

A vibrant graphic featuring a central globe with the number '360' overlaid. The globe is surrounded by a sunburst of colorful rays in shades of blue, orange, red, and purple. The text '360 YEARS YOUNG' is prominently displayed in the center, with '360' in white and 'YEARS YOUNG' in blue and orange. Below this, the tagline 'MAKING THE WORLD A BETTER HOME' is written in blue and red.

360 YEARS YOUNG

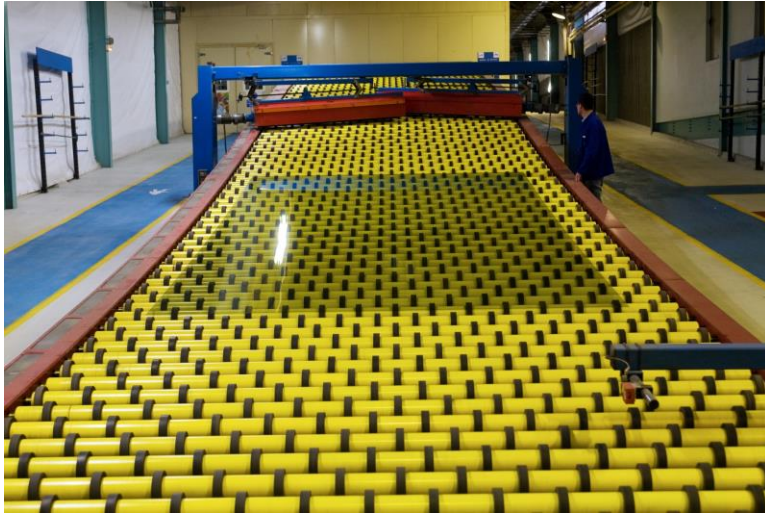
MAKING THE WORLD
A BETTER HOME



PROPRIÉTÉS OPTIQUES DU VERRE DÉCORÉ

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Float Glass 3,2x6m and coated products



Solarbay

liquid cristal polymer technology
co-developed with Saint-Gobain Sekurit

Clear Glass with
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Grey PVB

Picture Frame PVB

PDLC Connector

AmpliSky® PDLC

Clear PVB

Grey Glass with
LowE Coating



Transformed
Products for
user's final
dimensions

<https://www.saint-gobain.com/fr/news/ampliskyc-la-conquete-de-nouveaux-horizons>

Optical Properties of Decorated glass



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DECORATED GLASS

Automotive and building applications

01

DECORATED GLASS

A LONG STORY



Stained glass-St Jean-Baptiste
Sainte-Chapelle XIIIth Century
Cf Verrerie de Saint-Just



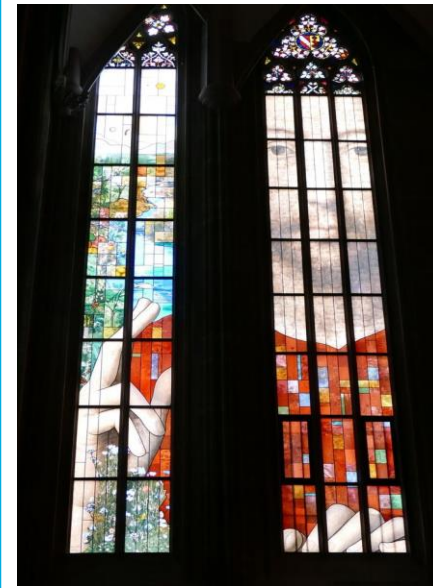
Bulk colored Glass
Colored by selected TMOs



Planilaque™ by Saint-Gobain

Organic Painted Glass

Optical Properties of Decorated glass



Vitrail des cent visages (2015),
Strasbourg
Cathedral



Emalit™
Seralit™

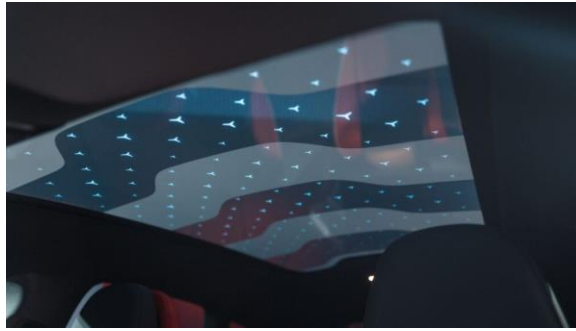
Industrial Enameled Glass



AUTOMOTIVE APPLICATION

DECORATIVE AND FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS :

- Protect Gluing system from UV ageing
- Aesthetic for end user (color, opacity, gloss)
- Matching designer requirements: color, color matching
- Matching with process parametes: shaping process
- Matching system requirements (active systems, magnetron coatings...)



Complex system : New GLC sunroof



Panoramic sunroof with solar Active and passive solar control, inner thermal confort (Solarbay)



Complex shape



Optical Properties of Decorated glass



Individual Marking



Patterned design

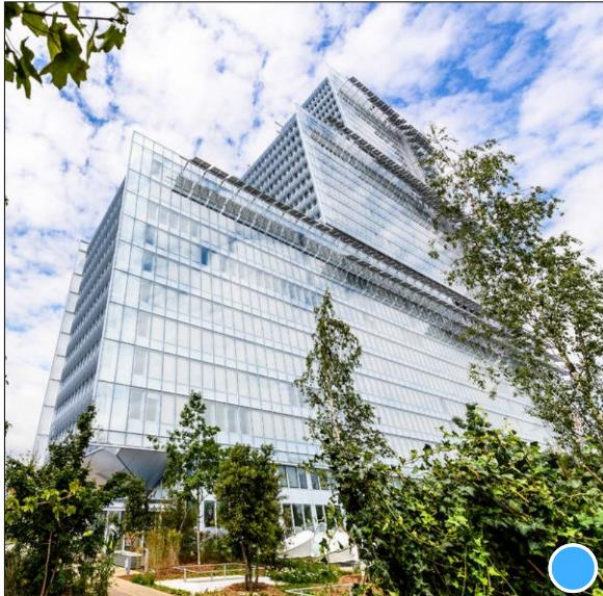


BUILDING APPLICATIONS



DECORATIVE AND FUNCTIONAL GLASS

- Façade Aesthetics



Cool-Lite™ - Silver solar control coating + Enameled Spandrels



- Interior decoration



Picture It™ – Printed glass



GLASS DECORATION TECHNIQUES

Process for glass printing

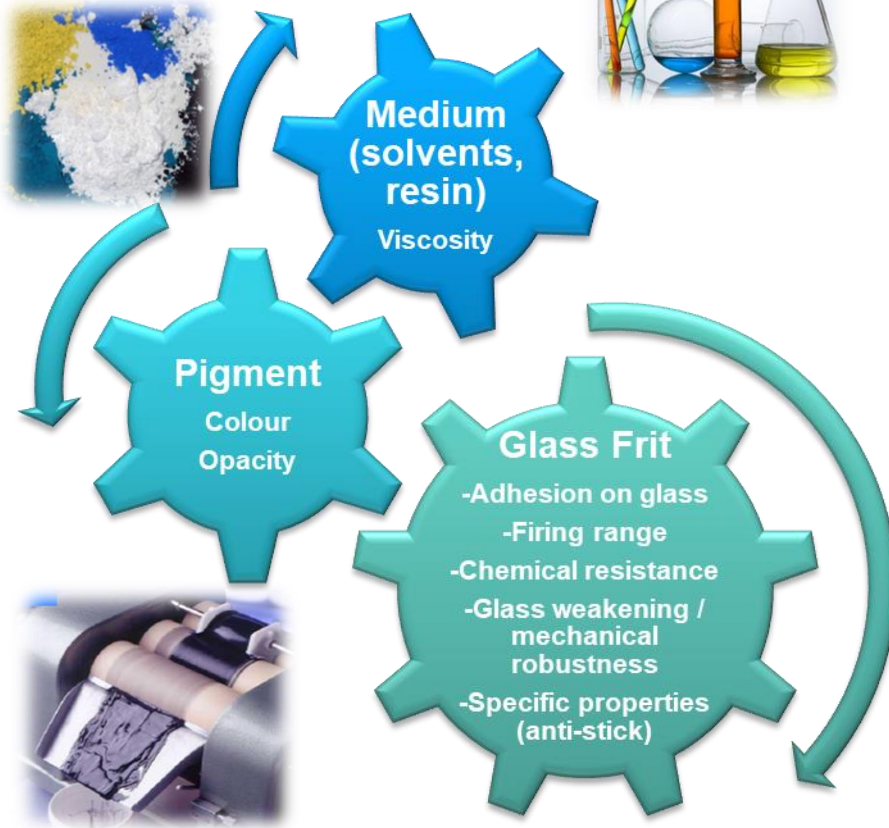
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PRINTED GLASS

