# SPECIALTY CHEMICALS



# Benzotriazole type UV absorber for plastics applications

#### **Introduction:**

**EVERSORB 71** is a strong absorber of UV radiation. It has excellent photostability to polymers against UV light exposure in many ways i.e. retarding color yellowing, preventing embrittlement, maintaining of mechanical properties etc.

**EVERSORB 71** is particularly effective in styrenic polymers, PVC, unsaturated polyesters, polyurethane, acrylic polymers and adhesives.

#### **Chemical Structure:**



#### **Chemical Name:**

2-(2'-hydroxy-5'-methylphenyl)benzotriazole

### CAS NO.:

2440-22-4

#### Molecular weight:

225 g/mol

#### **Appearance:**

Slightly yellowish crystalline powder

# Melting point :

128.0~132.0°C

#### Advantages

- Very high photostability for its strong ability to absorb light in UV region.
- Very good compatibility with polymers.
- Very high heat resistance, without significant degradation or volatility at proper extrusion temperature.
- Odorless, does not bring smells to the polymers.



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Methanol	:	0.	3	
Ethyl acetat	e	:	3	
Chloroform		:	14	
Benzene	:	8		
n-Hexane	:	0.7		
Water : -	< 0	.01		

#### **UV-Vis Spectrum**



#### **TGA scans:**



#### Handling & Safety:

Personal equipment for protection is recommended. Excess exposure to the product should be avoided. Wash thoroughly after handling.

#### Storage:

**EVERSORB 71** should be kept in a dry, dark place without any light exposure.

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