

### **Dow Coating Materials**

# **RHOBARR™** Barrier Coating Binders

## Fluorocarbon-free\* Solution for Oil and Grease (OGR) Barrier Coatings

RHOBARR™ OGR Barrier Coating Binders offer food contact compliant, high solids, aqueous emulsions that allow customized performance for a wide array of applications in the food packaging and consumer materials markets.

RHOBARR™ 130 Binder offers exceptional fatty acid resistance and minimal block, while RHOBARR™ 110 Binder demonstrates excellent performance in folded kit testing and water resistance. Both materials offer exceptional oil and grease resistance for a wide selection of substances.

#### **Features and Benefits**

Block resistance

Fluorocarbon-free\*

Improved folded OGR performance

Food contact compliant (FDA 176.170/176.180 and BfR 14/36)

High solids, low viscosity, aqueous emulstion

Formulation flexibility to offer customized performance

\*manufactured without fluorocarbons



#### Oil and Grease Resistance Performance

Water Corn Canola Olive Sunflower Soybean Oleic Acid Crisco (150°C) Butter (60°C)

Uncoated Paperboard

RHOBARR 110™ Binder based coating

RHOBARR™ 130 Binder based coating

**Figure 1.** Paperboard coated with RHOBARR™ 110 and 130 Binder based coatings demonstrate no saturation of underlying board versus uncoated paperboard when exposed to a broad range of substances.

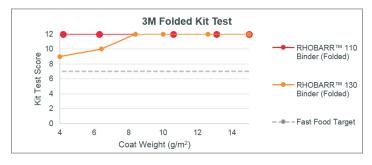
#### **Proven Performance**

RHOBARR™ OGR Barrier Coating Binders demonstrate excellent results in a variety of lab tests designed to illustrate performance attributes of barrier coating candidates.

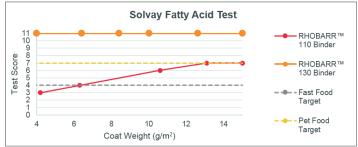
Both RHOBARR<sup> $^{\text{M}}$ </sup> 130 and RHOBARR<sup> $^{\text{M}}$ </sup> 110 OGR Barrier Coating Binders show exceptional flat and folded kit scores (**Figure 2**) as well as very good resistance to fatty acids and oils (**Figure 3**).

For use in certain packaging areas where heat seal may be required, both RHOBARR™ OGR Barrier Coating Binders can offer effective heat sealability, in addition to offering excellent water resistance.





**Figure 2.** RHOBARR<sup>™</sup> 110 Binder shows excellent folded kit performance even at coat weights as low as  $4 \text{ g/m}^2$  on free sheet paper.



**Figure 3.** RHOBARR<sup>™</sup> 130 Binder demonstrates exceptional fatty acid resistance over a wide range of coat weights.

#### RHOBARR™ Binders Typical Physical Properties

Property	Value
RHOBARR™ 110 OGR Barrier Coating Binder	
Solids	45%
Viscosity	250 cps (60rpm)
pH	9.0
RHOBARR™ 130 OGR Barrier Coating Binder	
Solids	50%
Viscosity	150 cps (60rpm)
pH	8.5

Properties are typical but not to be construed as specifications.

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