# Cardolite® NC-513 Reactive Diluent for Epoxy Resins Technical Datasheet

#### DESCRIPTION

## **CHEMICAL STRUCTURE**

## TYPICAL PROPERTIES

# APPLICATIONS

## **ADVANTAGES**

Cardolite® NC-513 is a unique reactive epoxy flexibilizer and diluent. This low viscosity fluid has predominantly one reactive epoxy group per molecule which combines chemically into the epoxy system.

	TYPICAL VALUE	SPECIFICATION
Viscosity @ 25°C (cPs)	50	40-70
Epoxy equivalent weight (EEW)	490	425-575
Flash point (closed cup)	>205°C/400°F	2
Density @ 25°C lbs/gal (kg/l)	8.17 (0.97)	8.09 (0.96) - 8.25(0.98)
Appearance	Reddish brown liquid	
Hydrolyzable chlorine (%)		<2%
Color (Gardner)	<11	5-11
Recommended PHR (liquid epoxy resin, EEW=190)	2-20	(a)
Volatile Loss (%)	2	0.5 max

# Cardolite® NC-513 is suitable for the following applications:

- Provides flexibility to solvent free and high solids surface tolerant marine and industrial coatings.
- Industrial flooring requiring excellent chemical, water, and abrasion resistance.
- Preparation of amine adducts
- Coatings in contact with potable water
- Formulation tool for developing high and 100% solids coatings, especially coatings that require flexibility and excellent water resistance
- Excellent chemical and water resistance
- Increased thermal shock resistance
- · Maintains electrical properties
- · Low volatility
- Aids in Bis-Phenol F resin and Curing Agent compatibility
- Good reactivity
- · Adds flexibility and lowers viscosity while maintaining performance
- · Based from natural renewable raw material feedstock

**APPROVALS AND REGULATORY STATUS** 

United States Department of Agriculture acceptance.

Listed with National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) for coatings used in potable water Certified to not be classified as or manufactured with Class I or Class II ozone depleting chemicals

TSCA, EINECS, NICNAS AICS, MITI, PICCS

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Please refer to the material safety data sheet (MSDS).

STORAGE & STABILITY

Cardolite® NC-513 has storage stability of 24 months. All containers of this product should be kept tightly closed to avoid contamination and stored in a cool, dry place.

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