

# **Erapol ECP71A**

HIGH PERFORMANCE POLYURETHANE ELASTOMER SYSTEM

#### **TECHNICAL DATASHEET**

**Erapol ECP71A** is based on a high molecular weight polycaprolactone polyol. It produces an elastomer with excellent mechanical properties, similar to that of polyester pre-polymers, with the added advantage of superior hydrolysis resistance. When cured with MOCA, **Erapol ECP71A** produces a 70 Shore A elastomer. Polymers made from **Erapol ECP71A** exhibit outstanding abrasion resistance, high load bearing capability, low heat build-up and excellent low temperature flexibility.

#### **Product Specification**

% NCO	2.6 - 2.9		
Specific Gravity at 25°C	1.2		
Viscosity at 80°C (cps)	1700 - 2300		
Colour	Clear to pale yellow		

### **Mixing and Curing Conditions**

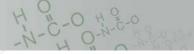
		ECP71A / MOCA	ECP71A / Ethacure 300	ECP71A / Ethacure 110	
Erapol ECP71A	(pph)	100	100	100	
MOCA Level	(pph)	8.3	///-	-	
Ethacure 300 Level	(pph)		6.7	-	
Ethacure 110 Level	(pph)		// /// <del>/</del> ////	7.1	
Recommended % Theory		95	95	95	
<b>Erapol Temperature</b>	(°C)	70 - 80	70 - 80	70-80	
<b>Curative Temperature</b>	(°C)	110 - 120	25 - 30	25-30	
Pot Life at 80°C	(mins)	20-25	15-20	15-20	
Demould Time at 100°C	(hrs)	2	2	2	
Post Cure Time at 100°C	(hrs)	16	16	16	



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### **Physical Properties**

Properties presented below are to be used as a guide and not intended for specification purposes.

		ECP71A/MOCA	ECP71A/E300*	ECP71A/E110**	TEST METHOD
Hardness	(Shore A)	72 ± 3	75 ± 3	77 ± 3	AS1683.15
Tensile Strength	MPa (psi)	33 (4786)	31 (4540)	37 (5366)	AS1683.11
100% Modulus	MPa (psi)	2.3 (333)	3.9 (565)	3.4 (493)	AS1683.11
200% Modulus	MPa (psi)	3.1 (449)	5.5 (798)	4.4 (638)	AS1683.11
300% Modulus	MPa (psi)	3.9 (565)	7.9 (1146)	6.5 (942)	AS1683.11
Angle Tear Strength, Die C	(kN/m)	70	68	64	AS1683.12
Trouser Tear Strength	(kN/m)	35	33	27	AS1683.12
Elongation	(%)	620	640	590	AS1683.11
DIN Resilience	(%)	60	62	62	DIN 53512
DIN Abrasion Resistance 1	<b>ON</b> (mm³)	50	48	38	AS1683.21
DIN Abrasion Resistance 5	N (mm³)	25	24	19	AS1683.21
Compression Set / 22 hr at	: <b>70°C</b> (%)	15	-       <u>-</u>	38	AS1683.13
<b>Cured Specific Gravity</b>	(g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	1.2	1.2	1.2	AS1683.4

#### **Processing Procedure**

- 1. **Erapol ECP71A** should be heated to 70-80°C and thoroughly degassed at -95kPa of vacuum until excessive foaming stops.
- 2. MOCA must be melted at 110 120°C prior to mixing; Ethacure 300 and Eracure 110 can be used at room temperature. After adding the curative, mix thoroughly being careful not to entrap air in the mixture. The mixed material can be degassed after mixing if bubble-free cast parts are required.
- 3. Pour mixed **Erapol ECP71A** / MOCA into moulds that have been preheated to 100° C and precoated with release agent.
- 4. Allow the cast part to cure before demoulding, and ensure the part is postcured as described above to ensure maximum physical properties are achieved.

#### Adhesion

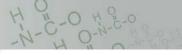
Adhesion of Erapol based elastomers to various substrates is at best marginal if a primer is not used. Please consult Era Polymers for specific recommendations to improve adhesion.



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## **Handling Precautions**

Read and understand the product material safety data sheet (MSDS) before using this product.

**Erapol ECP71A** contains small amounts of free TDI. It should be used in well-ventilated areas. void inhaling vapours and protect skin and eyes from contact.

In case of skin contact, immediately remove excess, wash with soap and water. In case of eye contact, flush with water for at least 15 minutes.

If nose, throat or lungs become irritated from inhaling vapours, remove exposed person to fresh air. Call a physician.



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