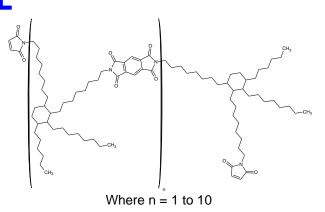
# TECH DATA SHEET BMI-3000 GEL





#### DESCRIPTION

BMI-3000 GEL is a bismaleimide oligomer that exhibits excellent flexibility and, on cure, forms very tough, hydrophobic polyimides. The material has excellent hydrolytic stability and thermal stability. As an additive it can improve rheological properties by increasing the thixotropic properties of a liquid monomer composition. This feature in turn can help to reduce resin bleed out on a variety of surfaces. It is soluble in most aromatic and aliphatic solvents such as toluene, nmp, etc. BMI-3000 GEL is compatible with and can be incorporated directly into many resin systems for enhanced performance.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

Toughener

Superior thermal stability

Hydrophobic

#### **TYPICAL PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

PROPERTY	METHOD	RESULT
Appearance at Room Temperature	Visual	Red-amber gel
Functionality		2
Molecular Weight (approx.)		3,000 Daltons
Weight Loss @ 300°C	TGA	< 1.0.%
Dielectric Constant (Dk)	Cavity Perturbation Method @ 20 GHz	TBD
Dissipation Factor (Df)		TBD
Melting Point (typical)	DSC	80°C
Decomposition Temperature	TGA	> 400°C
Recommended Storage Temp		Room Temperature

Data is for reference only and may vary depending on testing method used. The structure shown above is an idealized representation of a statistical distribution.

### **RECOMMENDED FORMULATION USE:**

BMI-3000 GEL is recommended for use as an additive to increase flexibility, hydrophobicity and thixotropy. It has excellent adhesion to a variety of organic substrates and adhesion to metals can be enhanced via coupling agents. When used as a base resin, it can produce films that are tough, flexible and demonstrate good peel strength.

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