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A Study of the Effects of the Aging Factor on the Efficiency of the Fatigue Performance for Polymer Matrix Composites

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## **ABSTRACT**

In this research a study of the effect of aging factor on behavior of binding fatigue of resin (Dia Ethylene Bisphenol Epoxy-A) which is reinforced by adding volume ratio (33.3%) of (SiO2) powder and (44.4%) of (Al) powder, those samples were kept under open conservation condition for different time periods (2,4,6) years. Fatigue test was conducted for unreinforcement and reinforcement samples. The results have shown that there are an improvement in fatigue life in reinforcement matrix and this improvement depend on the nature of reinforcement material. and the results have shown that the efficiency of fatigue life for unreinforcement and reinforcement matrix is decreased with increasing age of aging and the matrix which is reinforced by (SiO2) powder be less sensitive from matrix which is reinforced by (Al) powder and both are less sensitive from unreinforcement matrix. Finally, the results show that the damage to the material is the type of quantitative damage and that is likely to be the matrix is responsible of such damage.

**Keywords:** (DEBE-A) composite, bending Fatigue, Aging composite.

.(Creep)

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(Visco-elastics)
                                               (Deformed Form)
                                              (Elastic)
                                                                               (Zhi et al., 2012)
                                                                             (PMCs)
                                           (Hongyu et al., 2016) .
      .(Mohammed and Salaration, 2014 Moe, 2002) .
(PMCs)
Lifeng et al., 2018)
                                                                       .(Stepashkin et al., 2018
                                  .(Chee et al., 2013) .
  (Tension)
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                                        .(Shear)
                                                       (Compression)
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(Impact)
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                                                                                   (Torsion)
                                                                   .(Fatigue)
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(PMCs)

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Matrix Material : -1

Resin :Dia Ethylene Bisphenol Epoxy-A(DEBE-A)

Hardener: Dia Tetrawen (DT)

: .{3 R./ 1 H.}

Flash Point > 81 C °

Viscosity: 1200 – 1800 Cp Specific Density: 1.05

Epichlorohydrin

Bisphenol A
(A = Acetone)

Epichlorohydrin

(Composit-Expo, 2014) :1

Reinforcement Material : -2

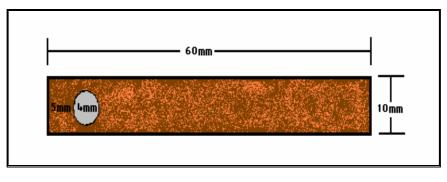
(30 $\mu$ ) (Al) (SiO2) (44.4 %  $\rightarrow$ Al) (33.3 %  $\rightarrow$ SiO2) (Filler) .(2010 ) . (95%)

Samples Preparation :

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(60×10×3) mm



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(2,4,6) T: (15-35) C°

Bending Fatigue Test

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. (0,2,4,6) (HsM20) (Rotating Fatigue Machine HsM19)

(HI-Tech)



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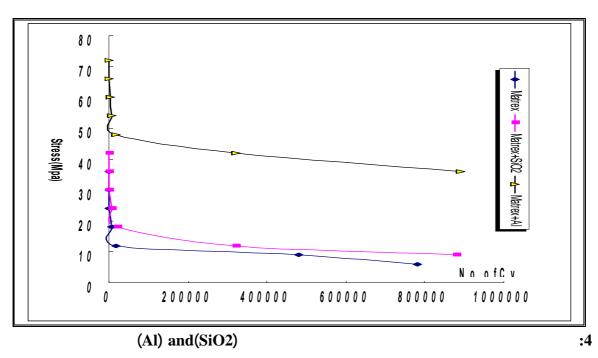
(S-N Curves) (4) (30μm) (Al) and (SiO2)

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(Fatigue Limit)

.(Popescu, 2007) (Fatigue Life, Nf)

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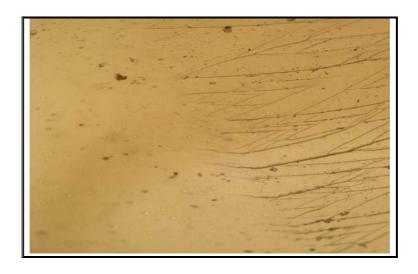
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(Yunsheng et al., 2001).

