

Product Information

Product Description

Ti-Pure™ R-706 is a universal rutile titanium dioxide pigment, manufactured by the chloride process, that is designed to deliver both high gloss and excellent durability in coatings. This outstanding combination of end-use performance properties makes it a versatile pigment in solvent and waterborne systems for architectural, industrial, and automotive applications. Ti-Pure™ R-706 has the following general properties.

Table 1.Analysis and Physical Properties of Ti-Pure[™] R-706

| Property | R-706 |
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| TiO ₂ , wt%, min. | 93 |
| Alumina, wt% | 2.5 |
| Amorphous Silica, wt% | 3.0 |
| Specific Gravity | 4.0 |
| Bulking Value, L/kg (gal/lb) | 0.25 (0.03) |
| Organic Treatment | Yes |
| Color CIE L* | 99.4 |
| Median Particle Size, µm | 0.36 |
| Oil Absorption | 13.9 |
| рН | 8.2 |
| Resistance at 30 °C (86 °F) (1,000 ohm) | 10 |
| Carbon Black Undertone | 13.8 |

Note: All values are typical unless otherwise specified.

Key Features

- High gloss
- Super durability
- Excellent dispersibility
- Easy wet-in
- Good hiding
- Blue undertone

High Gloss

Careful control of the TiO₂ particle size during manufacture of R-706 results in exceptional gloss performance. R-706 has a tight particle size distribution, resulting in less oversized particles that detract from gloss.

Super Durability

Unique encapsulation of the TiO_2 particle by a continuous coating of silica (SiO_2) is responsible for the excellent durability of R-706. Florida exposure data for R-706 shows excellent gloss retention and chalk resistance.

Excellent Dispersibility

The alumina (Al_2O_3) surface treatment reduces the contact between TiO_2 particles, resulting in excellent dispersion of R-706 in solventborne systems. To further enhance dispersion, we apply an organic treatment during manufacture.

Easy Wet-in

Novel precipitation of the silica and alumina surface treatments result in the low oil absorption properties of R-706 that are responsible for its excellent wet-in. Less power required for R-706 wet-in could result in productivity gains and capacity increases.



Ti-Pure R-706 Titanium Dioxide

Good Hiding

The low surface treatment levels, 3% amorphous silica and 2.5% alumina, result in a high TiO_2 content for R-706, contributing to good hiding. The mean particle size of R-706 approaches the optimum particle size for scattering efficiency.

Blue Undertone

Small particle size $\rm TiO_2$ grades scatter blue light more effectively than larger particle size grades and hence have a bluer undertone. The bluer undertone of R-706 imparts a brighter, cleaner tint.

Shipping Containers

Ti-Pure™ R-706 is available in 25-kg paper bags and semi-bulk containers (1/2 and 1 metric ton). Truckload shipments of the dry product are available directly from Chemours. Less-than-truckload volumes are available through one of the authorized Chemours distributors.

Water slurries are available in some regions in truckload shipments (15 metric ton) and railcar (67 metric ton).

Product Storage

The shelf life of Ti-Pure[™] TiO₂ is indefinite as long as the material is kept from direct contact with moisture.

For further information about this grade or to request a sample, please see the Ti-Pure web site.

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