SilForce[™] SLP Series

Sustainable, New Patent Pending, Fast Cure & Anchorage, Thermal Solventless Technology



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SilForce SLP Series

Momentive's SilForce SLP series is a game-changing, patent-pending thermal solventless release coating enabling more sustainable production of liners for the tapes and labels industry. It consists of the typical base polymer, crosslinker, and catalyst; all based on thermal Pt-cure chemistry.

Sustainability is enabled by Ultra-Low Pt catalyzed coatings.

• With our new SLP polymer technology, we have been able to show comparable cure, process, and release performance at Pt levels in the 10-20 ppm range, with no degradation in anchorage on commercially available paper substrates.

Sustainability enabled by Low Temperature Cure (LTC)

• This new technology has proven to cure at a temperature around or even below 100°C on paper substrates, at standard platinum catalyst levels (not Low Pt).



Ultra-Low Platinum

Key Features and Benefits

- Ultra-Low Platinium levels in the range of 10-20 ppm provide future cost saving.
- Comparable formulation means similar release performance against PSA's.
- Robust process running on existing equipment.
- Fast curing technology at ultra-low levels of catalyst on paper liners.
- Improved anchorage and similar release force.
- A reduced platinum system makes the label producer independent of the price volatility of this precious metal.



Sustainable solution

Ultra-Low Platinum levels

Sustainable solution

The new SLP series enables cure with less Pt resulting in 35-50% savings in catalyst on paper liners like Glassine.

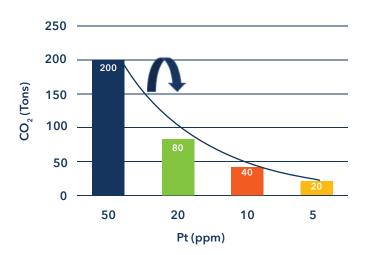
The products contribute substantially to a more sustainable world by consuming less of this precious metal.

More sustainable process :

- Less mining
- Less energy & water for extraction
- Less carbon dioxide emission

Extraction of 1 kg of pure platinum metal emits 40 Tons of CO₂ similar to the emission of 10 cars/year.

Reference: April 2010 Minerals Engineering 23(5):438-450; DOI: 10.1016/j.mineng2009.12.007 Authors: Bonnie Glaister(Monash University, Australia); Gavin Mudd (RMIT University)



CO₂ Emission for 100 million m²*

*CO₂ reduction coming from the catalyst dropped. Not considering the emssions related to the processing.



CO₂ emission



Low Temperature Cure (LTC) Coating

Key Features and Benefits

- Get cure at exit web temperature around 100°C.
- Comparable formulation means similar release performance against PSA's.
- Robust process running on existing equipment.
- Combined fast cure and anchorage technology enable 30°C-50°C lower temperature curing at typical Pt levels.



Sustainable solution

Sustainable solution

The new SLP series at typical Pt levels of 50-80 ppm enable cure at temperatures 30°C-50°C less than normal on paper liners like Glassine.

Sustainability via less fossil fuel consumption and lower carbon dioxide emissions.

More sustainable process:

- Less heat
- Less gas / electricity
- Less water and waste water
- Less remoisturization
- Less cooling

Machine trials with SLP series at low temperature on Glassine papers at 80 ppm



*Release liners generated on industrial coater at 1.0 gsm on regular Glassine paper.

Web exit temperature (°C)

Test data. Actual results may vary.



Momentive's new patent-pending, fast cure technology enables sustainability, future platinum protection, and potential for process and formulation flexibility. We look forward to showing you how our new SilForce SLP Series can begin working for you on your next project.

Contact us today for more information!



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