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> TECHNICAL DATA SHEET Silmer<sup>®</sup> OHT Di-xx Series

> > Hydroxyalkyl modified silicones

**DESCRIPTION** 

**Silmer<sup>®</sup> OHT Di-10, Silmer OHT Di-50,** and **Silmer OHT Di-100** are hydroxyalkyl modified silicones. These 100% active materials have four primary hydroxyl groups available for reaction and hydrogen bonding. Each end of the silicone polymer is functionalized with a branched alkyl group with two primary hydroxyl groups. These products differ in the chain length of the silicone backbone.

### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

	Silmer OHT Di-10	Silmer OHT Di-50	Silmer OHT Di-100
Appearance	Clear yellow liquid	Clear yellow liquid	Clear yellow liquid
Viscosity, cPs	220	400	800
Active Content, %	100%	100%	100%
Molecular Weight, g/mol	1400	4500	8400
Equivalent Weight, g/mol	350	1125	2100
Solubility, (1% /10%)			
- Water	Insoluble/Insoluble	Insoluble/Insoluble	Insoluble/Insoluble
- IPA	Soluble/Soluble	Soluble/Soluble	Soluble/Soluble
- Mineral Spirits	Dispersible/Insoluble	Insoluble/Insoluble	Insoluble/Insoluble

# **USES AND APPLICATION**

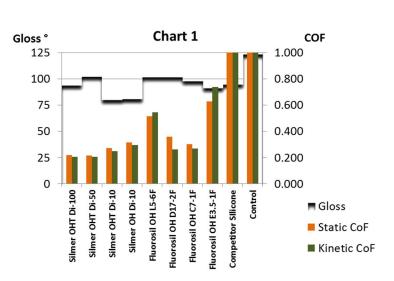
**Silmer OHT Di-10, Silmer OHT Di-50 and Silmer OHT Di-100** are designed to have limited miscibility with organic formulations allowing them to bloom to the surface and provide slip, mar and stain resistance, as well as release properties.

**Silmer OHT Di-xx series products** have primary OH groups for reaction with isocyanate, epoxy, silane or other condensation cured polymers and films. This provides durable properties to a cured system.

**Silmer OHT Di- xx series products** has shown stain release performance better than that of other silicone products and similar to or better than our **Fluorosil** fluoroalkyl silicones. Because **Silmer OHT Di-10** contains no fluoroalkyl it is without the possible downsides of these materials.

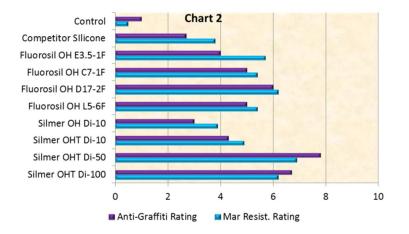
# **APPLICATION DATA**

In Chart 1, Static COF, Kinetic COF, and Gloss data are shown for **Silmer OHT Di-10**, **Silmer OHT Di-50** and **Silmer OHT Di-100** products which were evaluated at 2% use level in a WB PU model formulation and compared to various controls. Similar results were achieved with a SB PU system not reported here.



In chart 1, one can see that these products are much better than the control without any additive and the control using 2% of a competitive anti-graffiti silicone, both of which are off of the COF chart scale. Also, **Silmer<sup>®</sup> OHT Di-10** gives the same or more COF reduction than all four fluoroalkyl based **Fluorosil<sup>®</sup>** structures. The slip and properties are also better than those of **Silmer OH Di-10**, a corresponding silicone with different hydroxyalkyl modification.

In Chart 2, anti-graffiti ratings and mar resistance ratings are shown for the same materials at 2% in the WB PU model formulation. Here, the **Silmer OHT Di-10** outperforms the control, the control with a competitive silicone and the **Silmer OH Di-10**.



The fluoroalkyl containing **Fluorosil**<sup>®</sup> structures give better performance, but also come with a much higher price tag.

The **Silmer OHT Di-50** and **Silmer OHT Di-100** outperform the **Silmer OHT Di-10**. These two higher molecular weight materials also outperform the **Fluorosil** products.

The **Silmer OHT Di-10** is the most compatible of these three which will minimize possible side-effects.

Typical use levels for anti-graffiti properties are 1-5%. For slip properties alone, lower use levels can be used. In this case 0.1% is a good screening point.

### **SAFETY**

Before handling, read the Material Safety Data Sheet and container label for safe use, physical and health hazard information.

THIS MATERIAL IS NOT FOR MEDICAL OR DRUG USE.

### STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE

When stored in the original, unopened containers between 10 and 40<sup>o</sup>C, **Silmer OHT Di-10**, **Silmer OHT Di-50** and **Silmer OHT Di-100** have a shelf life of 36 months from date of manufacture.

### **PACKAGING**

Silmer OHT Di-10, Silmer OHT Di-50 and Silmer OHT Di-100 are available in 20kg and 200kg containers.

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