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Products AGILON® PERFORMANCE SILICA



AGILON® Performance Silica Products

AGILON® performance silica products are more than traditional reinforcing fillers. By precipitating silica and silane together and delivering them as a single, finished compounding solution, PPG has created a breakthrough technology that uniquely combines product and process, enabling industrial rubber and tire makers to enhance rubber performance, simplify their manufacturing processes and promote a healthier environment.

Tire Applications

Agilon performance silica products facilitate increased silica-loading in tread- and non-tread compounds, offering tire makers the freedom and flexibility they need to redefine the boundaries of the industry's "magic triangle" by:

- · Reducing rolling resistance to make vehicles more fuel efficient
- Improving traction and handling in wet, snowy or icy conditions
- · Extending tread life so that tires last longer

Industrial Rubber Applications

Agilon performance silica products also can be used by industrial rubber manufacturers to formulate compounds with better heat build-up resistance, improved tensile strength, higher hot rebound, lower compression set and other performance characteristics.

Environmental and Processing Advantages

By utilizing *Agilon* performance silica in their manufacturing processes, industrial rubber and tire manufacturers also can reduce process complexity and capital investment and, at the same time, address environmental concerns by:

- Utilizing older mixing technologies to process silica compounds
- · Reducing the number of mixing passes, thereby increasing silica mixing throughput
- Reducing energy consumption
- Virtually eliminating mix-related VOC emissions
- · Eliminating porosity-related extrusion inefficiencies
- Mixing at high temperatures without increasing viscosity or causing premature vulcanization

- Mixing at lower temperatures to avoid natural rubber degradation
- Enhancing the effectiveness of silane coupling in natural rubber applications

For more information about *Agilon* performance silica products, or to find the right formulation for your application, please review the chart below:

Product	Physical Form	SDS	Literature	Recommended End Use
Agilon 400	Granule or powder	<u>SDS</u>	 - Agilon Performance Silica for Tire Overview - Agilon Performance Silica for Industrial Rubber Overview - Reinforcing fillers for EPDM Overview 	Tire Industrial Rubber
Agilon 454	Granule or powder	<u>SDS</u>	 - <u>Agilon Performance Silica for Tire Overview</u> - <u>Agilon 454 Performance</u> <u>Silica for Truck Tires Overview</u> 	<u>Tire</u> <u>Industrial Rubber</u>
Agilon 458	Granule or powder	<u>SDS</u>	- <u>Agilon Performance Silica for</u> <u>Tire Overview</u>	<u>Tire</u> <u>Industrial Rubber</u>

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