	100	35	80
Deogrip fo	r Water-Based Coatings			
-	Deogrip Micro A 2010* White suspension, low viscosity, water-based	45	10	28
6	Deogrip Micro A 2011* White suspension, low viscosity, water-based	45	10	25
	Deogrip Micro A 2020* White suspension, low viscosity, water-based	45	20	60
Deogrip fo	r Solvent-Based Coatings			
	Deogrip Micro S 1005* Creme white gel, in butyl acetate / DMM	30	7	15
	Deogrip Micro S 1010* White suspension, medium viscosity, in butyl acetate	30	10	25
0	Deogrip Micro S 1011* Creme white gel, in butyl acetate / contains thixotropic additive	30	9	20
	Deogrip Micro S 1020* White suspension, medium viscosity, in DPM	30	12	25
0	Deogrip Micro S 1021* Creme white suspension, medium viscosity, in DPM / contains thixotropic additive	30	12	25
	Deogrip Micro S 1030* White suspension, medium viscosity, in DMM	30	10	25
Deogrip Micro S 10 White suspension, me viscosity, in ethyl acet		30	10	25
Deogrip in	Reactive Diluent Solution	IS		
	Deogrip Micro R 1510* White suspension, medium viscosity, in DPGDA	30	10	25

* Please Note: Deogrip Micro products demonstrate different specific weights between polymers and solvents. This can lead to a temporary phase separation and is a product-specific characteristic. Therefore, before usage, all Deogrip Micro products should be agitated well.

2. The Advantages of Using Deogrip®



The Deogrip product range is highly versatile. Even at relatively small concentrations, excellent matting effects can be achieved, e.g. in combination with conventional silicates. At a higher concentration, Deogrip can completely replace matting silicates and furthermore, it enhances the elasticity and flexibility of the coating. Deogrip also can make a wide range of coatings less prone to cracking, without reducing their resistance to solvents or other chemicals.

Special Product Characteristics

- Matting, even when silicates should not be used
- Improved elasticity and flexibility in coatings
- Targeted structural effects can be generated by Deogrip
- No shrinkage necessary for matting
- Generally chemically resistant
- Good resistance to solvents
- Good thermal stability, up to 230°C for short periods without yellowing
- Hydrophobic properties, no water absorption
- Neutral in color
- High transparency no clouding at higher dosages
- Retains the original depth of color even at higher dosages

Special Properties

- Easy blending in coatings due to excellent dispersion properties, without an increase in viscosity
- After mixing, no sedimentation or depositing in coatings, (density 1.0 g/cm³)
- Troubleshooting: easy to make fine adjustments to the glossiness even after production completed
- Very good compatibility with most binding systems

Areas of Application

- Industrial coatings
- Container linings
- Electrical devices (matting)
- Rock-chip protection/undercoatings (improved impact resistance)
- Floor coatings (improved elasticity)
- Structural coatings (texturing)



3. Overview of Example Recipes



The Deogrip products can be used in any coating system for a wide range of applications. We have generated example recipes in order to provide a representative overview of the versatility of these innovative additives. It goes without saying that the Deogrip additives can be used in further coating systems as well.

Binding Agent System	Recipe	Deogrip Products Used
2K Epoxy Clear Coating, Solvent-Based	R1	Deogrip Micro S 1010, 1011, 1020, 1030
2K Epoxy Clear Coating, Water-Based	R2	Deogrip Micro A 2010
2K Epoxy Clear Coating, Solvent-Free	R3	Deogrip WPF-NT
2K Epoxy Clear Coating, Reactive Diluent	R4	Deogrip WPF-NT





3.1 Recipe R1 – 2K Epoxy Clear Coating, Solvent-Based

Pos.	Product	Initial Weight	Function
		[g]	
A-Cor	nponents		
1.	Araldite GZ 7071X75	100.0	Binding agent
2.	AFCONA 5585	0.5	Wetting agent
3.	AFCONA 2270	2.0	Anti-foaming agent
4.	Butyl acetate	20.0 (0.0 with Micro S)	Solvent
5.	Polymer	11.0 (see table)	Polymer matting agent
6.	Silicate	11.0 (see table)	Inorganic matting agent
7.	Deogrip Micro S 1010	33.0 (see table)	Polymer matting agent
8.	Deogrip Micro S 1011	33.0 (see table)	Polymer matting agent
	Deogrip Micro S 1020	33.0 (see table)	Polymer matting agent
	Deogrip Micro S 1030	33.0 (see table)	Polymer matting agent
B-Con	nponents		
9.	D.E.H. 445	16.4	Hardening agent

3.1.1 Production:

- Except for the matting agents, all of the A-component substances are agitated together in a disperser at 500 rpm for 5 minutes.
- Subsequently, the matting agent is slowly added, then the suspension is agitated for another 10 minutes at 1000 rpm.
- Afterwards, the B-components are added then the mixture is agitated at 500 rpm for another 5 minutes.



