

THE USE OF BF-2 GLUE FOR VARNISHING SMOKED PAPER KYMOGRAMS

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Kymograms varnished with an alcoholic solution of white resin very easily stick together when stored, become brittle and easily spoiled. Lowering the concentration of resin in the varnish reduces the stickiness, but greatly detracts from the quality of the varnishing.

We have had good results from the use of a 10% alcoholic solution of BF-2 glue (300 ml of alcohol to one tube of glue) for varnishing smoked paper kymograms. When rubbed with cotton wool, the varnished kymograms acquire a velvet sheen and remain in good condition during storage.