

Trigonox 29-C75

1,1-Di(tert-butylperoxy)-3,3,5-trimethylcyclohexane, 75% solution in isododecane

Trigonox 29-C75 is a highly efficient midrange initiator (75% active ingredient in odorless mineral spirits) used for curing unsaturated polyester and vinylester resins at elevated temperatures. Typical applications include prepreg, premix, BMC, TMC, SMC and pultrusion.

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TSCA status Molecular weight listed on inventory 302.5

Active oxygen content Concentration peroxide 7.83-8.04% 10.58%

Specifications

Active oxygen	7.83-8.05 %
Appearance	Clear liquid
Assay	74.0-76.0 %
Color	50 Pt-Co/APHA max.
tert-Butyl hydroperoxide	0.8 %

Characteristics

Density, 20 °C	0.870 g/cm³
Viscosity, 20 °C	9 mPa.s

Applications

Polymerization of styrene: Trigonox 29-C75 can be utilized to increase polymerization rates at temperatures between 90-120°C (194-248°F). A comparison is made between thermally and Trigonox 29 initiated polymerization of styrene in a mass process, applying a typical temperature scheme (110-140-180°C). Due to its bifunctionality and the more constant reaction rate using Trigonox 29, the final polymer has a higher molecular weight and shows reduced dispersity. Other applications: Trigonox 29-C75 can also be used for the (co)polymerization of styrene, acrylonitrile, acrylates and methacrylates in the temperature range between 90°C and 120°C and for the polymerization of diethylene glycol di(allylcarbonate) based optical monomers. The use level of Trigonox 29-C75 will depend on the particular cure parameters being used. For Thermoset: Trigonox 29-C75 is a highly efficient midrange initiator for curing unsaturated polyester and vinyl ester resins at elevated temperatures. Typical applications include prepreg, premix, BMC, TMC, SMC and pultrusion. Trigonox 29-C75 is stable in the presence of pigments, especially carbon black, and provides excellent catalyzed shelf-life in BMC and SMC formulations.

Half-life data

The reactivity of an organic peroxide is usually given by its half-life (t1/2) at various temperatures. For Trigonox 29-C75 in chlorobenzene half-life at other temperatures can be calculated by using the equations and constants mentioned below:

0.1 hr	at 128°C
1 hr	at 105°C
10 hr	at 85°C
Formula 1	kd = A·e-Ea/RT
Formula 2	$t^{1}/_{2} = (\ln 2)/kd$
Ea	127.52 kJ/mole
A	7.59E+13 s-1
R	8.3142 J/mole·K
Т	(273.15+°C) K

Thermal stability

Organic peroxides are thermally unstable substances, which may undergo self-accelerating decomposition. The lowest temperature at which self-accelerating decomposition of a substance in the original packaging may occur is the Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature (SADT). The SADT is determined on the basis of the Heat Accumulation Storage Test.

SADT	60°C (140°F)
Method	The Heat Accumulation Storage Test is a recognized test method for the
	determination of the SADT of organic peroxides (see Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, Manual of Tests and Criteria - United Nations, New
	York and Geneva).

Storage

Due to the relatively unstable nature of organic peroxides a loss of quality can be detected over a period of time. To minimize the loss of quality, Nouryon recommends a maximum storage temperature (Ts max.) for each organic peroxide product.

Ts Max.	25°C (77°F)
Note	When stored under these recommended storage conditions, Trigonox 29-C75 will remain within the Nouryon specifications for a period of at least 3 months after
	delivery.

Packaging and transport

The standard packaging is a 30-liter HDPE can (Nourytainer) for 25 kg peroxide solution. For North America Trigonox 29-C75 is packed in non-returnable, one gallon polyethylene containers of 7 lb net weight (4 per case) and an Akzopak of 35 lb net weight. Both packaging and transport meet the international regulations. For the availability of other packed quantities consult your Nouryon representative. Trigonox 29-C75 is classified as Organic peroxide type C; liquid, Division 5. 2; UN 3103.

Safety and handling

Keep containers tightly closed. Store and handle Trigonox 29-C75 in a dry well-ventilated place away from sources of heat or ignition and direct sunlight. Never weigh out in the storage room. Avoid contact with reducing agents (e. g. amines), acids, alkalis and heavy metal compounds (e. g. accelerators, driers and metal soaps). Please refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for further information on the safe storage, use and handling of Trigonox 29-C75. This information should be thoroughly reviewed prior to acceptance of this product. The SDS is available at nouryon.com/sds-search.

Major decomposition products

Carbon dioxide, Methane, 3,3,5-Trimethylcyclohexanone, tert-Butanol, Acetone

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