# **Titanium Dioxide (TiO<sub>2</sub>)**

Titanium dioxide, known as titanium white, is the most important and most widespread inorganic pigment. It is used in a wide range of products we use every day, giving them appropriate appearance: the color, opacity or texture. Its main advantages are an excellent scattering of visible light, UV absorption and safety.







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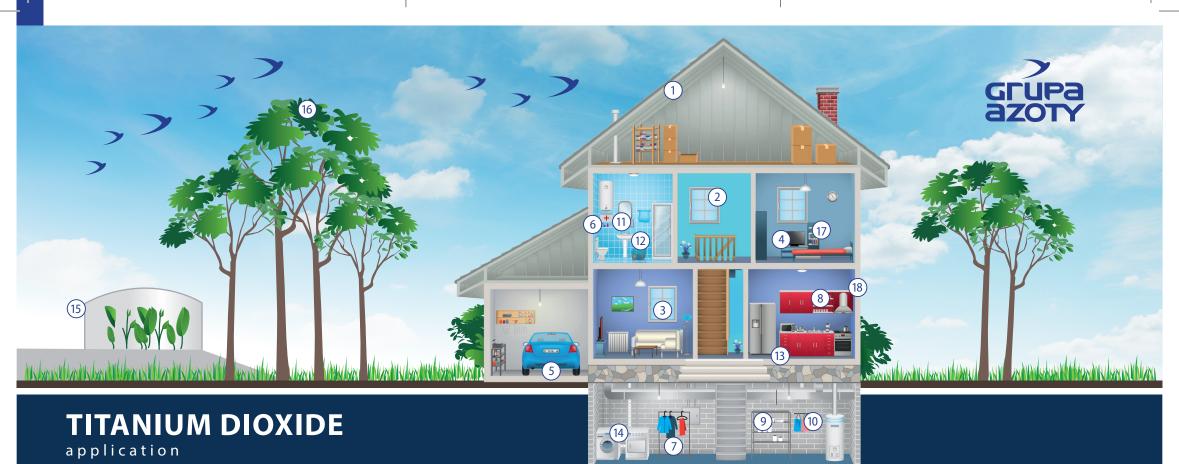
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#### **BUILDING EXTERIOR** |R-003, R-210, R-211|

- indispensable in paints for walls and special roof coverings
- reflects sun's rays
- extents the life of paints and plasters
- keeps buildings cool (reducing energy consumption by air conditioning)

### 2 PLASTIC WINDOWS AND DOORS |R-220|

- provides whiteness and brightening
- protects against discoloration and cracking caused by UV light
- extends the lifetime of doors and window frames

## 3 window glass

- TiO<sub>2</sub> glass coating provides a selfcleaning (break down pollutants into simple compounds such as CO<sub>2</sub> and water, and the rain washes away the dirt)
- helps to maintain the cleanliness of

window panes and car windows and mirrors

### 4 DISPLAYS

• TiO, provides a self-cleaning of LCD displays in smartphones, TV sets and computers

## 5 **CARS** [R-003, R-210, R-001]

- gives the bodywork a proper color
- protects the bodywork from UV radiation preventing from color change
- protects elements of interior from UV
- TiO<sub>2</sub> in catalyst systems decompose the compounds harmful to the environment

### **O PHARMACEUTICALS**

- provides appropriate color (helps to distinguish tablets)
- protects active ingredients from light
- prolongs the pharmaceutical shelf life

#### / CLOTHING

- provides a proper color to the leather
- reduces the shine of the varns and provides the opacity to man-made
- helps protect clothing and footwear against degradation from UV light
- makes plastic soles in sports shoes more durable and hard wearing

## 8 FOOD

- provides an appropriate color (e.g. chewing gum, sweets)
- provides an opacity and texture

# 9 FOOD PACKAGING

[R-001, RS, R-210]

- provides an appropriate color and appealing appearance (printing inks)
- · protects the contents from light (e.g. plastic matting and opacifying)
- · extends the food shelf life

## 10 PLASTIC BAGS

|R-001, RS, R-003|

- provides appropriate color and appealing appearance to plastic
- protects the contents from light
- improves lightfastness

### COSMETICS

- provides an appropriate color and opacity of cosmetics to help them cover the skin
- provides the UV filter (appropriate SPF) to makeup and creams to prevent burning of the skin (sunscreen)
- does not irritate the skin

## Z TOOTHPASTE

• not only gives the white color, but due to the polishing properties helps to clean teeth

## 3 QUALITY PAPER |R-310|

· provides opacity and lightfastness

of high-quality paper for laminates (laminate flooring, furniture and worktops)

### 14 white consumer goods |R-001, R-210|

· Adds brightness, whiteness and opacity to household items (fridges, kettles, microwaves, toasters and washing machines)

## 15 crops

- in plastics films protects crops from extreme temperatures
- enhance durability of films suppressing weeds
- · helps to maintain an appropriate humidity

#### 16 ENVIRONMENTAL **PROTECTION**

• titanium dioxide having a catalytic activity decomposes environmental pollutants

# **17** воокѕ

• provides opacity even to thin sheets

#### 18 paints | R-001, R-003, R-210, R-211, R-002

- TiO<sub>2</sub> is the most widely used pigment in all paints (except black)
- · adds brightness to our homes
- reflects light to minimize need for internal lighting