PRINTING RAW MATERIALS



Enamel Paste



Digital Ink



Particle size

- Average = $5\mu\text{m}$
- Max $>10\mu\text{m}$

Viscosity/Rheology

- 10 to 15 Pa.s
- Shear thinning

Particle size

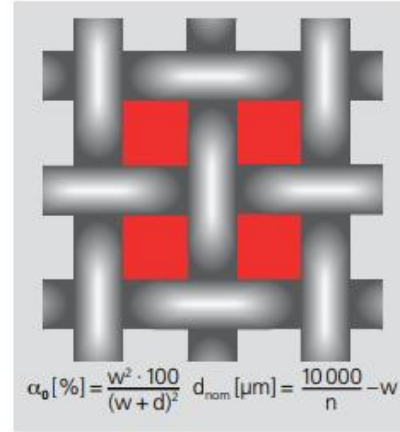
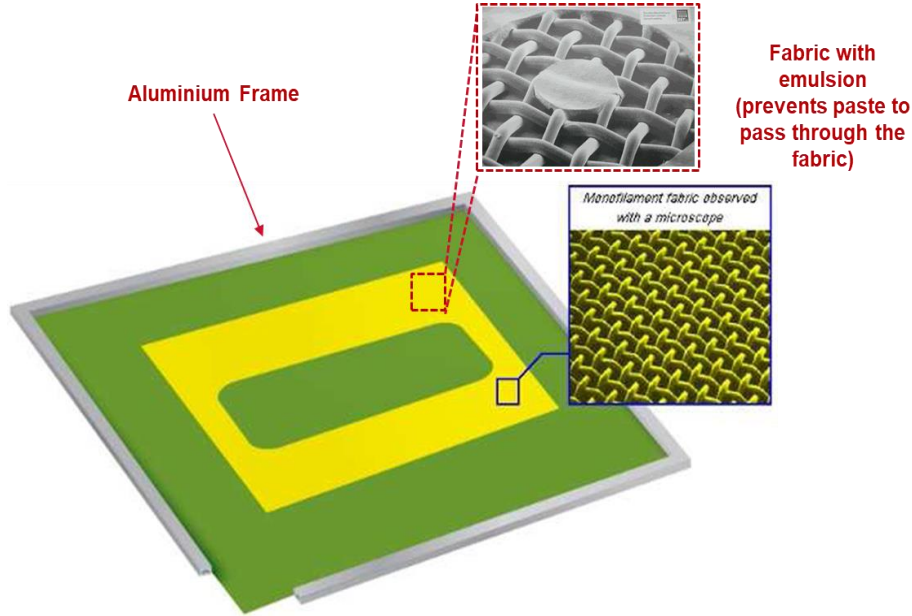
- Average $\sim 500\text{nm}$
- Max $< 1\mu\text{m}$

Viscosity/Rheology

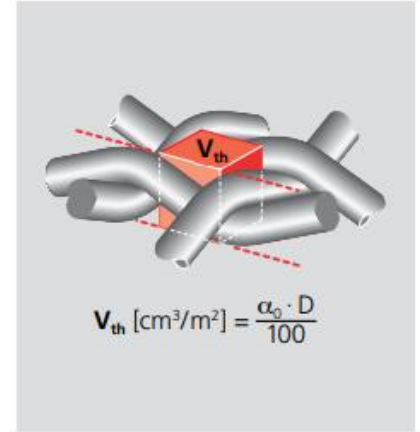
- $\sim 10\text{mPa.s}$ at jetting Temp
- Newtonian behaviour
- ($\eta_{\text{water}} = 1\text{ mPa.s}$)

PRINTED GLASS

FROM SCREEN PRINTING



Percentage of open area α_0 [%]



Theoretical ink volume

Opening defines the printed design
Screen mesh tunes the transferred thickness for shear thinning fluids

PRINTED GLASS

FROM SCREEN PRINTING



Example of black enamel contour printing on windshield

PRINTED GLASS

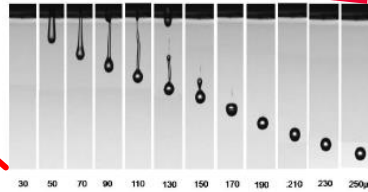
....TO DIGITAL PRINTING



Digital printing machine -
Multi or Single Pass



Printhead
Xaar 1003



Ink droplets



Individual
Marking



Flexible achievable design

PRINTED GLASS

BENCH MARK OF INDUSTRIAL PRINTING TECHNIQUES

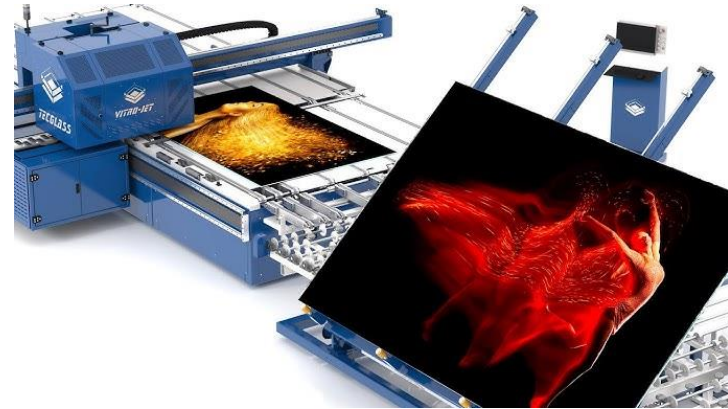


Screen printing



- + Robustness
- + Raw materials
- Flexibility
- Screen management

Digital printing



- + Flexibility
- + Multi material
- Cost cycle time

Roller

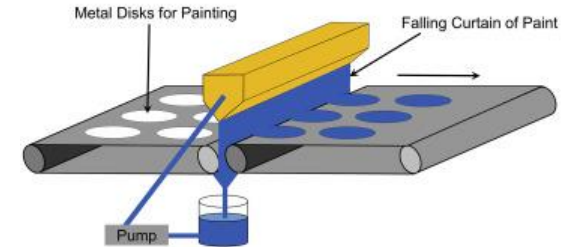


Spray



Optical Properties of Decorated glass

Curtain





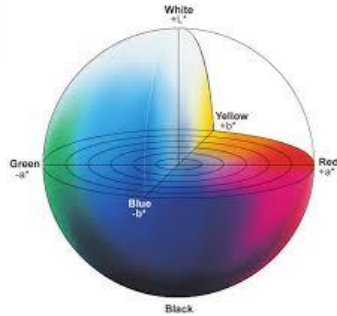
CHARACTERIZATION OF DECORATED GLASS

Laboratory vs onsite measurement

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COLOR MEASUREMENT

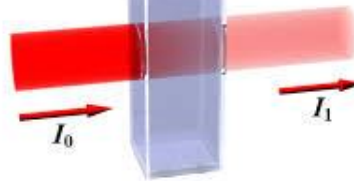
MOBILE COLOR MEASUREMENT VS SPECTROCOLORIMETER



