

Hydropalat® WE 3120

general

low-foaming wetting agent for the printing inks and adhesives industry

- low-foaming wetting agent for emulsion paints and fountain solutions
- very good alkali and acid stability
- good water solubility

chemical nature

fatty alcohol alkoxyate

Properties

physical form

colorless liquid

storage

It is recommended to store Hydropalat® WE 3120 at room temperature and to protect the product against heat and frost.

typical properties (no supply specification)

density at 20 °C (68 °F)	~ 0.956 g/cm ³
pH value (1%)	~ 7
cloud point	~ 29.5 °C

Application

Hydropalat® WE 3120 is a low-foaming wetting agent and is recommended to be used in the formulation of aqueous paints and printing inks.

Hydropalat® WE 3120 can also act as a good antifoam agent in numerous applications.

recommended concentrations

0.5 - 5% on total formulation

Due to the numerous fields of applications, the optimal dosage of Hydropalat® WE 3120 can vary. Exact levels should be determined by the appropriate testing.

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Validity

This Technical Data Sheet is valid for all versions of the Hydropalat WE 3120.

Safety

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

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