

Technical data sheet

Methyltetrahydrophthalic anhydride 604 (MTHPA 604)

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Chemical Composition

MTHPA 604 is a blend of cycloaliphatic anhydrides. Main components are MTHPA isomers.

Equivalent weight (theoretical): 160

Product specification

Characteristics	Unit	Value	Method*	Reference
Appearance		Clear liquid	L000	
Purity	%	99,0 min	L001	
Colour	Gardner	3 max	GM011	ASTM D-1544
Acid content	%	0,5 max	L002	

* Internal methods available upon request.

Typical properties

Characteristics	Unit	Value
Density @ 25°C	g/ml	1,207
Viscosity @ 25°C	mPa.s	Appr.50
Refractive index n_D^{25}		1,4990

Main applications

MTHPA 604 is used as hardener for epoxy resins.

MTHPA 604 can be easily blended with various liquid resins providing stable, low viscous mixtures and long pot lives. It is widely used for:

- Casting / Potting
- Impregnation
- Lamination

In the field of reinforced plastics it is used for filament winding products (pipes for oil, poles and sport goods), laminated sheets, printed circuit boards, switch gears.

MTHPA 604 finds applications for the production of electrical parts such as: capacitors, resistors, wiring parts transformers, ignition coils, fly back transformers.

Handling

Packaging: galvanized drum 220 kg;
bulk;
IBC 1100 Kg

Storage: It must be stored away from open flames or other potential ignition sources, and should be protected from moisture. It easily crystallizes when into contact with the air moisture. During the winter season MTHPA 604 may solidify, but it can be easily remelted by simply heating without any effect on product quality.

Shelf life: 12 months from production date.

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