3.1.2 Comparison of Various Matting Agents

	0 % Matting (Reference)	10 % Polymer	10 % Silicate	10 % Deogrip Micro S 1010	10 % Deogrip Micro S 1011	10 % Deogrip Micro S 1020	10 % Deogrip Micro S 1030
Substrate: Cardboard							
Dry Coating Thickness [µm]	47	54	50	57	51	49	53
Gloss 60 [GU] Cardboard	99	85	87	76	74	78	75
Substrate: Steel							
Dry Coating Thickness [µm]	47	54	50	57	51	49	53
Gloss 60 [GU] Steel	100	95	93	86	87	83	80
Pendulum Hardness by König (Drying time > 7d)	98	96	119	88	85	79	83
Cross Cut		G0	G0	G0	G0	G0	G0

Gloss Values for Basic Recipe R1 with Various Matting Agents



Pendulum Hardness for Basic Recipe R1 with Various Matting Agents



ADVANTAGES

- At a concentration of 10 % by mass, all of the tested Deogrip Micro S products matt the 2K epoxy coating more strongly than matting silicates or a competing polymer product.
- Deogrip Micro S has an elasticizing effect on the coating, making it more flexible.

3.1.3 The Boost Effect of Deogrip in Solvent-Based Systems

	0 % Matting (Reference)	10 % Silicate	8 % Silicate 2 % Deogrip	6 % Silicate 2 % Deogrip	10 % Deogrip Micro S 1010	14 % Deogrip Micro S 1010
Substrate: Cardboard						
Gloss 60 [GU] Cardboard	99	85	87	76	74	75
Substrate: Steel						
Gloss 60 [GU] Steel	100	95	93	86	87	80
Pendulum Hardness by König (Drying time > 7d)	98	96	119	88	85	83
Dry Coating Thickness [µm]		40-60	40-60	40-60	40-60	40-60

Gloss Values for Mixtures of Deogrip Micro S 1010 and Silica in 2K Epoxy Coatings Gloss 60° [GU] Cardboard Gloss 60° [GU] Steel 130 120 110 100 90 80 70 60 50 10% Deogrip Micro S 1010 14% Deogrip Micro S 1010 0% Matting 10% Silicate 8% Silicate 6% Silicate (Reference) 2% Deogrip 4% Deogrip

Pendulum Hardness by König (ISO 1522) for Mixtures of Deogrip Micro S 1010 and Silicate in 2K Epoxy Coatings



ADVANTAGES

• In the mixture with silicate, Deogrip Micro S enhances the matting effect while also elasticizing the 2K epoxy coating, making it more flexible.





3.2 Recipe R2 – 2K Epoxy Clear Coating, Water-Based

Pos.	Product	Initial Weight [g]	Function
A-Cor	nponents		
1.	D.E.H. 805	90.0	Hardening agent
2.	AFCONA 3585	1.0	Wetting agent
3.	AFCONA 2270	1.0	Anti-foaming agent
4.	Demineralized Water	100.0*	Solvent
5.	Silicate	16.0 (see table)	Inorganic matting agent
6.	Deogrip Micro A 2010	20.0/36.0/72.0 (see table)	Polymer matting agent
B-Con	nponents		
7.	D.E.R. 3581	70.0	Binding agent

*Water amount reduced by adding Deogrip Micro A

3.2.1 Production:

- Except for the matting agent, all of the A-component substances are agitated together in a disperser at 500 rpm for 5 minutes.
- Subsequently, the matting agent is slowly added, then the suspension is agitated for another 10 minutes at 1000 rpm.
- Afterwards, the B-components are added then the mixture is agitated at 500 rpm for another 5 minutes.

3.2.2 Test Results

	0 % Matting (Reference)	11 % Silicate	6 % Deogrip Micro A 2010	11 % Deogrip Micro A 2010	22 % Deogrip Micro A 2010
Substrate: Cardboard					
Gloss 60 [GU] Cardboard	69	43	51	42	41
Substrate: Steel					
Gloss 60 [GU] Steel	106	62	76	63	52
Pendulum Hardness by König (Drying time > 7d)	105	114	112	83	79
Dry Coating Thickness [µm]	40-50	G0	G0	G0	G0

Gloss Values for Basic Recipe R2 with Various Matting Agents and Concentrations Gloss 60° [GU] Cardboard Gloss 60° [GU] Steel Gloss 60° [GU] Cardboard Gloss 60° [GU] Cardboard Gloss 60° [GU] Steel Gloss 60° [GU] Cardboard Gloss 60°

Pendulum Hardness for Basic Recipe R2 with Various Matting Agents and Concentrations



ADVANTAGES -

- Compared with matting silicates, Deogrip Micro A has matting effects even at low concentrations.
- As opposed to matting silicates, when used in concentrations above 6 %, Deogrip Micro A has an elasticizing effect on the coating, making it more flexible.





