



# **BYK-W 995**

Wetting and dispersing additive for filled, unsaturated polyester systems and epoxy systems.

## **Product Data**

#### Composition

Solution of a copolymer with acidic groups

## **Typical Properties**

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

Acid value: 53 mg KOH/g Density (68 °F): 8.60 lbs/US gal

Refractive index (68 °F): 1.462 Water content: < 0.13 % Non-volatile matter (10 min., 302 °F): 52 % Flash point: 108 °F

## **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**

Separation and turbidity possible. Mix well before use. Warm to 30-40 °C (86-104 °F) and mix well.

## **Applications**

## SMC, BMC, pultrusion

## **Special Features and Benefits**

Wetting and dispersing additive for LP/LS and highly filled epoxy formulations. Also suitable for viscosity stabilization in BMC.

#### **Recommended Use**

| LP and Class A formulations |  |
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| LS formulations             |  |
| Epoxy systems               |  |
| Pultrusion                  |  |
| Viscosity stabilization BMC |  |

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#### **Recommended Levels**

1-2 % additive (as supplied) based on the fillers for wetting and dispersing.

0.5-2 % additive (as supplied) based on the resin for viscosity stabilization in BMC.

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

## **Incorporation and Processing Instructions**

BYK-W 995 should be added to the resin mixture prior to homogenization and the addition of the fillers/pigments.







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