Integrated L*,a*,b* color measurement



$$OD = -\log_{10} \left(\frac{I_1}{I_0} \right)$$



Opacity - Optical density



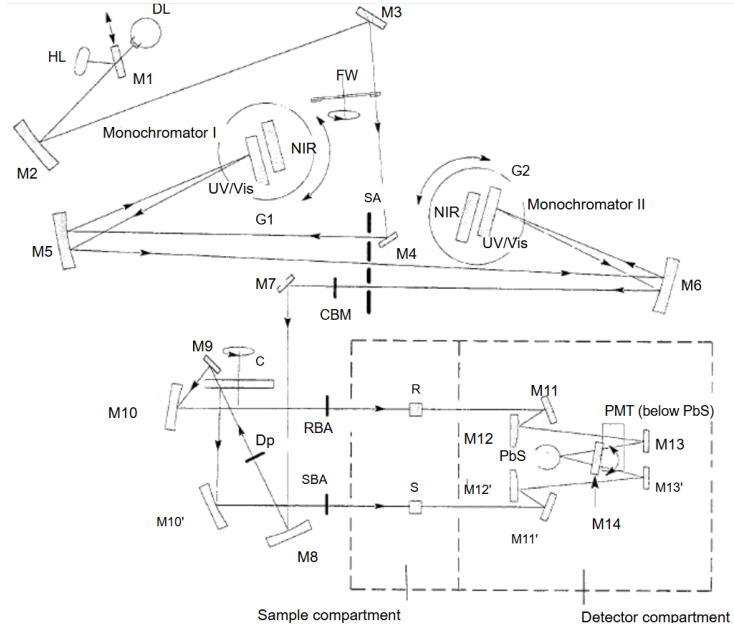
Gloss

COLOR MEASUREMENT

MOBILE COLOR MEASUREMENT VS SPECTROCOLORIMETER



Full spectrum in transmission or reflexion
(Perkin Elmer Lambda 1050, Agilent Cary 60)



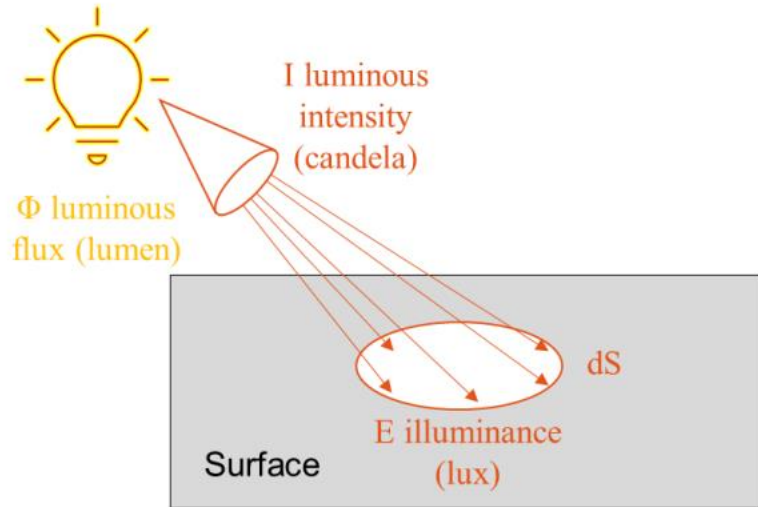
Optical path: **through** Sample or **In** reflection **onto** sample , vs Reference

COLOR MEASUREMENT

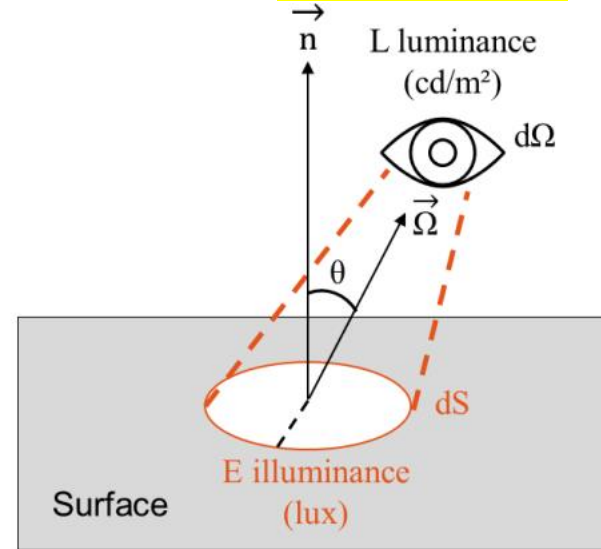
L*,a*,b* color scale



Illuminant D65

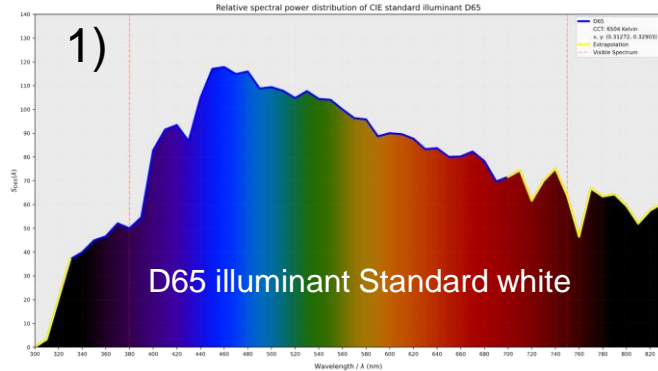


XYZ and LAB

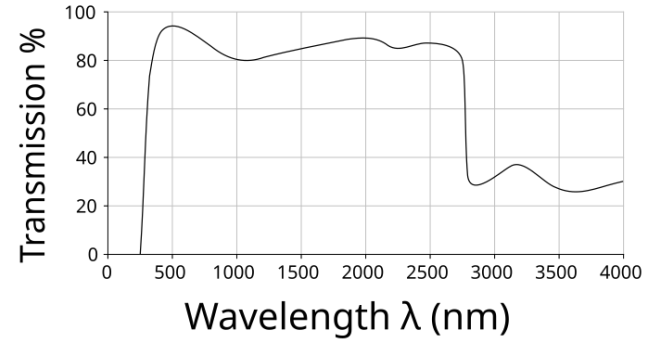


COLOR MEASUREMENT

L*,a*,b* color scale



Soda-lime glass (2 mm) Typical transmission spectrum



4) Répartition spectrale énergétique de l'illuminant D65

$$X = \sum_{\lambda=380 \text{ nm}}^{780} \frac{d\phi}{d\lambda} x_{\text{barre}}(\lambda) \tau(\lambda) \Delta\lambda$$

Composante chromatique de l'observation de référence

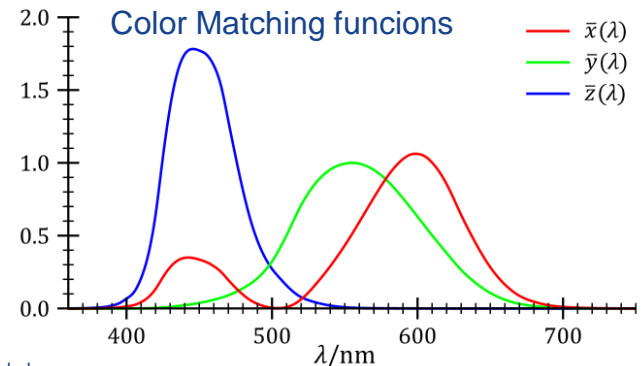
$$Y = \sum_{\lambda=380 \text{ nm}}^{780} \frac{d\phi}{d\lambda} y_{\text{barre}}(\lambda) \tau(\lambda) \Delta\lambda$$

Facteur de transmission ou réflexion

$$Z = \sum_{\lambda=380 \text{ nm}}^{780} \frac{d\phi}{d\lambda} z_{\text{barre}}(\lambda) \tau(\lambda) \Delta\lambda$$

Pas (5 nm)

3)



