

# **Product Name NOROX KP-9**

## **Thermoset**

### **DESCRIPTION**

NOROX KP-9 is a methyl ethyl ketone peroxide in phlegmatiser for the curing of unsaturated polyester resins at ambient temperature in combination with cobalt accelerators.

## **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

Active oxygen content: 9.0 - 9.2 % Free hydrogen peroxide content: 1.6 - 1.8 % Water content: 1.5 %

Appearance: Colourless and clear liquid

Density at 20°C: 1.12 - 1.15 g/cm<sup>3</sup> Viscosity at 20°C: 9 - 15 mPa.s

Flash point: > 80°C (Method: Seta closed cup)

SADT: 65°C

Soluble in: Oxygenated organic solvents

Insoluble in: Water

Storage temperature: Max 30°C. For maximum shelf life max 25°C

## **APPLICATION**

NOROX KP-9 is a general purpose MEKP and is the workhorse of the United Initiators line. NOROX KP-9 gives consistent room temperature performance with both resins and gelcoats. A reliable product of remarkable purity, NOROX KP-9 assures quality in almost every system. Suitable applications are: Hand lay-up, spray-up, RTM, continuous laminating, centrifugal casting, filament winding, polyester concrete and vacuum infusion. A single MEKP initiator formulation cannot provide optimum results in all resin systems. Evaluation of each MEKP in each resin intended for use is absolutely essential before full-scale manufacturing is attempted.

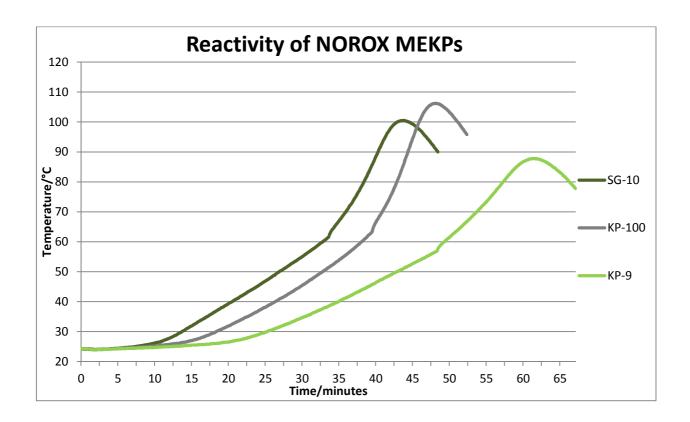
#### **CURE CHARACTERISTICS**

A reactivity test with an unsaturated polyester resin gave the following results:

Resin: Orthophthalic polyester Temperature: 25°C Initiator %: 1.5 Accelerator % 0,5% (1% cobalt)

Initiator	Gel time Min	Time to peak min	Peak exotherm temp °C
NOROX KP-9	25	61	88
NOROX KP-100	18	48	106
NOROX SG-10	13	44	101





## **PACKAGING, SHIPPING & AVAILABILITY**

- The standard package sizes of NOROX KP-9 are 5 kg and 25 kg in polyethylene bottles.
- NOROX KP-9 is available pre-dyed in 25kg bottles. Please see United Initiators TDS for Peroxide Dye Concentrates.
- Classification Please refer to the specific NOROX KP-9 Safety Data Sheet (SDS) under section 14 & 15, shipping & regulatory information. NOTE: SDS's for all United Initiators products may be requested by contacting the company.
- NOROX KP-9 is available through a global distributor network. Call United Initiators for the name of the distributor in your area.

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