Methods, IAAC, Krossing

Model:

Rheometry

Unit and Room: Responsible:

Brookfield (RVDV–III UCP) -Programmable Rotation Viscosimeter Inorg. Chemistry, cellar, R.-144 Petra Klose, 203 6151

Viscosity-measurements

Responsible: Further information:

spindle at given speed.

Short Description:

Programmable Rotation Viscosimeter having a temperature-measurement unit connected directly with the sample-chamber.

Determination of the viscosity (necessary amount of a sample: 0.6 ml) by measuring of the force which is to perform to rotate the

Available Experiments/Techniques:

Temperature—dependent viscosity measurements in an atmosphere of dry air. Mesuring of the viscosity in dependence on the speed/torque (realization of several experiments via programming is possible).

Picture of the Equipment



Special Equipment:

Viscosity measurements in an atmosphere of dry air in a specifically home—built glove box (relative moisture content in air bellow 0.1%)

Temperature–dependent measurements - connection with a cryostat for the tempering of the samples (accuracy about \pm 0.1°C)

Determination of the temperature in the samples using a temperature-measurement unit which is connected with the sample-chamber.

Measurements on the equipment are currently	☐Students
done by:	☐Students after Introduction
	☐Students after extensive training
	personal
Recent Publications, where this instrument	Krossing et al., 2010, to be submitted to
was	Chem. Eur. J.
important (optional): Give citation	
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instrument:	which are oxygen and/or water sensitive.
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