COLOR MEASUREMENT

L*,a*,b* color scale



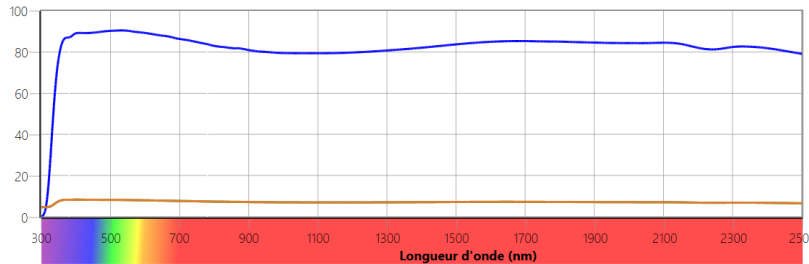
$$5) \quad L^* = 116f(Y/Y_n) - 16$$

$$a^* = 500 [f(X/X_n) - f(Y/Y_n)]$$

$$b^* = 200 [f(Y/Y_n) - f(Z/Z_n)]$$

$$\text{With } f(t) = \begin{cases} t^{1/3} & \text{if } t > (\frac{6}{29})^3 \\ \frac{1}{3} (\frac{29}{6})^2 t + \frac{4}{29} & \text{Else} \end{cases}$$

And X_n, Y_n, Z_n : coordinates of neutral white



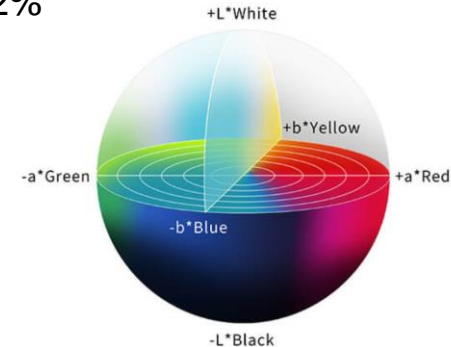
■ Transmission (%) ■ Réflexion extérieure (%) ■ Réflexion intérieure (%)

TL = 90,5% R=8,2%

L* =96 34,3

a* = -1 -0,4

b* = 0,2 -0,5



Example : Transparent frit onto 6mm clear glass ;
Reflection and transmission spectrum

COLOR MEASUREMENT

L*,a*,b* color scale



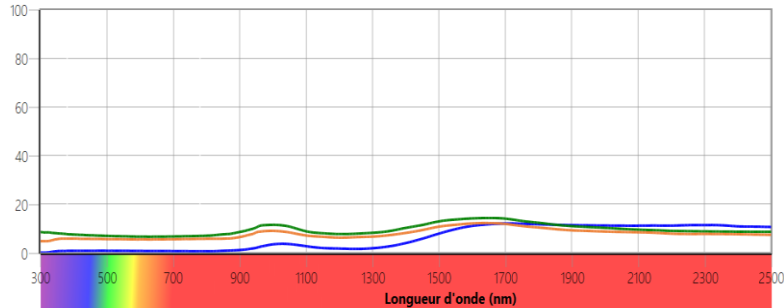
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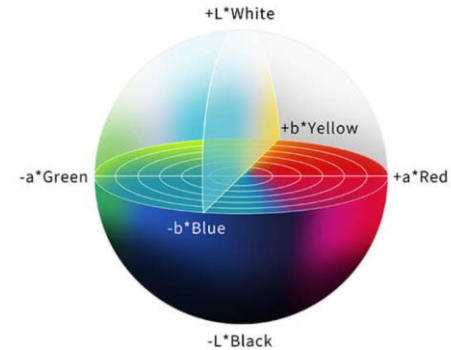
■ Transmission (%) ■ Réflexion extérieure (%) ■ Réflexion intérieure (%)

$$TL = 0,7\% \quad R = 6,7\%$$

$$L^* = 6,7 \quad 31,2\%$$

$$a^* = -0,8 \quad 0,1$$

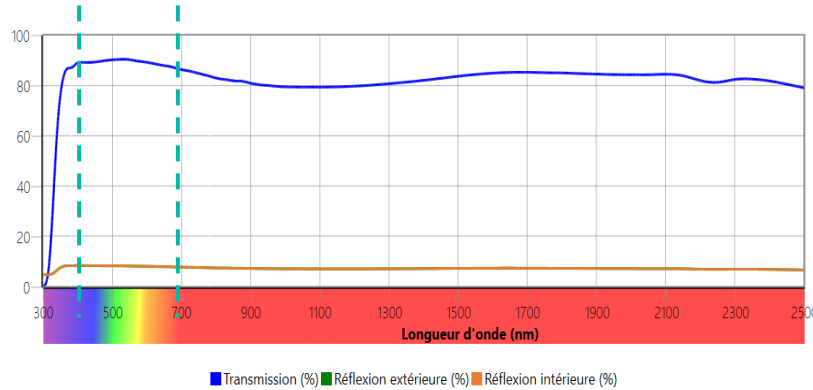
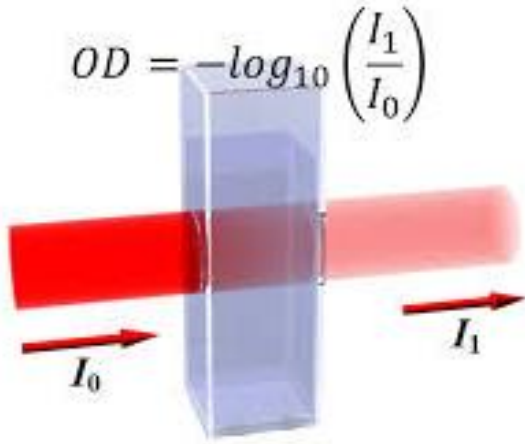
$$b^* = -0,5 \quad -1,5$$



Example : 20µm Black enamel onto 6mm clear glass ;
Reflection and transmission spectrum

COLOR MEASUREMENT

OPACITY



Transmission	OD
1	0
0.5	0.3
0.2	0.7
0.1	1.0
0.05	1.3
0.02	1.7
0.01	2.0
0.005	2.3
0.002	2.7
0.001	3.0

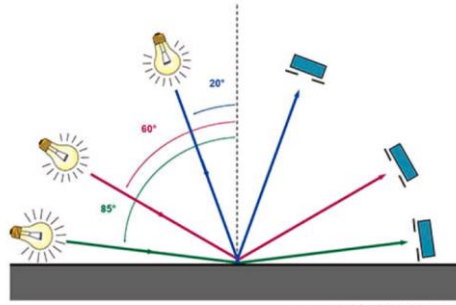
$$\text{Optical Density} = -\log_{10}\left(\frac{I_1}{I_0}\right) \Rightarrow OD = -\log_{10}(T) = \frac{-1}{(700-400)} \int_{400}^{700} \log_{10} \tau(\lambda) d\lambda$$



$$TL = 0,7\% \Rightarrow OD = 2,1$$

COLOR MEASUREMENT

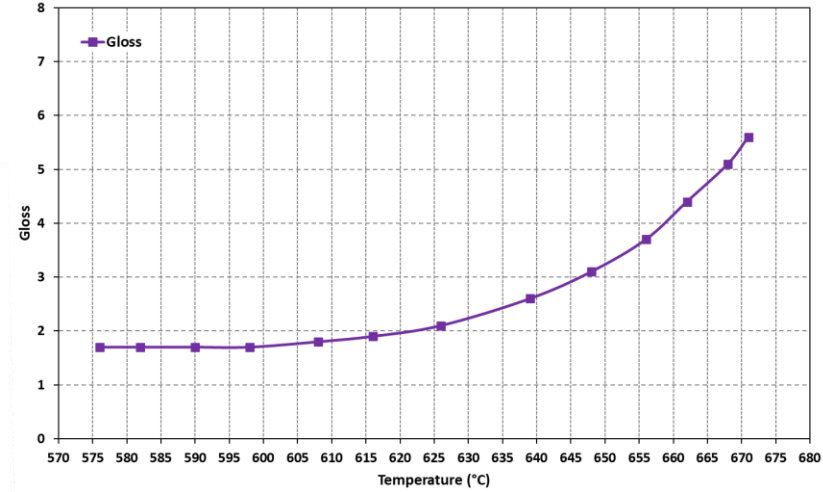
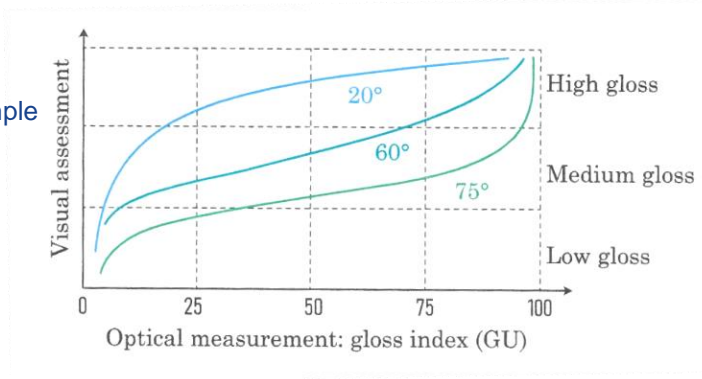
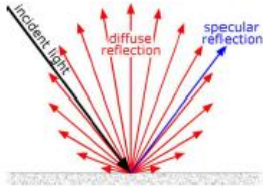
GLOSS



$$\text{Gloss} = 100 * \frac{F}{F_{Ref}}$$

F : Flux measured on the sample

F_{ref} : Flux measured on Reference specular reflector



Gloss is an optical properties which indicates how well a surface reflects light. Measurement are standardized at 20 , 60 or 85°

