

Title (en)

METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF POLYOXYMETHYLENE HOMO- OR CO-POLYMERS

Title (de)

VERFAHREN ZUR HERSTELLUNG VON POLYOXYMETHYLENHOMO- ODER -COPOLYMEREN

Title (fr)

PROCEDE POUR PRODUIRE DES HOMOPOLYMERES OU DES COPOLYMERES DE POLYOXYMETHYLENE

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2007023187A1] A method for production of polyoxymethylene homo- or co-polymers by homo- or co-polymerisation of trioxan or additional suitable co-monomers is disclosed, wherein trioxan is firstly produced in a monomer plant, which contains residual monomer and which is degassed in one or more stages to give one or more vapour streams (13, 14), optionally fed to a condenser (K) wherein the condensable components are condensed out to give a condensate (15), recycled into the polymerisation reactor (P) and a gaseous stream (16) containing formaldehyde and a partly degassed polyoxymethylene homo- or co-polymer (17), supplied to an extruder (E) or mixer and mixed with normal additives and processing agents to give a polymer melt (19) with removal of a formaldehyde-containing extruder or mixer exhaust gas (18) from the extruder (E) or mixer, characterised in that the formaldehyde-containing by product streams (14, 16, 18) are directly recycled to the monomer plant from the polymer plant without addition of adjuncts.

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