## LAPOX® ASH-11 (3,3'-Diamino diphenyl sulfone)



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### **Description**

3,3'-DDS is a white to brownish, odourless, non-volatile crystalline powder. This is used as curing agent with epoxy resins specially to obtain faster reactivity than 4,4'-DDS, this also offers unique combination of mechanical, electrical, and thermal properties along with higher stiffness in appropriately cured components.

#### **Chemical structure**

#### **Applications**

Electrical moulding compounds (EMC)

FRP composites

High performance epoxy coatings

Manufacturing of polyamides and polyimides

Prepregs

Printed circuit boards (PCB)

Structural adhesives

#### **Advantages**

Excellent high temperature properties

Excellent thermal stability

Outstanding mechanical and electrical properties Slow reactivity and longer shelf life of prepreg

#### **Typical specifications**

Properties	Unit	Test method	Values
Appearance	-	Visual	White to brownish powder, free of contamination
Assay	%	Titration	Min 99
Melting point	°C	Atul	167 - 175
Water content (by KF)	%	Atul	Max 0.15
Volatile content (105°C / 2 hours)	%	Atul	Max 0.15
Ash content	%	Atul	Max 0.1
Purity	%	HPLC	Min 99

## **Packaging**

3,3'-DDS is available in 25 kg fiber drums. Other packing may be considered on request.

#### Storage and handling

3,3'-DDS must be stored below 40°C in a sealed container in dry and well-ventilated place. The shelf life of this product is 3 years if stored at recommended temperature in its original container away from sparks, flame, humidity and excessive heat. Avoid storage near ignition sources, hot environment, and in sunlight.

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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 material should be washed off immediately with soap and warm water. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Please refer to the Safety Data

Sheet (SDS) of 3,3'-DDS 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. 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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