Gloss increases with enamel sintering
Gloss decreases with enamel crystallization

Ref: Optical Models for Material Appearance, M Hebert, Insitut d'Optique Graduate School Textbook

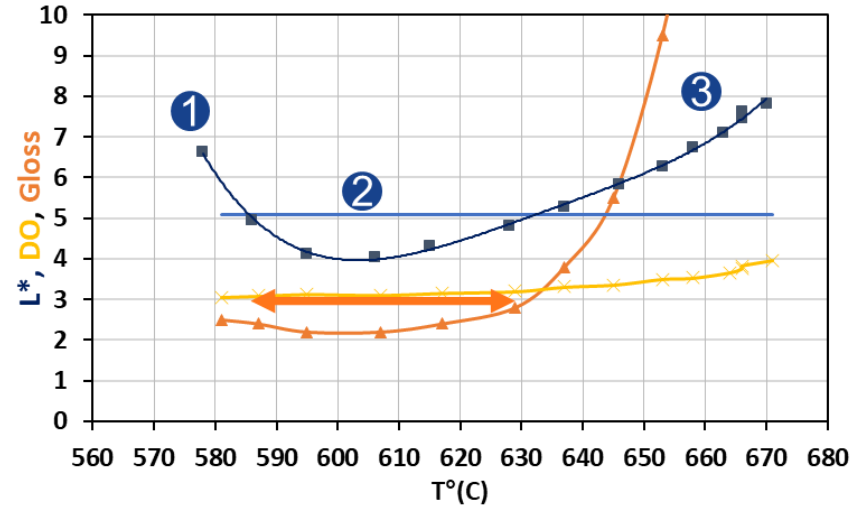
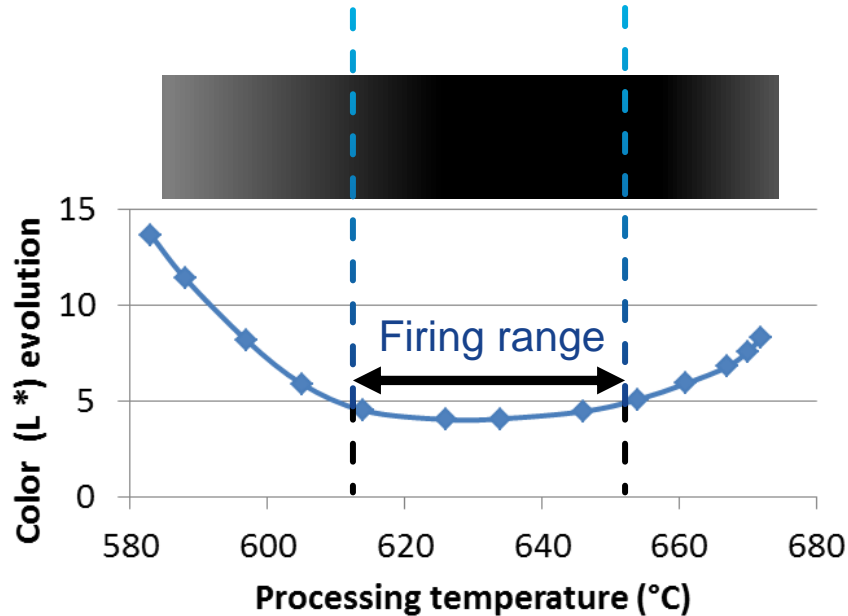
COLOR MEASUREMENT

COLOR AND ENAMEL PROCESSION AND APPLICATION

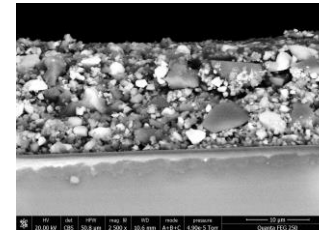


Color defines the firing range

Color ($L^*_{min} < L^* < L^*_{min} + 1$) \Rightarrow Firing range (T1, T2)



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Dried State – Underfired
enamel

Porous, heterogeneous

Low optical density

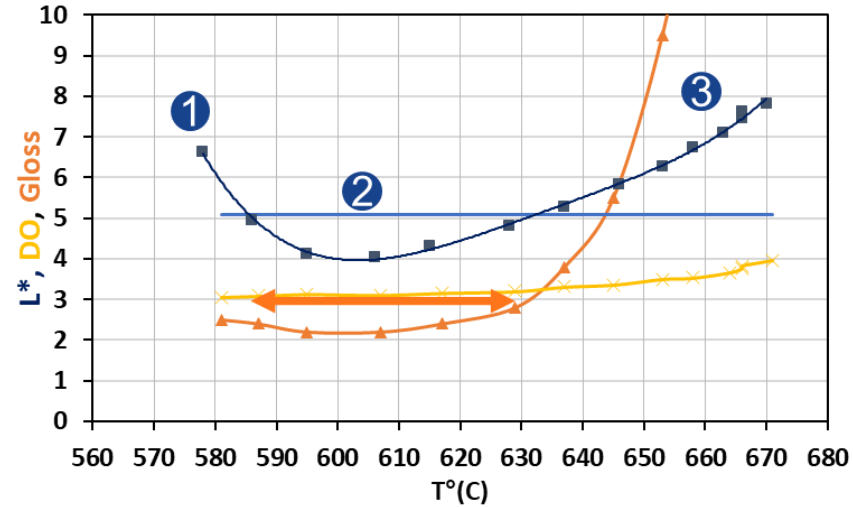
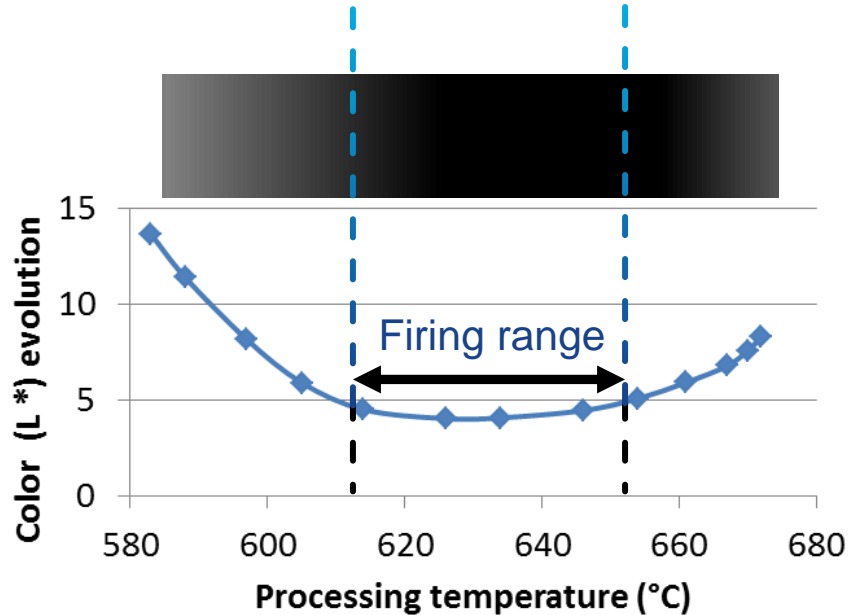
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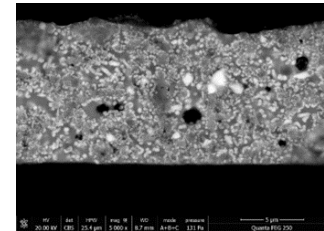


