

# Laromer® UA 8987 N

**General** Aliphatic urethane acrylate for radiation-curable coatings.

Key features & benefits weather resistant

chemical resistant scratch resistant

Chemical nature aliphatic urethane acrylate, 70% solution in HDDA

## **Properties**

Appearance clear, medium-viscous liquid

Typical characteristics

(should not be interpreted as specifications)

viscosity at 23°C	4.0~6.0 Pa·s
color (iodine number)	≤ 3
density at 20°C	1.1 g/mL

# **Application**

### solubility, compatibility

To formulate low-viscous coatings (e.g. spray viscosity) Laromer® UA 8987 N can be diluted with all organic solvents common in the coatings industry with the exception of aliphatic hydrocarbons. Furthermore Laromer® UA 8987 N is compatible with acrylic and methacrylic monomers (e.g. HDDA, TPGDA, HEMA, HPMA) serving as reactive thinners or other types of UV-resins like polyether-, polyester-, epoxy- or urethane acrylates.

## fields of application

Laromer® UA 8987 N shows excellent weather resistance combined with good chemical and scratch resistance. Specially on different plastic (e.g. polycarbonate) the content of HDDA as diluent leads to increased adhesion. For outdoor applications on flexible substrates an additional elastification could be advantageous. For that purpose, Laromer® UA 8987 N is a good combination resin with no impact on the outstanding weather resistance. For any outdoor use, where excellent weather resistance is required, the use of light stabilizers (e.g. Tinuvin® 400, Tinuvin® 292) is recommended.

A suitable photoinitiator must be used to photocure Laromer® UA 8987 N. The photoinitiator types include, for example,  $\alpha\text{-hydroxy}$  ketone, benzophenone, acyl phosphine oxide, and blends thereof, for typical coating applications. The amount of photoinitiator varies between  $2\%{\sim}5\%$  based on Laromer® UA 8987 N as delivered. Acyl phosphine oxide types (MAPO, MAPO-Liquid and BAPO) of photoinitiators are recommended for film thicknesses of 50 g/cm² to ensure through curing.

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## **Storage**

Product ought to be kept within sealed unopened containers. Containers should be stored below 35 °C and away from sunlight.

For further detailed application information please contact our Technical Support Department.

#### Safety

When handling this product, please comply with the advice and information given in the safety data sheet and observe protective and workplace hygiene measures adequate for handling chemicals.

#### Note

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