

# ZINC PRODUCTS -ZINC OXIDES-

# ZINC OXIDE RGT-H

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

Zinc Oxide RGT-H is a French Process Zinc Oxide made from high purity zinc metal and coated with small amounts of propionic acid.

## **USES:**

Zinc Oxide RGT-H is a fine particle size oxide serving as a cure activator/additive in rubber compounding, adhesives and latex applications. Being French process zinc, it can be used in white and colored rubber articles, where a zinc oxide of good color and high chemical purity is desirable. It has a standard particle size and surface area most useful to a wide range of rubber curing applications. The high heat transfer ability of ZnO means it is useful in dynamic applications where internal heat buildup is a problem. 10 phr or more of ZnO will transfer heat from the center of a product to the surface where it can be dissipated. Conversely, non-black compounds heat up quicker and more evenly during cure if higher levels of ZnO are used. Useful in non-black articles to protect from UV weathering. RGT-H is more effective than TiO<sub>2</sub>. Use ZnO as 10% (not 10 phr) of compound for good UV protection in non-black formulas.

#### **TYPICAL ANALYSIS:**

#### Chemical:

ZnO (Dry Basis)	99.9%
Pb	0.0015%
Cd	0.0003%
Fe	0.0002%
Cu	0.0001%
Propionic Acid	0.10%

## Physical:

Surface Area	$5.0 \text{ m}^2/\text{g}$
Mean Particle Size	0.23 microns
Specific Gravity	5.6 g/ml
Packing Density	$50 \text{ lbs/ft}^3$
Passing 325 mesh	99.99%

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