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2



Continuous glassy phase

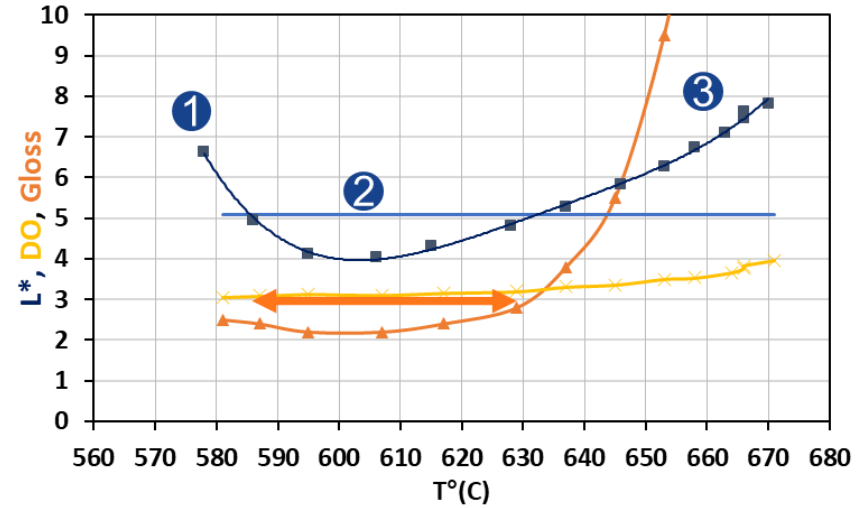
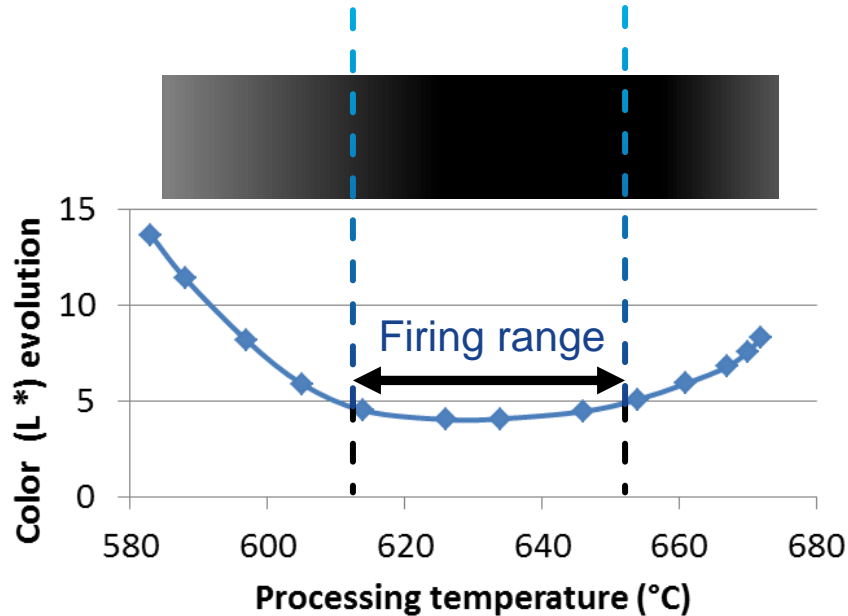
Pigments encapsulation

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- 3 Over-fired fired enamel :
 - Crystallization
 - Chemical interaction with glass substrate

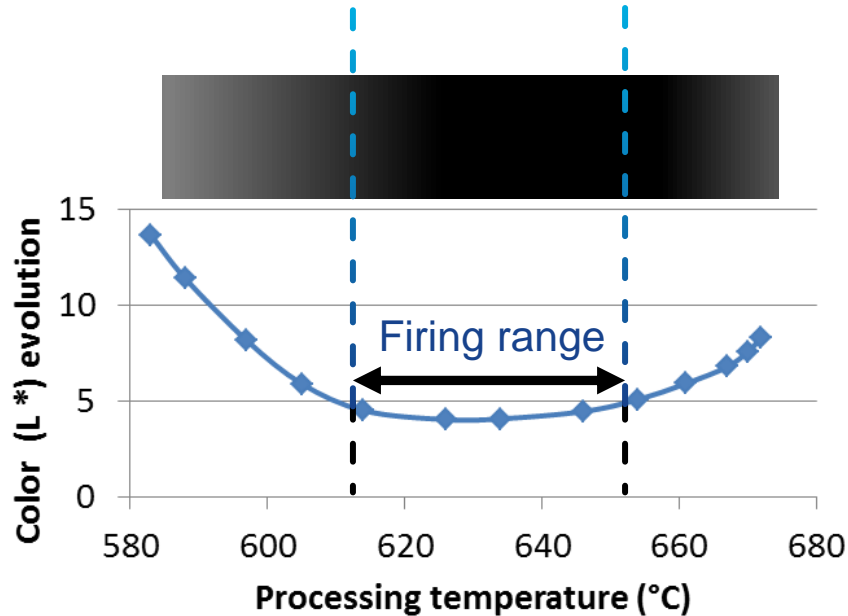
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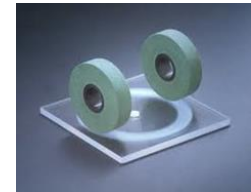
But also ageing resistance :

$(L^*_i, a^*_i, b^*_i) \Rightarrow (L^*_f, a^*_f, b^*_f)$

$$\Delta E = \sqrt{(L^*_i - L^*_f)^2 + (a^*_i - a^*_f)^2 + (b^*_i - b^*_f)^2}$$

Accepted range $\Delta E < 1$

Normalized
abrasion
Taber test



Acid
immersion
test



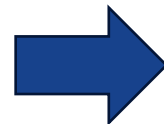
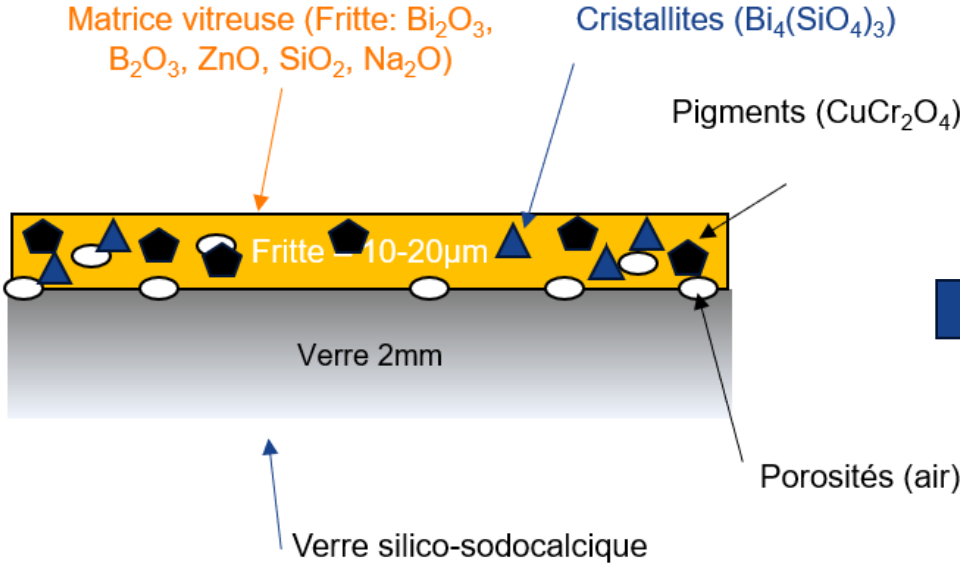
FROM MICROSTRUCTURE TO OPTICS

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FROM ENAMELED GLASS MICROSTRUCTURE TO OPTICS



HOW DOES THE MICROSTRUCTURE TUNE FINAL COLOR ?



