

## Anton Paar Rheology Seminar 2024

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PROGRAM DAY 1			
09:00	Welcome		
09:15	Introduction of the company Anton Paar		
	Rheology, theory: viscosity and flow behavior		
	introduction: rheology, viscoelastic behavior		
	<ul> <li>simple viscosity test methods: flow cups, capillary and falling ball viscometers, rotational tests using relative and absolute measuring geometries, concentric cylinders, cone-and-plate, parallel plates</li> </ul>		
09:20	definition of terms: shear stress, shear rate, (shear) viscosity, viscosity law of Newton		
	<ul> <li>rotational tests: controlled shear rate (CSR), controlled shear stress (CSS), application diagrams with examples of industrial users</li> </ul>		
	ideally viscous (Newtonian) flow behavior		
	shear-thinning (pseudoplastic) flow behavior, zero-shear viscosity of polymers		
11:00	Coffee break		
11:15	Group 1	Group 2	
for 2 groups	Hands-on session	Continued: rheology theory	
12:30	Lunch time		
13:45	Group 1	Group 2	
for 2 groups	Continued: rheology theory	Hands-on session	
15:00	Coffee break		
15:30	(continued: rheology, theory: viscosity and flow behavior)		
	shear thickening (dilatant) flow behavior		
	yield point, diverse test conditions and analysis methods		
	time-depending flow behavior: structure break and recovery, thixotropic behavior, curing		
	<ul> <li>temperature-depending flow behavior: heating, melting, cooling, crystallization, hardening, curing</li> </ul>		
16:45	Application discussion		
17:30	End		
19:00	Dinner		



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	Rheology, theory: elasticity and viscoelastic behavior			
	<ul> <li>introduction: viscoelastic behavior</li> <li>definition of terms: (shear) strain or deformation, shear modulus, elasticity law (according to Hooke), strain rate (shear rate)</li> <li>ideally elastic deformation behavior</li> <li>oscillatory tests: introduction, definition of the terms: storage modulus and loss factor modulus, loss or damping factor, vector diagram, application diagrams with examples of industrial users</li> <li>amplitude sweep: linear viscoelastic (LVE) range, yield point and flow point</li> </ul>			
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	<ul> <li>frequency sweep: uncrosslinked polymers, curve crossover point, complex viscosity, zero shear viscosity, Maxwell behavior; crosslinked polymers; dispersions and gels: long-term storage stability</li> </ul>			
14:45	<ul> <li>time-depending viscoelastic behavior: structural break and recovery, thixotropic behavior; gel formation, curing</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>temperature-depending viscoelastic behavior (DMTA): heating, melting, glass transition; cooling, crystallization; sol / gel transition; gel formation, curing</li> </ul>			
	tests with solid torsion bars, ter	nsile tests		
15:45	Application discussion			
16:30	End of the seminar			



## Venue

## Van der Valk hotel Beveren

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