

Working with Henkel's MicroEmission Product Range makes Life easier

Bernhard Surböck, responsible for Berger's bookbindery says: "We have been searching for a solution offering a high standard in quality as well as in working safety for quite a while. With Henkel's Purmelt MicroEmission we found the perfect match."

"Purmelt MicroEmission comes with an excellent performance," says Surböck. "Compared to conventional PUR hotmelts the initial tack has been significantly enhanced, even on difficult surfaces."



Henkel - Your Partner in Sustainable Growth



Sustainable PUR Hotmelt for Graphic Arts Industry

Product innovations and thorough review of our PUR portfolio help us to reduce application-related environmental burdens still further, and to achieve further improvements in health compatibility. As a result we have introduced a new generation of polyurethane hotmelts.





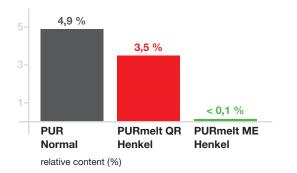


Versatile Product Range

Purmelt® ME is a polyurethane hotmelt innovation bringing full adhesive performance. We have developed a full range of products including cover and side glue for a completely sustainable approach. Purmelt® ME has been tested in our laboratories and at customers since 2004.

Minimal Emission

Content of monomer isocyanate in Polyurethane hotmelt adhesives



New Generation of Polyurethane Hotmelts

Compared with conventional polyurethane hotmelts, Purmelt® ME contains < 0,1% monomeric isocyanate that reduces vapor emissions during processing to a minimum. As a result, numerous adhesive processing sectors can now offer their employees safer working conditions while simultaneously reducing the cost of fume extraction equipment and air quality control.

Improved Occupational Safety

Purmelt® MicroEmission versus conventional PUR Hotmelt

- Not hazardous
- · No personal protection measures necessary
- · No respiratory track sensitization
- No skin sensitization
- No need for surveillance of working place

Employee Safety

Isocyanate content in Purmelt® ME is below the limit currently specified as harmful to human health under the legislation of EU members states and therefore not labeled as hazardous. Purmelt® ME makes a major contribution to improving occupational health and safety.

To learn more about Henkel's sustainability initiative visit: www.henkel.com/ sustainability

Elements of Value

For information about our comprehensive service offering and how it can really help your business – please refer to our documents about Service, Process and Design opportunities or contact your local Henkel sales representative.



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