

# Dispex® Ultra FA 4480

## General

- Low molecular weight wetting and dispersing agent with excellent pigment wetting properties
- Especially suitable for coatings and aqueous pigment pastes

**Chemical nature** 

Solution of modified fatty alcohol polyglycolether in water

# **Properties**

**Physical form** 

Viscous liquid

Technical data (not supply specification)

pH value	DIN EN 1262 (10 %(m) Potassium chloride solution 0,03 %))	6.0 – 7.5
Solvent		Water
Cloud point	DIN EN 1890	61.0 – 65.0 °C
Water content	(Karl Fischer) DIN EN 13267	19.0 – 21.0 %

# **Application**

Dispex® Ultra FA 4480 shows excellent wetting and dispersing properties in aqueous, binder and solvent-free pigment pastes. It provides outstanding flow properties even at high pigment load.

Dispex® Ultra FA 4480 improves pigment wetting and therefore also increases gloss and color intensity of the paint, especially in combination with organic pigments.

Dispex® Ultra FA 4480 shows excellent results in water-based alkyds, polyester resins and also in aqueous polyurethane emulsions

# Recommended concentrations

The dosage used in pigment pastes strongly depends on the actual pigments. Typical addition levels for pigment pastes, calculated on the weight of pigment are as follows:

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mbox{Inorganic pigments} & 1-5 \ \% \\ \mbox{Organic pigments} & 10-30 \ \% \\ \mbox{Carbon black} & \mbox{up to 50 \%} \end{array}$ 

# **Storage**

Dispex® Ultra FA 4480 should be stored in tightly closed containers and in a cool place. The packed product is not damaged by low temperatures or by frost.

If stored below 10°C precipitation or gelatini-zation of the product is possible. This process is reversible.

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### Validity

This Technical Data Sheet is valid for all versions of the Dispex® Ultra FA 4480.

### Safety

When handling this product, please comply with the advice and information given in the safety data sheet and observe protective and workplace hygiene measures adequate for handling chemicals.

### Note

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