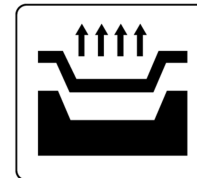




Chemlease® 2710

Semi-Permanent Release Agent



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Description

Chemlease® 2710 is a HAPs-free* solvent-based semi-permanent releasant for the composites industry which affords easy application in one step. The product should be applied to the mold surface very lightly and allowed to dry. The original mold surface finish appearance will be reproduced once the product is dry. * HAPs are not formula constituents of this product. Standard manufacturing processes may result in trace quantities [$<0.1\%$] of HAPs.

Application – Wipe-On Method

1. The mold surface must be cleaned to remove all traces of wax, release agents, and other sealers before application of Chemlease® 2710 can be attempted. Use the appropriate Chemlease® Mold Cleaner (Contact your Chemlease Sales Representative for a recommendation).
2. Apply a light, even coat to the mold surface. As a guide to achieving a "light coat" when the film is applied to a VERTICAL mold surface, the wet film should shine, but there should be no runs in it. In normal temperature conditions, the film should evaporate less than 60 seconds after applying. If the film still remains after 1 minute, the product was applied too heavily and will produce streaks on the mold. To fix the affected area, wipe off the remaining film. Then wipe a lighter coat with a dampened sealer cloth and immediately wipe off to remove the streaks. Then recoat as described above.
3. As soon as the wiping action appears not to be forming a film, add more product to the cloth as describe above in step #2.
4. Continue working across the mold until its entire surface has been coated.
5. Allow the film to dry for 15 minutes.
6. Using the same procedure, apply 5 complete coats. For a new mold or difficult to release part, apply an additional 2 coats for a total of 7 coats.
7. Cure for a minimum of 30 minutes after the final coat has been applied.
8. Begin molding and continue until release-ease appears tight.
9. When release becomes difficult reapply 1 coat of Chemlease® 2710. Allow to cure for 15 minutes and resume molding.

Application – Spray-On Method

1. The mold surface must be cleaned to remove all traces of wax, release agents, and other sealers before the application of Chemlease® 2710 can be attempted. Use the appropriate Chemlease® Mold Cleaner (Contact your Chemlease Sales Representative for a recommendation).

2. Use an HVLP spray gun to apply a light, even coat to the mold surface. As a guide to achieving a "light coat" when the film is applied to a **VERTICAL** mold surface, the wet film should shine, but there should be no runs in it. Runs in the film indicate too heavy an application (see above.)
3. Keep the spray gun 8-10 inches away from the mold surface while spraying approximately two linear feet (0.6 meter) per second. We recommend 7-10 psi for the fluid pressure and 20-30 psi for the air pressure as a general guideline.
4. Apply 5 coats one after another. No waiting between coats is necessary. For a new mold or difficult to release part, apply an additional 2 coats for a total of 7 coats.
5. After last coat is applied, allow 30 minutes for cure before gel coating. Begin molding.
6. When release becomes difficult reapply 1 coat of Chemlease® 2710. Allow to cure for 15 minutes and resume molding.

Important

The recommended number of coats and cure times are a general guideline found to be more than sufficient in a broad spectrum of molding conditions. When molding products with extreme geometries or experiencing low-humidity conditions in the shop, the customer may find the need to extend the cure time between coats and increase the number of coats applied to the mold. The efficiency of a release film is best determined through a combination of tape tests and experimentation.

Storage

Do not store at temperatures above 49°C/120°F. Keep container tightly sealed to prevent evaporation and/or contamination. If stored in cold temperatures allow warming to room temperature before using.

Packaging

Chemlease® 2710 is available in a variety of package sizes. Please contact Chem-Trend customer service for details.

Safety Data

Safety Data Sheets are available for all Chemlease® products and should be consulted prior to use of the product.

Further Information

Request information on our complete range of materials: custom-formulated release agents for polyurethane molding; tire lubes and bladder coatings; Mono-Coat® semi-permanent release coatings; aerosol formulations; mold cleaners and sealers; specialized coatings and application equipment.

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