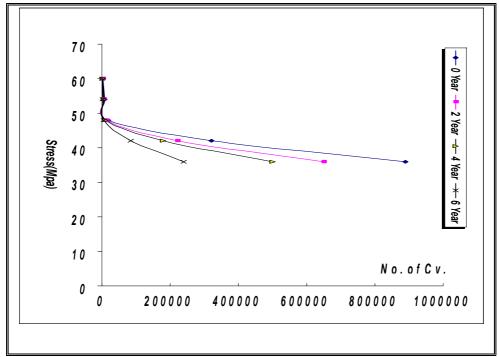
.( Yingjie *et al.*, 2015 World Industrial Reporter, 2014 Andrzej *et al.*, 2018) (Cross linking)

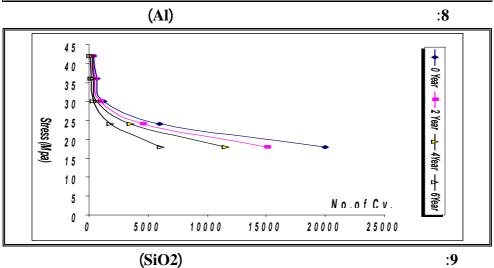
.(Haleem et al., 2014)



(x 150) :5

(Al) (4) (SiO2) (SiO2) (Al) (PMCs) Yun et al., 2001)(PMCs) .(Eswar et al., 2009 (DEBE-A) (Al) (6) (SiO2) (SiO2) .(Andrzej et al., 2018; Daniel et al, 2014).(Al) (Al) (Al) :6 (x 150) (DEBFE-A) (Al) (9),(8),(7) .(SiO2) 40 ► 0 Year --- 2 Year --<u>-</u>- 4 Year --- 6 year 35 30 2 5 20 15 10 5 N 0 . o f C v 0 0 500010000 15000 20000 :7





(Cyclic Stress)

(Tension and Compression)
(Steain-Stress)

(Elastic Deformation)

(Yield Point)

(Plastic Deformation)

(Quantitative Damage)

(Qualitative Damage)

.(Yun et al., 2015; Jalal et al., 2015).

(Time-dependent Correlation)

.(Ductility) (Flexibility)

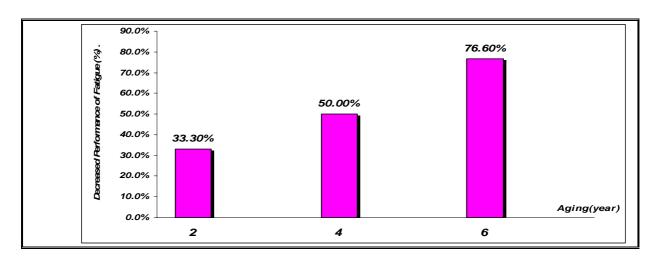
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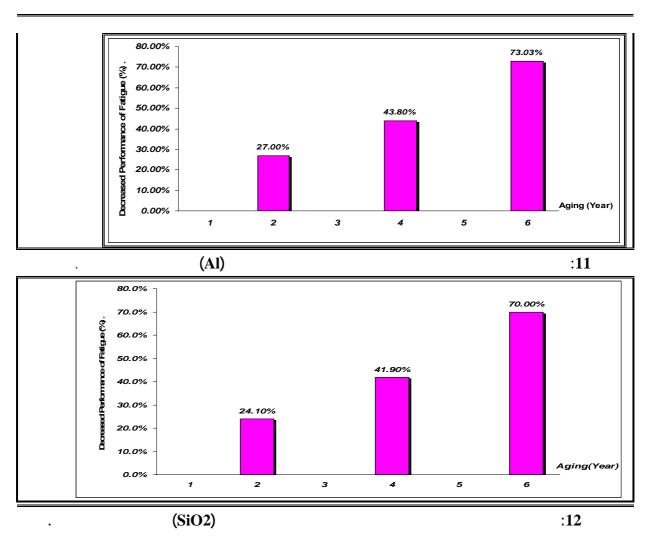
(12) (11) (10)

(Cross Linking)

.(Eswar et al., 2009; Paul et al., 2005; Bleay et al., 2001)



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(Al) (SiO2)

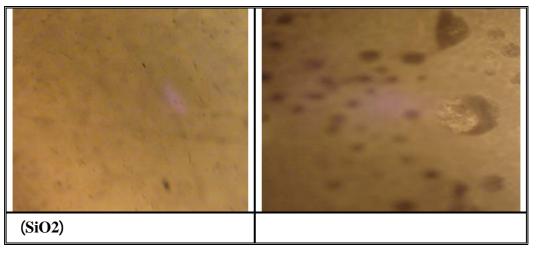
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(Viscosity)

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(Porosity)

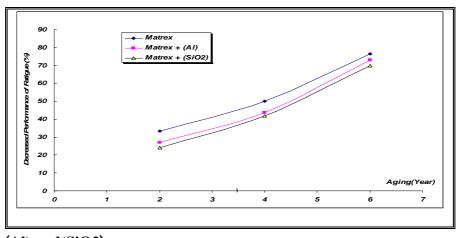
.(Middleton et al., 2015; Pingkarawat et al., 2015; Thabang et al., 2015; Orsolya et al., 2014)



(SiO2) :13 (X 150) (DEBFE-A)

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. (Yinghui et al., 2016 Minoo et al., 2016 Fiore et al., 2016 Lei et al., 2015) .



(Al) and(SiO2) :14

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(SiO2) and (Al)

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(SiO2) (Al)

(SiO2) and (Al)

.(2010)

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