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Polyester resins are inexpensive and therefore widespreaded in the plastic industry. They are very often used in many different and diversified applications such as marine industry, pond / pool coatings and so on. Polyester resins cure with a MEKP-hardener.

#### Please consider:

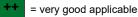
The contained monomer styrene seizes some foams (eg Styrodur®, Styrofoam, ...). This is especially important in the production of sandwich components. As an alternative we offer our epoxy resin systems!

Table guidance for choosing the right Polyester Resin System.

### **Properties:**

- ٠ Excellent value compared to other matrix resins
- Good chemical resistance •
- LSE (low Styrene Emission) Polyester Resin
- Simple dosage setting ٠
- The viscosity can be adjusted with the addition of Thixotropic Powder (HP-PK22)

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Products	fibre wet-out	sticking together	in female moulds (gelcoat)	on top (topcoat)	embedding			tacky-free surface ?	Improved chemical resistance ?	min. at 20°C	processing minimum (recommended) °C	loadability (HDT / °C)
HP-P21L laminating resin (wax free)	++	0	-		-		ORTHO, LSE, slightly thixotropic, laminating resin for frp ponds	no	no	15-20	15	60
HP-P21LP laminating resin (wax containing)	++	-	-	+	-		ORTHO, LSE, slightly thixotropic	yes	no	15-20	15	60
HP-P21LPG laminating resin (wax containing)	++	-	-	+	-		ORTHO, LSE, approval from Lloyd´s Register, slightly thixotropic	yes	no	15-20	15	70
HP-P21LS laminating resin (wax free)	++	о	-	-	+		ISO/NPG, LSE, slightly thixotropic, laminating resin for frp ponds / pools	no	yes	15-20	15	> 90
HP-P21LSP laminating resin (wax containing)	++	-	-	+	-		ISO/NPG, LSE, slightly thixotropic	yes	yes	15-20	15	> 90



= applicable

= conditionally applicable

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= not provided

\* Gel - and Topcoats are available in different colours.

### Law change in the Chemicals Prohibition Ordinance (ChemVerbotsV) !!!

The shipping of polyester resins is only possible if the following basics are met:

- Professional use
- Public research, study or educational institutions
- Resellers

In addition, polyester resin systems can only be picked up by persons over 18 years after having a appropriate instruction.

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