

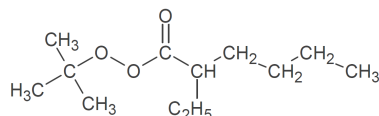
# PEROXAN PO M +

## Peroxyester / Curing

### Description

tert-Butyl peroxy-2-ethylhexanoate  
89%, Solution in promotor

PEROXAN PO M+ is used for the curing of unsaturated polyester resins.



Molecular weight: **216.3**  
CAS No.: **3006-82-4**

### Technical data

Appearance: **clear liquid**  
Peroxide assay: **appx. 89%**  
Active oxygen assay: **appx. 6.66%**  
Density at 20°C: **0.9 g/cm<sup>3</sup>**

### Storage

Maximum storage temperature (Ts max): **15°C**  
Storage stability as from date of delivery: **6 months**

### Hazardous reactions

Keep packaging tightly closed in a well ventilated place at indicated storage temperature. Keep away from reducing agents e.g. amines, acids, alkalis, heavy metal compounds (e.g. accelerators, driers, metal soaps). Never weigh out in storage room.

Oxidizing agent. Decomposes violently under the influence of heat or by contact with reducing agent. Never mix with accelerators.

### Safety characteristics

Flash point: **>SADT°C**  
SADT: **35°C**  
Emergency temperature: **25°C**  
Control temperature: **20°C**

The SADT (Self Accelerating Decomposition Temperature) is the lowest temperature at which a self accelerating decomposition may occur.

The emergency temperature is derived from the SADT. It is the temperature at which emergency actions have to be taken. The control temperature is the maximum temperature at which the product can be transported safely.

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### Application

PEROXAN PO M+ is used for the curing of unsaturated polyester resins at high temperatures.

PEROXAN PO M+ is preferred for the curing of UP resin based hot press moulding formulations in the temperature range from 100° to 140°C. As PEROXAN PO M+ is a high reactive peroxide, it is very suitable as a kicker in formulations for pultrusion and SMC/BMC in combination with peroxides like PEROXAN PB or PEROXAN PK295 V.

In comparison to PEROXAN PO, the stabilized PEROXAN PO M+ gives a long shelf life and stability of the compound, without affecting the cure speed, even when iron oxides or carbon blacks are used as pigment.

Depending on application and working conditions, the following peroxide and when applicable cobalt accelerator dosage levels are recommended:

PEROXAN PO M+ as such: 1,0 to 2,0 phr  
PEROXAN PO M+ as kicker: 0,2 to 1,0 phr

### Packaging

**25kg container**

### Major decomposition products

**3-tert-Butoxyheptane, Heptane, Carbon dioxide, tert-Butanol**

### Safety and handling

Please refer to the material safety data sheet (MSDS) for information concerning safe storage, use and handling of PEROXAN PO M+. This information should be thoroughly reviewed prior to acceptance of this product. The MSDS is available for downloading at [www.pergan.com](http://www.pergan.com) or through contacting Pergan directly.

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