

## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

# SYNOCURE® 516 N 60

Acrylic polyol

### PRODUCT APPLICATION DETAILS

SYNOCURE® 516 N 60 is a hydroxy functional acrylic resin designed to crosslink at room temperature with polyisocyanates.

SYNOCURE® 516 N 60 is particularly well suited for use in high quality industrial coatings. The excellent adhesion properties make the resin a good choice for primers, fillers and single coat paints for a variety of substrates. Steel, galvanised steel, aluminium, wood, plastic and minerals can all be coated satisfactorily using coatings based on SYNOCURE® 516 N 60.

SYNOCURE® 516 N 60 has particularly good resistance properties to solvents and chemicals and to exposure to weather and UV light, making it suitable for high quality anticorrosive protection and for long life decorative coatings, especially on structural steelwork.

### SALES SPECIFICATIONS

	CHARACTERISTICS	METHODS
Solid content (125°C)	59 - 61 %	ISO 3251
Viscosity (Brookfield S34) (25°C)	2000 - 3000 mPa.s	ISO 3219
Color	100 max Hazen	ISO 6271
Acid value	5 - 10 mg KOH/g	ISO 2114

### OTHER CHARACTERISTICS<sup>1</sup>

	CHARACTERISTICS	METHODS
Solvent	Aromatic solvent 160°C - 180°C	-
Flash point	46 °C	ISO 3679
Density	1 g/ml	ISO 2811
Hydroxyl content	2.7 %	-
Hydroxyl equivalent weight	90	-
Hydroxyl value	90 mg KOH/g	-

<sup>1</sup>The data provided for these properties are typical values, intended only as guides, and should not be construed as sales specifications

### MARKETS & APPLICATIONS

#### Coatings & Inks

- Industrial Coating
  - Automotive - Refinish
  - General Industry
  - Protective And Marine Coating

### PERFORMANCE BENEFITS

- Excellent chemical and stain resistance
- Good durability
- Excellent adhesion
- Economy in use

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## FORMULATION GUIDELINES

### RECOMMENDATIONS FOR USE

SYNOCURE® 516 N 60 should be mixed just prior to application with the selected polyisocyanate. The mixing ratio is not critical although it is preferable to use stoichiometric ratios to obtain optimum performance.

The reaction ratio is calculated from the respective equivalent weight or hydroxyl and isocyanate content of the reactants.

The relationship is:

Hydroxyl Equivalent Weight =  $(17 \times 100) / \%OH$

Isocyanate Equivalent Weight =  $(42 \times 100) / \%NCO$

Using Tolonate™ HDB 75<sup>(1)</sup> or Desmodur® N 75<sup>(2)</sup>, the recommended ratios would be:

- on solid resins: SYNOCURE® 516 N 60/Tolonate™ HDB 75<sup>(1)</sup> or Desmodur® N 75<sup>(2)</sup> = 630/191

- as supplied: SYNOCURE® 516 N 60/Tolonate™ HDB 75<sup>(1)</sup> or Desmodur® N 75<sup>(2)</sup> = 1050/255

SYNOCURE® 516 N 60 reacted with Tolonate™ HDB 75<sup>(1)</sup> or Desmodur® N 75<sup>(2)</sup> in stoichiometric proportions has a usable pot life in excess of a full working day at normal room temperatures. The use of catalysts or higher temperatures will reduce this storage period.

To increase the initial rate of cure of SYNOCURE® 516 N 60 paints, at both ambient temperatures and under low bake conditions, the use of tin or zinc catalysts in the form of dibutyl tin dilaurate or zinc octoate is recommended. The levels used will depend on specific requirements, but typical metal contents calculated on total solid resin would be 0.001% tin and 0.0015% zinc.

SYNOCURE® 516 N 60 should only be used in applications consistent with the above recommendations. Proposals to use the resin in other ways should be discussed with Arkema before any action is taken.

### SOLUBILITY

The solvents chosen for paints and lacquers based on SYNOCURE® 516 N 60 should be free of water and should not contain groups which react with isocyanates.

Esters and ketones are true solvents for this type of system and are usually used with aromatic hydrocarbon diluents

Notes: <sup>(1)</sup> VENCOREX® Chemicals, <sup>(2)</sup> Bayer MaterialScience

### PRODUCT SAFETY

Please refer to the corresponding Safety Data Sheet.

### STORAGE AND HANDLING

SYNOCURE® 516 N 60 should be stored indoors in the original, unopened and undamaged container, in a dry place at a temperature not exceeding 30°C. Exposure to direct sunlight should be avoided.

In the above mentioned storage conditions the shelf life of the resin will be from the shipping date.

Shelf Life (Months): 12

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