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AQUACER 595

Emulsion based on a modified polypropylene wax for improving the surface properties of aqueous care products. Strong anti-slip effect and good dirt repulsion. In aqueous leather finishes it produces an anti-slip and anti-tack effect.

Product Data

Composition

Non-ionic emulsion of a modified polypropylene wax

Typical Properties

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

Non-volatile matter (130 °C): 40 % Carrier: Water Melting point (wax content): 284 °F Viscosity (68 °F):

< 400 mPa·s

pH value: 8.5

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 / 41 °F and 35 °C / 95 °F. Stir before use.

Applications

Care Products and Polishes

Special Features and Benefits

AQUACER 595 improves the buffability, increases filling capacity and produces a strong anti-slip effect. The above-mentioned properties are generated by mixing AQUACER 595 with polymers in a ratio of 3:1 (solid wax to solid polymer). A mixing ratio of 1:6 increases the water- and alcohol-resistance, the protection against heel marks (= foot traffic resistance), and the dirt-repellent action. AQUACER 595 is compatible with all known polymer dispersions and plasticizers.

Recommended Use

AQUACER 595 is recommended for aqueous self-shine emulsions.

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Recommended Levels

2.5-7 % additive (as supplied) based upon 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 wax additive is preferably added under agitation after mixing the polymers with the plasticizers and water, but before incorporating surface-active substances.

Leather Finishes

Special Features and Benefits

In aqueous leather finishes the additive produces an anti-slip and anti-tack effect.

Recommended Levels

2.5-7 % additive (as supplied) based upon 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 can be added at any time during the production process under agitation.