

# Dynasylan® VTMOEO

## Vinyltris(2-methoxyethoxy)silane

### Technical data

| Properties and test methods | Value           | Unit              | Method    |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Density (20 °C/ 68 °F)      | approx. 1.040   | g/cm <sup>3</sup> | DIN 51757 |
| Refractive index n(20, D)   | approx. 1.430   | -                 | DIN 51423 |
| Boiling point (2,7 hPa)     | approx. 108/226 | °C/ °F            | DIN 51356 |
| Flash point                 | approx. 115/239 | °C/ °F            | DIN 51758 |
| Viscosity (20 °C/ 68 °F)    | approx. 2.7/2.6 | mPa·s /cSt        | DIN 53015 |

### Registrations

#### Dynasylan® VTMOEO

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|----------------------|-----|
| ECL (South Korea):   | Yes |
| EINECS/ELINCS (EU):  | Yes |
| AICS (Australia):    | Yes |
| DSL/NDSL (Canada):   | Yes |
| PICCS (Philippines): | Yes |
| TSCA (USA):          | Yes |
| IECS (P.R. China):   | Yes |
| ENCS (Japan):        | Yes |

**Dynasylan® VTMOEO** is a bifunctional organosilane possessing a reactive vinyl group and a hydrolyzable 2-methoxy-ethoxy-silyl group.

The dual nature of its reactivity allows **Dynasylan® VTMOEO** to bind chemically to both inorganic materials (e.g. glass, metals, fillers) and organic polymers (e.g. thermosets, thermoplastics, elastomers) thus functioning mainly as an efficient adhesion promoter and/or surface modifier.

**Dynasylan® VTMOEO** is a colorless, low-viscosity liquid with a typical aromatic odor.

### Safety and handling

Before considering the use of Dynasylan® products please read its Material Safety Data sheet (MSDS) thoroughly for safety and toxicological data as well as for information on proper transportation, storage and use. The Material Safety Data Sheet is available after registration on our website [www.dynasylan.com](http://www.dynasylan.com) or upon request from your local representative, customer service or from Evonik Industries AG, Product Safety Department, E-MAIL [sds-im@evonik.com](mailto:sds-im@evonik.com).

### Packaging and storage

**Dynasylan® VTMOEO** is supplied in 25 kg containers, in 200 kg drums, or in 1.000 kg IBC one-way containers. The containers must remain tightly sealed during storage and kept in a cool, well aired place. Product should be protected against humidity. In the unopened container the shelf life of **Dynasylan® VTMOEO** is one year.

## Properties and application

### 1. Adhesion promotion

**Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> VTMOEO acts as an adhesion promoter for various mineral-filled polymers improving their mechanical and electrical properties, especially after exposure to moisture.

Once bonded to an inorganic filler, **Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> VTMOEO hydrophobises the filler surface. This effect improves the compatibility of fillers with the polymer matrix, leading to a better dispersibility, reduced melt viscosity and easier processing of filled plastics. The principle of the adhesion promotion is shown below:

### 2. **Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> VTMOEO as co-monomer for polymer dispersions

Polymer dispersions (e.g. styrene acrylics), modified with **Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> VTMOEO show improved adhesion strength in wet conditions and wet scrub resistance.

### 3. Other applications

**Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> VTMOEO can also be used as additive in organic coatings to improve adhesion on inorganic surfaces (metals, glass, ceramic surfaces), as well as for surface treatment of inorganic pigments.

## Reactivity

In the presence of moisture, the methoxy-ethoxy groups of **Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> VTMOEO hydrolyze to produce 2-methoxyethanol and reactive silanol (Si-OH) groups which can bond to a variety of inorganic substrates. The vinyl functional end of **Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> VTMOEO can react with a suitable polymer (activated by peroxide or radiation).

## Processing

### Toxicological and Environmental Aspects:

When exposed to moisture **Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> VTMOEO liberates 2-methoxyethanol. This alcohol is suspected to be teratogenic. Evonik Degussa offers a new generation of alternatives to vinyltris(2-methoxyethoxy)silane that do not liberate 2-methoxyethanol. In many applications these products perform even better than vinyltris(2-methoxy-ethoxy)-silane. More information about these alternatives is given in the Product Information for **Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> 6490, **Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> 6498 and **Dynasylan**<sup>®</sup> 6598.

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