## **Technical Information**

TI/EVF 1018 e May 2011

Page 1 of 2

**Plastic Additives** 



Supersedes edition dated November 2010

® = registered Trademark of BASF SE

# Tinuvin® 770

Characterization

Tinuvin 770 is a low molecular weight hindered amine light stabilizer (HALS) for applications demanding particularly high light stability. It provides excellent light stability for thick sections but can also be used for articles with a high surface area such as films and tapes.

**Chemical name** 

Bis(2,2,6,6,-tetramethyl-4-piperidyl)sebaceate

**CAS** number

52829-07-9

**Structure** 

Tinuvin 770

Molecular weight

481 g/mol

**Applications** 

Tinuvin 770 is recommended to be used in polypropylene, impact modified PP (TPO), EPDM, polystyrene, impact polystyrene, ABS, SAN, ASA, polyurethanes, and is also effective in polyamides and polyacetals.

Features/benefits

Tinuvin 770 is a low molecular weight hindered amine light stabilizer that pro-vides excellent light stability for thick sections and films in the recommended substrates. Benefit of using Tinuvin 770 is the high light-stabilizing perfor-mance, particularly in PP thick sections to protect the surface. It has broad compatibility and can be easily dispersed.

Compared to UV absorbers, the effectiveness of HALS, like Tinuvin 770, is not dependent on the polymer's thickness. For this reason the use of Tinuvin 770 also provides good light stability in articles with higher specific surface, e. g. films and tapes.

**Product forms** 

Code: Tinuvin 770 DF
Appearance: white crystalline granules

**Guidelines for use** 

The recommended concentrations range between 0.1 % and 1.0 %, depending on the substrate, processing conditions and application. The optimum level is substrate and application specific. Extensive performance data of Tinuvin 770 in various substrates and for various applications is available upon request.

### Physical properties

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Melting range:} & 81-85 \ ^{\circ}\mbox{C} \\ \mbox{Flashpoint (DIN 51584):} & >150 \ ^{\circ}\mbox{C} \\ \mbox{Specific gravity (20 \ ^{\circ}\mbox{C}):} & 1.05 \ \mbox{g/cm}^{3} \\ \mbox{Vapor pressure (20 \ ^{\circ}\mbox{C}):} & 1.3 \ \mbox{E-8 Pa} \\ \mbox{Bulk density:} & 470-510 \ \mbox{g/l} \end{array}$ 

Solubility (20 °C) % w/w Acetone 19 Chloroform 45 Ethanol Ethyl acetate 24 n-Hexane 5 Methanol 38 Dichloromethane 56 Toluene Water < 0.01

Volatility Pure substance; TGA, heating rate at 20 °C/min in air Weight Loss (%) Temperature °C 0.7 150 0.7 175 200 1.0 2.1 225 7.2 250 19.8 275

### Handling & Safety

In accordance with good industrial practice, handle with care and avoid unnecessary personal contact. Avoid continuous or repetitive breathing of dust. Use only with adequate ventilation. Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid release to the environment. Avoid dust formation and ignition sources.

For more detailed information please refer to the material safety data sheet.

### Note

The descriptions, designs, data and information contained herein are presented in good faith, and are based on BASF's current knowledge and experience. They are provided for guidance only, and do not constitute the agreed contractual quality of the product or a part of BASF's terms and conditions of sale. Because many factors may affect processing or application/use of the product, BASF recommends that the reader carry out its own investigations and tests to determine the suitability of a product for its particular purpose prior to use. It is the responsibility of the recipient of product to ensure that any proprietary rights and existing laws and legislation are observed. No warranties of any kind, either expressed or implied, including, but not limited to, warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, are made regarding products described or designs, data or information set forth herein, or that the products, descriptions, designs, data or information may be used without infringing the intellectual property rights of others. Any descriptions, designs, data and information given in this publication may change without prior information. The descriptions, designs, data and information furnished by BASF hereunder are given gratis and BASF assumes no obligation or liability for the descriptions, designs, data or information given or results obtained, all such being given and accepted at the reader's risk.

May 2011