Refractive index

$$n_{tot}(\lambda) = n(\lambda) + iK(\lambda)$$

$$n(\lambda) = A + \frac{B}{\lambda^2} \text{ (Cauchy)}$$

$$= A + B \lambda^2 + \frac{C}{\lambda^2} \text{ (Herzberger)}$$

Extinction index

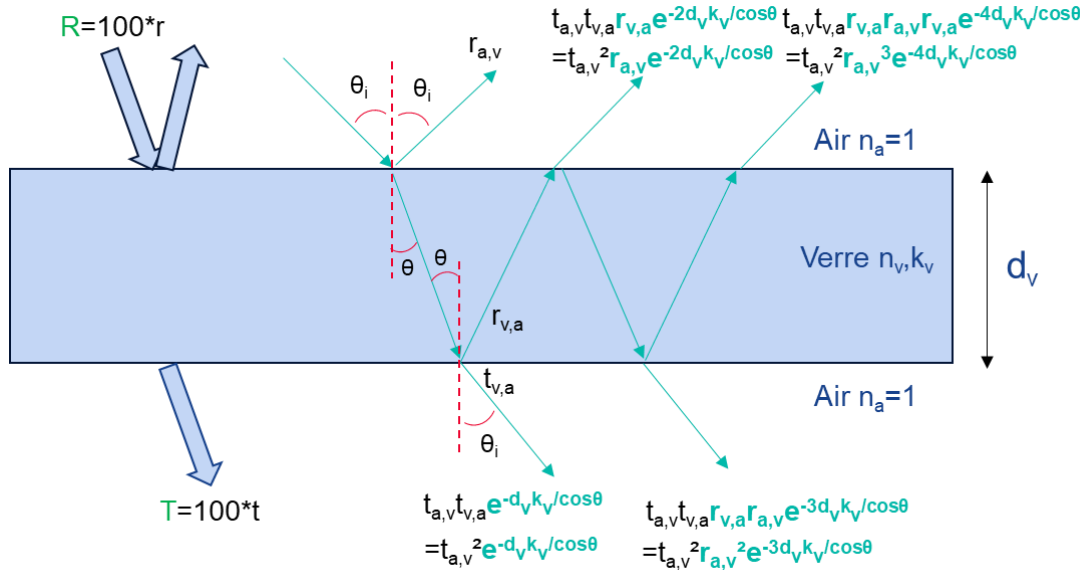
$$k(\lambda) [cm^{-1}] = \frac{4\pi K(\lambda)}{\lambda}$$

$$\frac{I}{I_0} = e^{-k(\lambda)*x}$$



FROM ENAMELED GLASS MICROSTRUCTURE TO OPTICS

OPTICAL DESCRIPTION OF CLEAR GLASS



$$r = r_{a,v} + t_{a,v}^2 \frac{r_{v,a} * e^{-2d_v k_v}}{1 - r_{v,a}^2 e^{-2d_v k_v}}$$

$$t = (1 - r_{a,v})^2 \frac{e^{-d_v k_v}}{1 - r_{v,a}^2 e^{-2d_v k_v}}$$

FROM ENAMELED GLASS MICROSTRUCTURE TO OPTICS



OPTICAL DESCRIPTION OF CLEAR GLASS

- Calcul de k_v par mesure en Transmission (Beer Lambert)

$$T = 100 * t = 100 * (1 - r_{a,v})^2 \frac{e^{-d_v k_v}}{1 - r_{a,v}^2 e^{-2d_v k_v}}$$

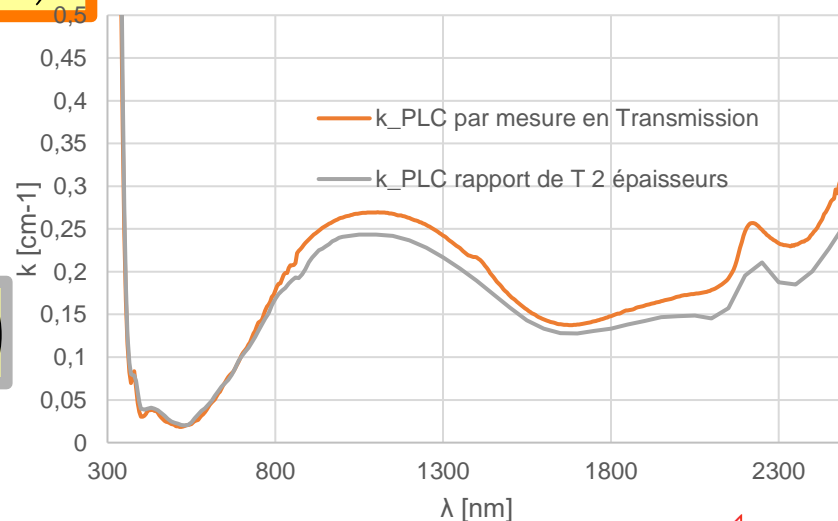
$$k_v [cm^{-1}] = -\frac{1}{d_v} \ln \left(\frac{-100^2(1 - r_{a,v})^2 + \sqrt{100^2(1 - r_{a,v})^4 + 4*(T)^2*(r_{a,v})^2}}{2*T*(r_{a,v})^2} \right)$$

$$\text{Avec : } r_{a,v} = \frac{R}{(200-R)} ; T$$

- Calcul de k_v par rapport de T à 2 épaisseurs différentes

$$k_v = \frac{1}{d_b - d_a} \ln \left(\frac{T_a}{T_b} \right)$$

$$\text{Avec : } r_{a,v}^2 e^{-2d_v k_v} \ll 1 \rightarrow T = 100 * t = 100 * (1 - r_{a,v})^2 e^{-d_v k_v}$$



FROM ENAMELED GLASS MICROSTRUCTURE TO OPTICS



OPTICAL DESCRIPTION OF CLEAR GLASS

Formule polynomiale (Herzberger) $n_v(\lambda) = A - \lambda^2 * B + \frac{C}{\lambda^2}$



-Calcul de $R_{\text{calculé}}$ - à partir de $n_v(\lambda)$ et $k_v(\lambda)$:

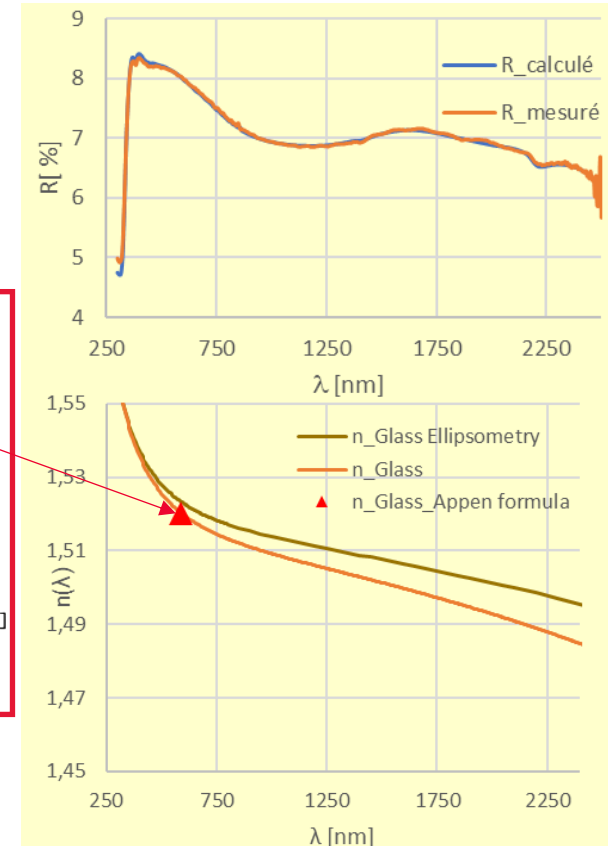
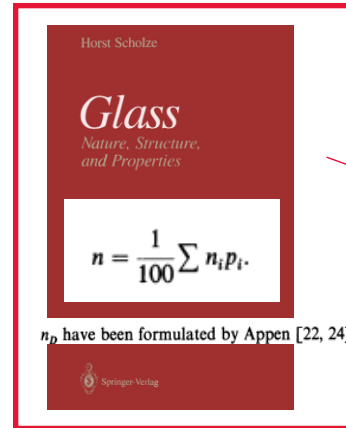
Relation de Fresnel à l'interface Air-verre

