

ENCOR[®] 9176

For Ambient Crosslinking Sealants

Product Benefits

ENCOR[®] 9176 latex is an ambient temperature crosslinking, styrene acrylic latex for sealants and other applications requiring a strong, flexible binder. In order to attain high levels of performance in sealants and other elastomeric applications, it is necessary to use a binder that imparts excellent elastomeric properties to the final formulated product. Conventional acrylic latex polymers have limited elastomeric properties because only a small amount of crosslinking between polymer chains can be achieved without interfering with film coalescence. The ambient temperature curing mechanism in ENCOR[®] 9176 latex enables a higher level of crosslinking than conventional acrylics providing an inherently durable and flexible binder for sealants and other elastomeric systems.

Polymer Design

- Ambient Curing Styrene Acrylic Latex

Performance Benefits

- Excellent adhesion to difficult substrates
- Excellent pigment binding capability for use at high pigment to binder (P/B) ratio
- Cures within several days to provide a very tough, low tack, clear polymer
- Curing may be accelerated with the application of heat
- Good exterior performance typical of an acrylic polymer with reduced dirt pickup
- Excellent hydrophobicity
- Low temperature flexibility

Typical Polymer Properties¹

Total Solids, % by weight	61.0
Viscosity, cP	500
pH Value	8.0
Particle Size, microns	0.35
Latex Weight, lb/gallon	8.65
Minimum Filming Temperature, °C	<0
Glass Transition Temperature, °C	-21

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

Product Safety

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Storage and Handling

Follow procedures typically recommended for polymer dispersions. Use corrosion-resistant storage tanks and piping. Air-operated diaphragm pumps are preferred. Avoid temperature extremes. Do not freeze; store between 4-40°C.



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