

# ROSTABIL

## SECONDARY THERMAL STABILIZERS

### GENERAL INFO & USES

**ROSTABIL SERIES** – phosphites short-life thermal stabilizers – provide unique protection against degradation during processing. Considered as the most effective secondary stabilizers exhibit outstanding thermal stabilization in conjunction with primary antioxidants. Dedicated to rigid and flexible PVC industry, also used in powder coatings, polyurethane foams, thermosets and rubber industry.



### **KEY APPLICATIONS**

- Ducting pipes
- Window frames
- Wires & cables
- Household appliances
- Technical foils & films

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Enhance thermal stabilization during processing
- Provide brighter, more consistent colors
- Sustain excellent protection against degradation
- Ensure high performance at low loadings

### TYPICAL PROPERTIES TRIALKYL PHOSPHITES

| Products / Properties | Color<br>(Hazen units) | Density at 25°C<br>[g/cm <sup>3</sup> ] | Refractive index $n^{25}_{D}$ | Total phenol<br>content [%] |
|-----------------------|------------------------|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Rostabil TTDP         | Max. 100               | 0.884                                   | 1.4630                        | Max. 1                      |
| Rostabil TTDP-V       | Max. 100               | 0.884                                   | 1.4630                        | Max. 0.05                   |
| Rostabil TDP          | Max. 50                | 0.887                                   | 1.4547                        | Max. 1                      |
| Rostabil TDP-V        | Max. 100               | 0.887                                   | 1.4547                        | Max. 0.05                   |

#### ARYL AND ALKYL-ARYL PHOSPHITES

| Products / Properties | Color<br>(Hazen units) | Density at 25°C<br>[g/cm³] | Refractive index n <sup>25</sup> <sub>D</sub> | Free phenol<br>content [%] |
|-----------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| Rostabil TNF          | Max. 150               | 0.975                      | 1.5300  | n/a                        |
| Rostabil DPDP         | Max. 100               | 1.030                      | 1.5214  | Max. 1                     |
| Rostabil DDPP         | Max. 100               | 0.947                      | 1.4817  | Max. 1                     |

### PRODUCT PERFORMANCE IN PVC

| Raw material / formulation | Rigid         | Non-FR flexible | FR flexible | FR flexible with ESBO |
|----------------------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Rostabil TTDP              | • •           | ٠               | ٠           | • • •                 |
| Rostabil TTDP-V            | • •           | •               | • •         | • • •                 |
| Rostabil TDP               | • •           | •               | •           | • • •                 |
| Rostabil TDP-V             | • •           | •               | • •         | • • •                 |
| Rostabil DPDP              | • • •         | • • •           | •           | • •                   |
| Rostabil DDPP              | • • •         | • • •           | •           | • •                   |
| • moderate • • good        | ••• excellent |                 |             |                       |



### APPLICATION

### **RIGID PVC**

| Compound                                 | phr  |
|--|------|
| S-PVC                                    | 100  |
| Primary stabilizers (Zn/Ca mixed metals) | 4    |
| Secondary stabilizer                     | 0-1* |

| Secondary<br>stabilizer | phr* | First color<br>change <sup>1</sup><br>[min] | Total blacking <sup>1</sup><br>[min] | Oxidative<br>Induction Time <sup>2</sup><br>[min] | Dynamic thermal<br>degradation <sup>3</sup><br>[s] | Congo red<br>method⁴<br>[min] |
|-------------------------|------|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------|
| n/a                     | -    | 0   | 25                                   | 1   | 304  | 20                            |
| Rostabil TTDP           | 1    | 30  | 60                                   | 17  | 424  | 32                            |
| Rostabil TTDP-V         | 1    | 50  | 80                                   | 1   | 320  | 35                            |
| Rostabil TDP            | 1    | 40  | 60                                   | 15  | 328  | 26                            |
| Rostabil TDP-V          | 1    | 40  | 60                                   | 4   | 320  | 26                            |
| Rostabil DPDP           | 1    | 50  | 80                                   | 28  | 438  | 45                            |
| Rostabil DDPP           | 1    | 30  | 60                                   | 11  | 336  | 41                            |

#### -Tip

• Alkyl-aryl types Rostabil DPDP and Rostabil DDPP are recommended for rigid PVC.

<sup>1</sup>**Static stability** - test comprised color change observation in non-oxygen, isothermal (170°C) conditions. Defined two levels of PVC degradation: first color change (as first degradation step) and total blacking (as complete degradation).

<sup>2</sup>**OIT** – Oxidative Induction Time, test illustrated PVC ability to prevention against oxygen degradation in isothermal conditions.