3.3 Recipe R3 – 2K Epoxy Clear Coating, Solvent-Free Recipe R4 – 2K Epoxy Clear Coating, Reactive Diluent

Pos.	Product	Recipe R3 [g]	Recipe R4 [g]	Function
A-Coi	nponents			
1.	Araldite GY 783	100.0	100.0	Binding agent
2.	AFCONA 5585	3.0	3.0	Wetting agent
3.	AFCONA 7201	1.0	1.0	Anti-foaming agent
4.	Talcum	100.0/60.0/20.0 (see table)		Filler
5.	Deogrip WPF-NT	0.0/40.0/80.0 (see table)	0.0/100.0	Polymer matting agent
6.	Nikanol Y300		60.0/60.0	Reactive diluent
B-Cor	nponents			
7.	D.E.H. 445	54.0	64.0	Hardening agent

3.3.1 Production:

- Except for the matting agent, all of the A-component substances are put together.
- This mixture is agitated in a disperser at 500 rpm for 5 minutes.
- After 5 minutes of agitating, the matting agent is slowly added.
- Then the suspension is agitated for approximately another 10 minutes at 1000 rpm.
- Afterwards, the B-components are added then the mixture is agitated at 500 rpm for another 5 minutes.
- The preparation can be utilized immediately.

3.3.2 Test Results

	2K E	Recipe R3 – poxy Clear Coat Solvent-Free	Recipe R4 – 2K Epoxy Clear Coating, Reactive Diluent	
	0 % WPF-NT	15 % WPF-NT	30 % WPF-NT	30 % WPF-NT
Amount of talcum in dry mass	38 %	23 %	8 %	
Amount of Nikanol Y 300 in dry mass				18 %
Amount of WPF-NT in dry mass	0 %	15 %	30 %	30 %
Dry coating thickness [µm]	220	230	215	575
Gloss 60° [GU] steel	88	83	76	75
Pendulum Hardness by König (Drying time > 7d)	92	82	77	24
Cross Cut	GT 0	GT 0	GT 0	GT 0

Gloss Values for Different 2K Epoxy High Solid Coatings with Deogrip WPF-NT



Pendulum Hardness for Different 2K Epoxy High Solid Coatings with Deogrip WPF-NT



ADVANTAGES

- Deogrip WPF-NT has a matting and elasticizing effect in high solid coatings.
- Deogrip WPF-NT can be used together with reactive diluents in high solid coatings. This results in matt surfaces with high elasticity (low pendulum hardness).



4. Test Methods



4.1 Determining Pendulum Damping According to König

With the König method, two pendulum balls lying on a paint film are used to determine the pendulum damping. The number of oscillations that exceed a predefined amplitude are measured. The softer the film, the stronger the damping effect will be on the oscillations. According to DIN EN ISO 152, the number of oscillations provides evidence of the elasticity and the surface hardness of the coating.

4.2 Determining the Gloss Value Using DIN ISO 2813

The conventional definition of gloss refers to the light reflected on the surface of a coating. This light is reflected differently depending on the roughness of the surface, thus leading to a correspondingly good representation of the illuminated environment. The sensory impression of this phenomenon, as it is perceived by the eye, is recognized as gloss. In order to measure gloss, a reflectometer is utilized. This instrument contains a defined light source and measures the intensity of the reflection at predetermined angles.

4.3 Determining the Coating Thickness Using DIN EN ISO 2178

In order to determine the coating thickness, one could draw upon a variety of methods for measurement. One common, non-destructive method of measuring the coating thickness, DIN EN ISO 2178, makes use of magnetic induction. The magnetic-inductive method can be used on magnetizable substrates. The current in the primary coil of an electromagnet is used to generate a magnetic flux, which in turn results in an induction voltage. The coating thickness is determined by measuring the change in the magnetic flux and thus the induced voltage.

4.4 Static and Dynamic Friction

The test specified in DIN EN ISO 8295 is used to determine the coefficients of static and dynamic friction. With this test, one can define the coefficients of friction between two coatings or between a coating and a defined surface. A test specimen is placed on a test plate and is weighted with a defined mass. Then, at a constant velocity, the testing apparatus pulls the test specimen across the test plate, which is attached to a horizontal surface. The applied force is measured, which is then used to calculate the coefficients of static and dynamic friction.

4.5 Chemical Resistance

This test is based on several different standard methods for testing surfaces (e.g. DIN 68861, DIN EN 12720 (2009)) and serves to determine the resistance of coatings to liquid chemicals. It can be used to carry out both temporary and long-term tests. A test liquid is applied to the coated object and covered for a specified time period and at a defined temperature. It is subsequently examined for visible changes such as gloss, color, adhesion, or blistering.

4.6 Cross-Cut Test (DIN EN ISO 2409)

In this test, 6 parallel cuts are applied to the coating using a utility knife or a special cutting device. Then 6 more cuts are made at a right angle to the first set, thus creating 25 squares. The cuts go down to the substrate without damaging it much. An adhesive strip is placed on this field parallel to one set of cuts, then removed abruptly. The remaining grid is inspected and, depending on its condition, is rated with a crosscut value from 0 (good) to 5 (very bad).

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Further Literature: D.O.COAT Product Range

Applications, products, properties, and recommendations for adhesion-promoting additives (Deolink Silanes), organic matting and soft-touch additives (Deogrip), polymer matting/soft-touch additives (Deocoat), as well as tackifier resins (Deotack).

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