

**SP-AD0052****Substituted Urea Accelerator**

SP-AD0052 is an accelerator for dicyandiamide (DICY) in one-component epoxy resin systems. It is [4,4'-(methylene bis (phenyl dimethyl))] urea, CAS number 10097-09-3. Typical usage is 1 to 3 percent. It provides for good ambient shelf-life stability in epoxy formulations and can be formulated to cure a one-component DICY system within 10 minutes at 350°F.

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Specific Physical Form:	Powder
Color:	White
Shelf Life:	1 year

**Typical Properties -**

Bulk Density:	11-15 lbs/ft <sup>3</sup>
Particle Size:	90% < 30 microns 9 - 14 micron mean
DSC Melting Point:	215-230°C
Percent Volatiles:	<1.0%
Peak Cure Temperature <sup>1</sup> :	147°C - 153°C
Peak Cure Temperature <sup>2</sup> :	157°C - 163°C
Shelf Life of Formulation <sup>3</sup> :	4 months

1) Measured on the DSC at 10°C/min ramp. Formulation was 8% Dicy and 3% accelerator in Bis A liquid epoxy.

2) Measured on the DSC at 20°C/min ramp. Formulation was 8% Dicy and 3% accelerator in Bis A liquid epoxy.

3) Formulation was 8% Dicy and 3% accelerator in Bis A liquid epoxy.

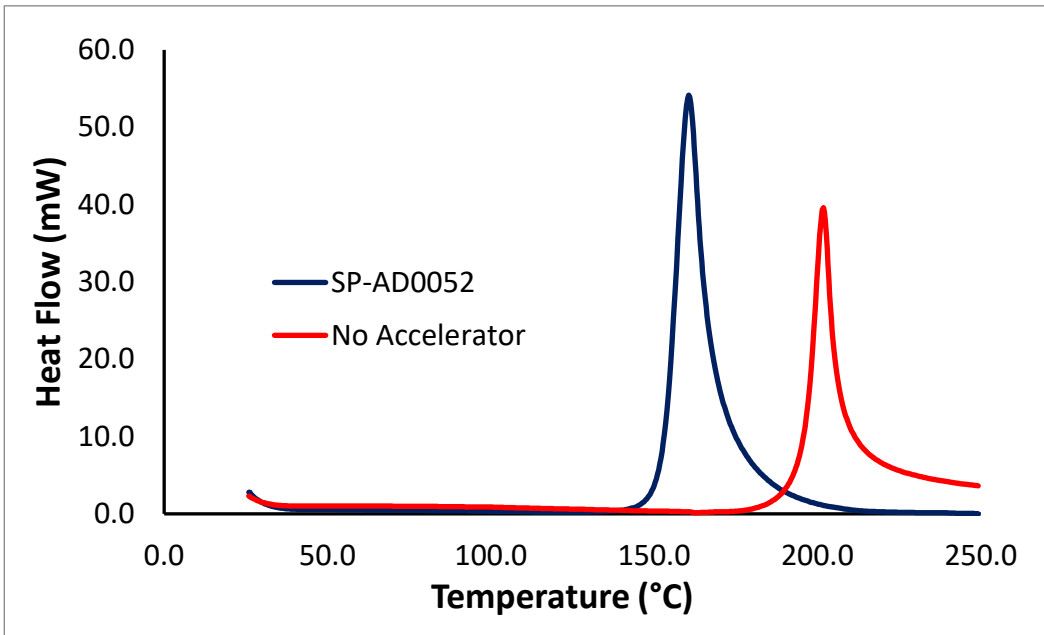


Figure 1: 1-Part dicyandiamide-epoxy cure DSC curve. Blue line shows the temperature ramp cure of liquid Bis-A epoxy with 8% DICY and 3% SP-AD0052. Red line shows the temperature ramp cure of liquid Bis-A epoxy with 8% DICY and no accelerator. DSC was ramped at 20°C/min under nitrogen flow.

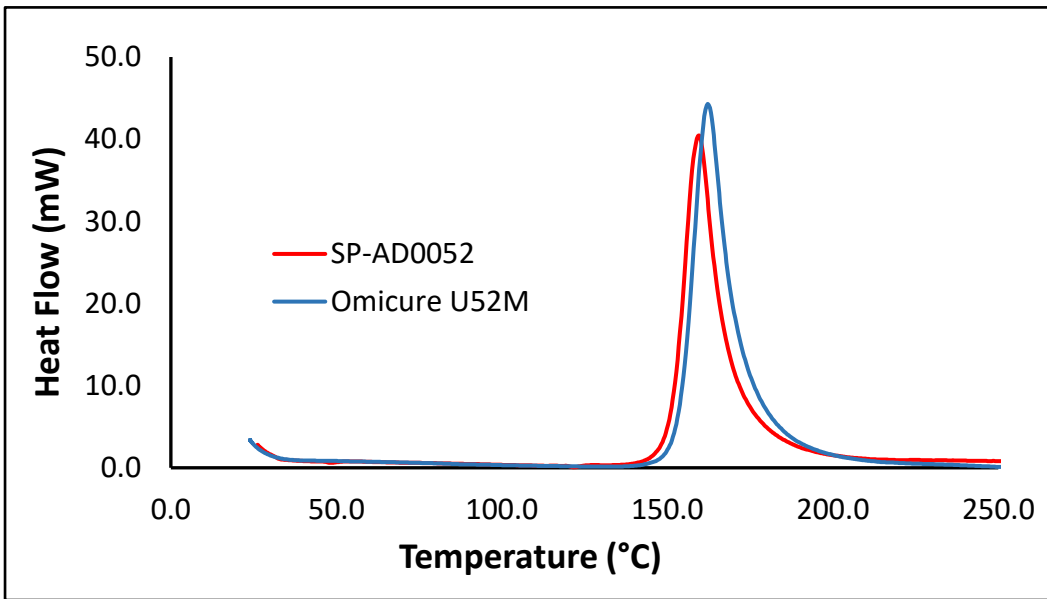


Figure 2: 1-Part dicyandiamide-epoxy cure DSC curve. Red line shows the temperature ramp cure of liquid Bis-A epoxy with 8% DICY and 3% SP-AD0052. Blue line shows the temperature ramp cure of liquid Bis-A epoxy with 8% DICY and Omicure U52M. DSC was ramped at 20°C/min under nitrogen flow.

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