## Drying Time Recorder

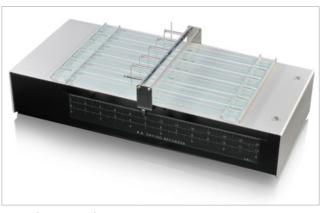
The various stages of drying and curing that occur in films are easy to detect but difficult to define in terms of chemical and physical principles. In order to evaluate them objectively it is necessary to use instrumentation under controlled conditions.

BYK-Gardner offers the versatile BK Drying Time Recorder to help quantify the various stages of film curing and drying, deliver reproducible results, and quarantee highest efficiency:

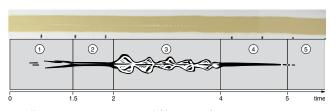
- Simultaneous testing of 6 samples saves time
- Three different speeds: 6-12-24 hrs for any application
- Alternative speeds available upon request

## **Procedure**

- Coat the glass strip using the film applicator and holder (order separately below)
- The drying of the paint starts here. If you prepare multiple panels at different times note the time when the draw down was made and add it to the time the sample is in the recorder
- Place needles on the sample strip and select the speed by adjusting the speed switch
- Turn the recorder on the unit will automatically switch off at the end of the test
- Evaluate the results (see figure at right)



**Typical Test Result** 



Levelling Basic trace Ripped film Surface trace Dry

| Standards |        |  |  |
|-----------|--------|--|--|
| ASTM      | D 5895 |  |  |
| ISO       | 9117-4 |  |  |
| DIN EN    | 14022  |  |  |

**Technical Specifications** 

## **Ordering Information**

| Cat. No. | Description               | Power Supply  | Dimensions                            | Shipping Weight   |
|----------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 2711     | Drying Time Recorder 115V | 115 VAC/60 Hz | 49 x 25 x 11 cm (19.3 x 9.8 x 4.3 in) | 4.7 kg (10.4 lbs) |
| 2710     | Drying Time Recorder 230V | 230 VAC/50 Hz | 49 x 25 x 11 cm (19.3 x 9.8 x 4.3 in) | 4.7 kg (10.4 lbs) |

## Comes complete with:

Drying Time Recorder

6 Glass panels, 6 Needles 1mm (2735), 6 Needles 2mm (2737)

**Note:** This Drying Time Recorder can only be used at room temperature

| Ordering Information |                        | Accessories  |
|----------------------|------------------------|--|
| Cat. No.             | Description            | Description  |
| 2735                 | Needle Set, 1mm        | Set of 12; 1 mm diameter with rounded tip  |
| 2737                 | Needle Set 2 mm        | Set of 6, 2 mm diameter with rounded tip   |
| 2730                 | Glass Panel Set        | Set of 12  |
| 2720                 | Glass Panel Holder     | For coating glass panels. Use 2723; dimensions 36 x 4 x 2 cm (14 x 1.6 x 0.8 in) |
| 2723                 | Film Applicator, 12 mm | Sttainless steel, 2 gaps, gap clearance (38 and 76 µm)                           |
| 2736                 | Weight Set             | Set of 6, 5 grams per weight   |

