

# **AQUACER 517**

HDPE-based wax emulsion for aqueous leather coatings to improve gloss and surface protection.

## **Product Data**

#### Composition

Non-ionic aqueous emulsion of an oxidized HD polyethylene wax

## **Typical Properties**

The values indicated in this data sheet describe typical properties and do not constitute specification limits.

Non-volatile matter (60 min., 125 °C): 35 % Carrier: Water Melting point (wax content): 120 °C pH value (20 °C): 9

#### **Food Contact Legal Status**

For the current food contact legal status, please contact our product safety department or visit www.byk.com for further information.

## **Storage and Transportation**

Temperature sensitive. To be stored and transported between 5 °C and 35 °C. Mix well before use.

# **Applications**

## **Leather Coatings**

## **Special Features and Benefits**

The additive improves scratch resistance, gloss, and the pull-up effect in aqueous leather coatings.

## **Recommended Levels**

1-6 % additive (as supplied) based on the total formulation.

The above recommended levels can be used for orientation. Optimal levels are determined through a series of laboratory tests.

## **Incorporation and Processing Instructions**

The additive should preferably be post-added at a low shear rate. Mix well before use.

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