## LAPOX<sup>®</sup> ARD-10

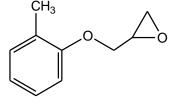
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## Description

Lapox ARD-10 is a clear, low viscosity liquid, aromatic mono epoxide reactive diluent based on ortho cresol. It is compatible with all types of epoxy resins in any proportion. The resins diluted with Lapox ARD-10 can be suitably cured by epoxy curing agents for variety of applications. Higher proportion of this product affects glass transition temperature adversely.

## **Chemical structure**



Advantages	High resistance to solvents and ammonia Improves wetting and process ability Low volatile Practically no reduction of hardness Reduces viscosity while maintaining most cured properties

Applications Adhesives and tooling systems Casting and potting of electrical and electronic components Civil engineering and flooring Glass fiber lamination Solvent containing coatings Solvent free

Typical specifications	Properties	Unit	Test method	Values
	Appearance	-	Visual	Clear liquid
	Colour	GS	ASTM D1544	Max 2
	Epoxy value	Eq/kg	ASTM D1652	5.30 - 6.00
	Epoxy equivalent weight (EEW)	g/eq	ASTM D1652	167 - 189
	Viscosity at 25°C	mPa s	ASTM D2196	6 - 8
	Hydrolysable chlorine	%	ASTM D1726	Max 0.20

- Packaging
   Lapox ARD-10 is available in 220 kg MS | HDPE drums and 1,050 kg IBC. Other packing may be considered on request.
- **Storage and handling** Lapox ARD-10 should be stored in a cool and dry place, preferably in a sealed container and should not be exposed to direct sunlight. This product has a shelf-life of 2 years, if stored in its original container between 2°C and 40°C away from humidity and excessive heat. Please refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for detailed instructions on storage and handling.

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Safety	Wear personal protective equipment (PPE). Avoid contact with the eyes and skin. In case of direct contact and irritation, the resin should be washed off immediately with soap and warm water. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Please refer to the SDS for detailed safety instructions.
Spills and disposal	In case of spills, sweep up and shovel the spilled material. Keep spilled material in suitable, closed containers for disposal. Soak up with an absorbent such as clay, sand or other suitable material. Flush area with water to remove trace residue. Do not allow the product to reach the sewage system. Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state or local regulations, as applicable.
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