$$r_{a,v} = \frac{(1 - n_v)^2}{(1 + n_v)^2}$$



$$r = r_{a,v} + t_{a,v}^2 \frac{r_{a,v} * e^{-2d_v k_v}}{1 - r_{a,v}^2 e^{-2d_v k_v}}$$

$$R_{\text{calculé}} = 100 * r$$



-Minimisation de l'écart $R_{\text{calculé}} - R_{\text{mesuré}}$

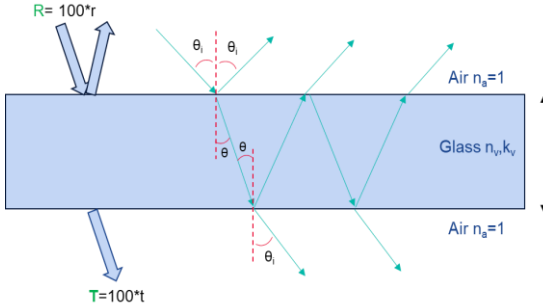
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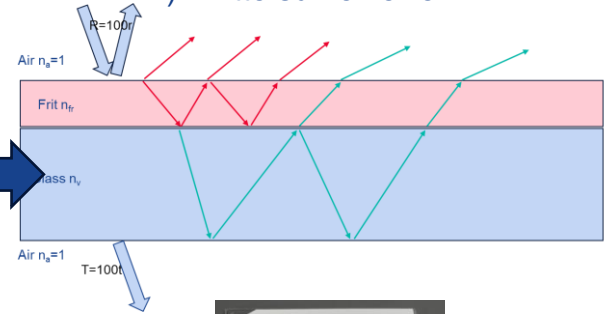
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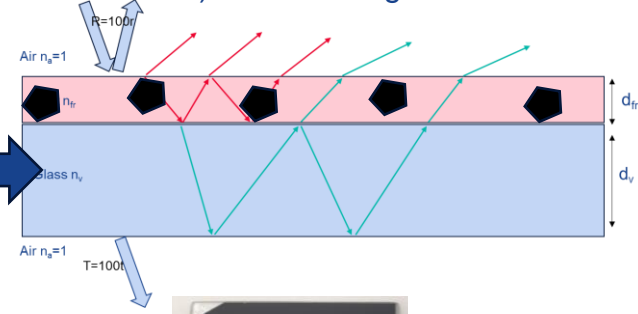
1) Echantillon de verre nu



2) Fritte sur le verre



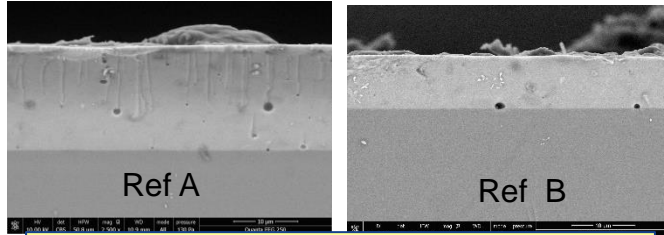
3) Fritte + Pigment



Verre nu

Verre + Fritte

Verre +
Fritte +
Pigment



Microstructure dense, homogène et épaisseur contrôlée après cuisson du verre

Application aux frites et pigments

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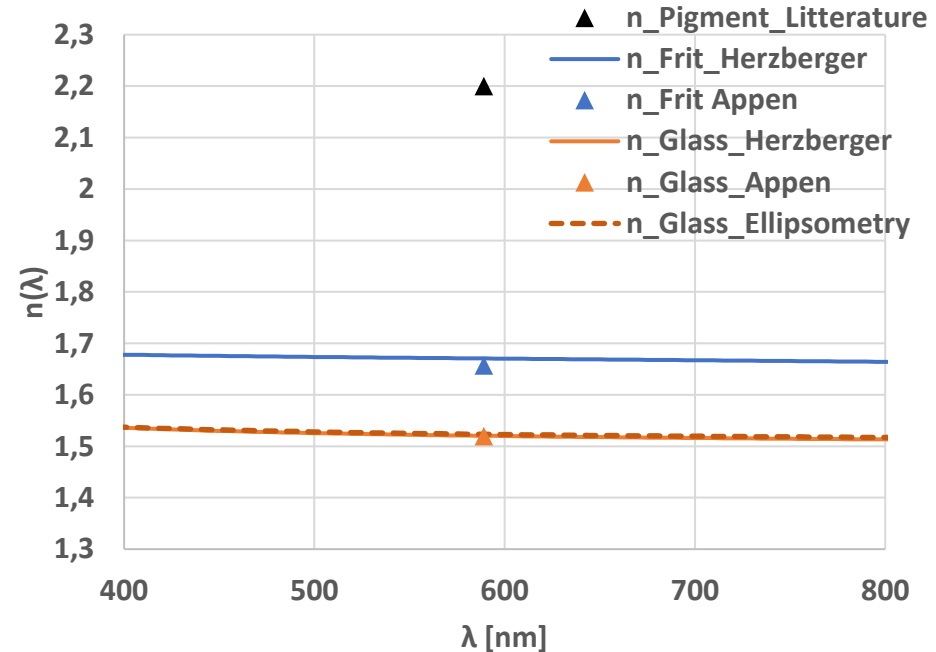
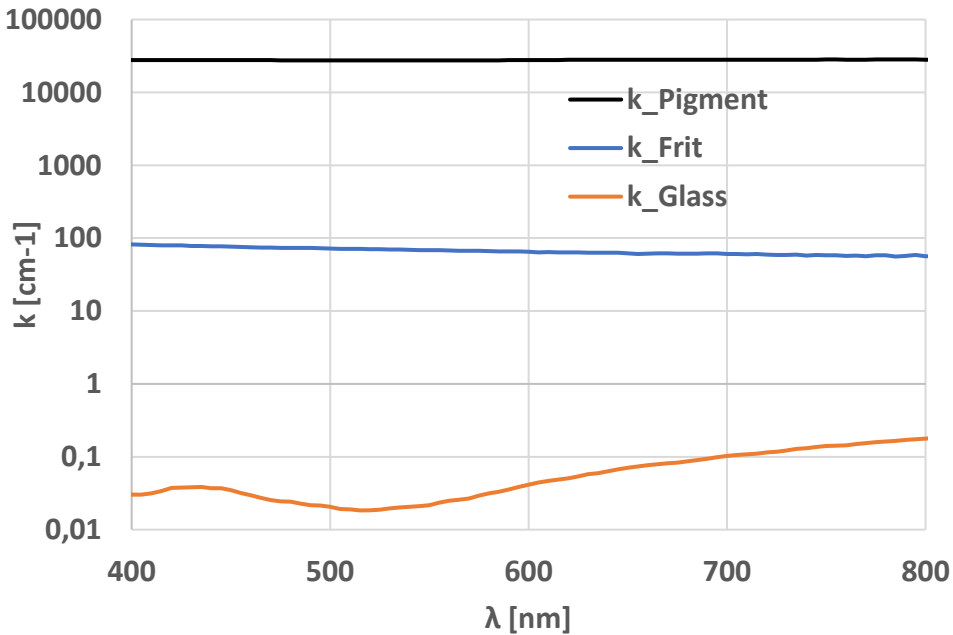
- Ratio Beer-Lambert de 2 mesures de transmission à 2 épaisseurs différentes

- Méthode d'Appen
- Méthode d'Herzberger

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OPTICAL DESCRIPTION OF CLEAR GLASS



Détermination de n , $k = f(\lambda)$ pour chaque composant de l'émail :
=> Contribution principale des pigments ✓



CONCLUSION

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- Enamel Color and absorption are mainly driven by the pigment material
- => Highly absorbing pigments embedded in glassy matrix
- => Room for independent formulation of the frit material achieving functional requirements

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