

# **KREBS VISCOMETER**

## RHOPOINT *paintlab* + 0

- Precise measurement
- Fully automated
- Easy clean design
- User certifiable



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Viscosity measurement of coatings is essential at each stage of the manufacturing process to ensure consistent quality standards.

Many parameters can affect the rheological behaviour of a finished coating resulting in undesirable effects such as inconsistent performance, poor levelling or sagging. The use of high precision measuring instruments is therefore essential in quality control to prevent such problems occurring during formulation, manufacture and application.

The PAINTLAB+ Krebs Viscometer from Rhopoint Instruments offers high accuracy viscosity measurement with advanced functionality. Based on the standard ASTM Krebs test method, the viscometer uses a rotating paddle at a fixed speed of 200rpm to directly measure the viscosity in Krebs units (KU), centipoise (cP) or grams (g).



# **FEATURES**

#### Precise measurement

High stability motor speed control ensures accuracy and repeatabilty during each test. Real-time high resolution graphing allows monitoring of changes during measurement providing identification of inconsistencies between samples. Measurement results are displayed instantly on screen after test in all three units.



#### Advanced temperature monitoring

An integrated temperature probe accurately measures and records sample temperature for each test. As sample viscosity is influenced by test temperature, accurate monitoring and recording ensures reliability of test results.





#### Automatic operation

Fully automated operation saves time by accurately lowering the paddle into the sample to the correct height for a number of standard container sizes. Once the test has completed the paddle automatically raises to drain off, saving time during cleaning.

The easy to use quick release magnetic paddle holder allows rapid removal for cleaning after use.





#### Easy clean design

Lab-tough glass allows easy removal and cleaning of unintentional splashes and smears from the capacitive sense buttons and screen. The solvent resistant anodised aluminium instrument chassis ensures the instrument can be cleaned and restored to pristine condition even in the toughest working environments.

#### Data transfer

Measurement data including time, date and test temperature can be printed to a Rhopoint label printer (supplied as an optional accessory). Printed labels can be attached to each sample for easy identification and recording of results.



Measurement data can also be transfered directly into Excel

using the optional data transfer cable

#### Calibration

Annual calibration can be performed remotely by the user using the Rhopoint certified recalibration kit. Step by step instructions and automatic verification ensure accurate, traceable results.

### APPLICATIONS



Paints and coatings



Inks



Adhesives



# INSTRUMENT SPECIFICATION

STANDARDS ASTM D562, ASTM D856, ASTM

D1131

 RESOLUTION
 0.1 KU / 1 g

 ACCURACY
 +/- 1%

 REPRODUCIBILITY
 +/- 1%

 REPEATABILITY
 +/- 1%

RANGE 40 to 141 KU

32 to 1,099 g 27 to 5,274 cP

**SPEED** 200 rpm +/- 0.1 rpm

CONTAINER SIZES 250 ml, 500 ml, 0.5 pint, 1 pint

OPERATING TEMPERATURE 10°C to 40°C
POWER 100V/240V
WEIGHT 7.25 kg

SIZE (H) 460 x (W) 320 x (D) 190 mm

PACKED WEIGHT 10 kg

**PACKED DIMENSIONS** (H) 680 x (W) 460 x (D) 380mm

COMMODITY CODE 9027 8017

# **OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES**

- Results printer
- Data transfer cable
- Certified calibration oils

Viscosity Standard Oils	Viscosity Value Krebs Unit (KU)	Viscosity Value Centipoise (cP)
VI-028010	61	328
VI-028120	73	696
VI-028230	87	1040
VI-028340	99	1582
VI-0284	106	2000

- Certified recalibration kit
  - 3 x traceable viscosity oils
  - USB calibration card
  - I Temperature verification probe

# INCLUDED ACCESSORIES

- Krebs paddle
- Temperature verification probe
- Traceable calibration certificate
- Instructional videos







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