

# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

EFIRON<sup>®</sup> Polymer Clad  
Series

**PC-414AP**



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## **A. MATERIAL DESCRIPTION**

EFIRON<sup>®</sup> PC-414AP coating is a radiation-curable acrylate useful for polymer cladding making processes. EFIRON<sup>®</sup> PC-414AP coating has suitable glass transition temperature, rapid cure property, non-yellowing, thermal resistance, high oxidative and hydrolytic (moisture) stability, which are required by optical fiber industry applications.

### **1. CURING CONDITION**

Minimum UV dose of EFIRON<sup>®</sup> PC-414AP for complete cure is 1000 mJ/cm<sup>2</sup> under a nitrogen environment. However, the minimum dosage is heavily dependent upon the thickness of the PC layer.

### **2. STORAGE**

EFIRON<sup>®</sup> PC-414AP polymer cladding coating can polymerize under improper storage conditions. Store materials away from direct sunlight and presence of oxidizing agents and free radicals. Storage temperature range is between 10°C to 30°C.

### **3. PRECAUTION**

EFIRON<sup>®</sup> PC-414AP polymer cladding coating materials can cause skin and eye irritation after contact. Therefore, avoid direct contact with these materials. If contact occurs, immediately rinse affected areas copiously with water.

### **4. NOTES**

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## B. MATERIAL PROPERTIES

### 1. LIQUID

|                  |                 |                         |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| Viscosity        | at 25 °C        | 5,000 cPs               |
| Density          | at 20 °C        | 1.52 g·cm <sup>-3</sup> |
| Refractive Index | at 25°C, 589 nm | 1.407                   |
| Surface Tension  |                 | In Testing              |

### 2. CURED

|                                    |                     |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Refractive Index at 852 nm         | 1.414               |
| Glass Transition Temperature       |                     |
| At Tan_delta Max                   | 98 °C               |
| Secant Modulus                     |                     |
| At 2.5% Strain                     | 360 MPa(In Testing) |
| Tensile Strength at Break          | 22 MPa(In Testing)  |
| Elongation at Break                | 15 %(In Testing)    |
| Water Sensitivity (24 Hour, 50 °C) |                     |
| Weight Change                      | In testing          |
| Extractable                        | In testing          |
| Coefficient of Expansion           |                     |
| Glassy Region                      | In testing          |
| Rubbery Region                     | In testing          |
| Shrinkage on Cure                  | <10.0 %             |

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