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# **CERAFLOUR 988**

Micronized, amide-modified polyethylene wax for solvent-borne and solvent-free coating systems to improve the surface properties.

# **Product Data**

#### Composition

Micronized, amide-modified polyethylene wax

# **Typical Properties**

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

Density: 8.10 lbs/US gal

Melting point: 284 °F

Particle size distribution (laser diffraction, volume distribution): D50: 6 µm D90: 13 µm

Supplied as: Micropowder

## **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 at a temperature below 122 °F.

# **Applications**

# **Coatings Industry**

## **Special Features and Benefits**

CERAFLOUR 988 is a micronized wax with outstanding dispersibility in solvent-borne and radiation-curable systems. The product can be incorporated under extremely low shear forces. The additive improves the scratch resistance and abrasion resistance and has a matting effect.

#### **Recommended Use**

especially recommended recommended

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#### **Recommended Levels**

1-3 % 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 is preferably incorporated into the coating at the end of the production process with a low shear rate.







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