<sup>3</sup>Dynamic stability – test simulated standard processing procedure. Degradation was measured by changes in PVC viscosity during processing in isothermal (170°C) conditions.

<sup>4</sup>**Thermal stability Congo red method** – determination of thermal stability at elevated temperature (180°C) of PVC compounds which undergo dehydrochlorination affects in Congo red indicator color change.



#### NON-FR FLEXIBLE PVC

| Compound                                 | phr  |
|--|------|
| S-PVC                                    | 100  |
| DOTP (dioctyl terephthalate)             | 40   |
| Primary stabilizers (Zn/Ca mixed metals) | 4    |
| Secondary stabilizer                     | 0-1* |

| Secondary<br>stabilizer | phr* | First color<br>change<br>[min] | Total blacking<br>[min] | Oxidative<br>Induction Time<br>[min] | Dynamic thermal<br>degradation<br>[s] | Congo red<br>method<br>[min] |
|-------------------------|------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| n/a                     | _    | 60                             | 100                     | 11                                   | 3016                                  | 48                           |
| Rostabil TTDP           | 1    | 40                             | 90                      | 20                                   | 3440                                  | 58                           |
| Rostabil TTDP-V         | 1    | 50                             | 80                      | 10                                   | 3704                                  | 42                           |
| Rostabil TDP            | 1    | 70                             | 100                     | 30                                   | 3568                                  | 46                           |
| Rostabil TDP-V          | 1    | 50                             | 80                      | 26                                   | 2952                                  | 42                           |
| Rostabil DPDP           | 1    | 100                            | 150                     | 85                                   | 3784                                  | 79                           |
| Rostabil DDPP           | 1    | 80                             | 110                     | 72                                   | 3744                                  | 72                           |

-Tip -

• Alkyl-aryl types Rostabil DPDP and Rostabil DDPP are recommended for non-FR flexible PVC.

#### FR FLEXIBLE PVC

| Compound                                 | phr  |
|--|------|
| S-PVC                                    | 100  |
| DOTP (dioctyl terephthalate)             | 20   |
| Roflex 50 (phosphate)                    | 20   |
| Primary stabilizers (Zn/Ca mixed metals) | 4    |
| Secondary stabilizer                     | 0-3* |



| Secondary<br>stabilizer | phr* | Oxidative<br>Induction Time<br>[min] | Dynamic thermal<br>degradation<br>[s] | Congo red<br>method<br>[min] |
|-------------------------|------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| n/a                     | _    | 39                                   | 1552                                  | 44                           |
| Rostabil TTDP           | 3    | 61                                   | 2592                                  | 48                           |
| Rostabil TTDP-V         | 3    | 62                                   | 3160                                  | 54                           |
| Rostabil TDP            | 3    | 57                                   | 3096                                  | 47                           |
| Rostabil TDP-V          | 3    | 59                                   | 3368                                  | 53                           |
| Rostabil DPDP           | 3    | 76                                   | 2336                                  | 53                           |
| Rostabil DDPP           | 3    | 77                                   | 2440                                  | 52                           |

- Tip -

• Phosphites should be used in greater loadings than 1 phr when phosphates are applied.



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#### FR FLEXIBLE WITH ESBO

| Compound                                 | phr  |
|--|------|
| S-PVC                                    | 100  |
| DOTP (dioctyl terephthalate)             | 20   |
| Roflex 50 (phosphate)                    | 20   |
| ESBO                                     | 5    |
| Primary stabilizers (Zn/Ca mixed metals) | 4    |
| Secondary stabilizer                     | 0-1* |

| Secondary<br>stabilizer | phr* | Oxidative<br>Induction Time<br>[min] | Dynamic thermal<br>degradation<br>[s] | Congo red<br>method<br>[min] |
|-------------------------|------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| n/a                     | -    | 35                                   | 3000                                  | 57                           |
| Rostabil TTDP           | 1    | 42                                   | 3600                                  | 69                           |
| Rostabil TTDP-V         | 1    | 37                                   | 3500                                  | 66                           |
| Rostabil TDP            | 1    | 45                                   | 3560                                  | 70                           |
| Rostabil TDP-V          | 1    | 36                                   | 3520                                  | 68                           |
| Rostabil DPDP           | 1    | 53                                   | 3808                                  | 64                           |
| Rostabil DDPP           | 1    | 52                                   | 4096                                  | 64                           |

-Tip -

• Phosphites might be combined with ESBO when phosphates are used to enhance effectiveness.



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