



**Asphalt Binder** 

# Rotational Viscometers

## 81-PV0118/C Standard Rotational Viscometer



## **Rotational Viscometers**

#### 81-PV0118 SERIES

Apparent viscosity of unfilled asphalt binder is evaluated by a rotational viscometer which measures the torque generated by a calibrated spindle rotating at a selected speed into a bitumen sample heated at precise temperature in the range from ambient to 260° C. The measured relative resistance to rotation is converted, with a factor, into viscosity units, cP or mPa.s.

We offer two versions of viscometer:

#### 81-PV0118/C

Rotational viscometer, standard version

#### 81-PV0118/B

Rotational viscometer, high performance version

The high-performance version features a superior level of test automation as further described.

#### main features

- > Data displayed:
  - Selected speed
  - Selected spindle
  - Viscosity reading
  - Percentage of full scale
- > Measurement of relative and absolute viscosity
- > Unit converter SI to CGS
- > AUTO-TEST with visual and audible malfunction alarm
- > AUTO-RANGE function
- > User-enabled calibration
- > 10 languages options
- > Accuracy 0,1% of full scale

Spindle models	Viscosity ranges (mPa·s)
TR8	50 - 170 k
TR9	250 - 830 k
TR10	500 - 1.7M
TR11	1K - 3.3 m



#### 81-PV0118/C

## Rotational viscometer standard version

#### **Technical specifications**

- Viscosity range: 100-13,000,000cP
- Rotational speed range: 0.3-100 rpm
- Selectable speeds: 18
- Precision: ±1% of full scale

#### Resolution:

- Using low viscosity adapter: 0.01cP
- For viscosity lower than 10,000cP: 0.1cP
- For viscosity equal to or above 10,000cP: 1cP
- Repeatability: 0.2%

#### 81-PV0118/B

## High Performance Rotational Viscometer



## main features

- > 12-key touchpad keyboard
- > Direct readout on a graphic display
- > Data displayed:
  - Selected speed
  - Selected spindle
  - Viscosity reading
  - Percentage of full scale
  - Sample temperature
  - Shear rate (with coaxial spindles)
  - Shear stress (with coaxial spindles)
  - Density (entered by the user)
  - Step program status
  - Analysis and visual characteristics (flow curves)



- Viscosity reading: dynamic viscosity (cP or mPa.s) or kinematic viscosity (cSt)
- > Program features:
  - Time to torque: target torque pre-setting device
  - Time to stop: target time pre-setting device
  - 10 working memories
  - Customizable options
  - Programmable
  - Multistep
  - Ramp
- > AUTO-TEST with visual and audible malfunction alarm
- > AUTO-RANGE function
- > Temperature reading
- > User-enabled viscosity and temperature calibration
- > 10 language options

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#### 81-PV0118/B

#### **Rotational viscometer**

#### **High Performance version**

#### **Technical specifications**

- Viscosity range: 100-40,000,000 cP
- Rotational speed range: 0.01-200 rpm
- Precision:  $\pm$  1% of full scale

#### Resolution:

- Using low viscosity adapter: 0.01 cP
- For viscosity lower than 10.000 cP: 0.1 cP
- For viscosity equal to or above 10,000 cP: 1cP
- Repeatability: 0.2%

#### Thermometer features:

- Temperature margins: 0 to 100° C; 32 to 212°F
- Resolution: 0.1°C / 0.2°F
- Precision: ±0.1°C;
- Type of probe: PT100

### Accessories

(for both versions)

#### 81-PV0118/T

Temperature control unit with temperature range from ambient plus 5°C to 300°C. 220–240V/50–60Hz/1ph 81–PV0118/TZ

As above but 110V/60Hz/1ph

#### 81-PV0118/2

Aluminium disposable test chamber

#### 81-PV0118/3

Stainless steel reusable test chamber

#### 81-PV0118/4

Set of 4 stainless steel spindles. (TR8, TR9, TR10, TR11)

#### Description

The temperature control unit consist of a heating chamber that is used to work in conjunction with rotary viscometers at high temperatures. Viscosity of solid unfilled asphalt binders has to be measured at temperatures ranging from 34°C to 260° according to the Specifications of ASTM D4402. The heater holds the container with sample in which a suitable spindle is immersed and driven by the rotary viscometer to measure viscosity. A digital microprocessor control unit grants the required accuracy of test temperature.

#### **Ordering information**

#### 81-PV0118/C

Rotational viscometer supplied with stand, boss head, spindle protection, spindle rack, power supply cable. 100–240V, 50–60 Hz, 1Ph.

#### 81-PV0118/B

Rotational Viscometer, high performance version, calibration certificate, USB, WIFI, Bluetooth, temperature sensor, datalogger software and power supply cable. Viscosity range 100-40 000 000cP, rotational speed 0.01-200rpm. 100-240V/50-60 Hz/1ph.



Temperature control unit 81-PV0118/T



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