Technical Information

FoamStar® ED 2521

(old: Dehydran® SE 1)



general

universal polymer emulsion defoamer

FoamStar® ED 2521 is an excellent defoamer for all flat to semi-gloss aqueous coatings:

- excellent foam suppression during grinding as well as application
- retains antifoam efficiency during extended storage of paint
- easy to incorporate without requiring strong shear forces
- no loss of gloss, no fogging

The eco-friendly polymer technology makes FoamStar® ED 2521 VOC-free according to EU Directive 2002/42/EC and EPA Method 24 (USA) and best in class with an ultra-low semi-volatile organic compound content.

chemical nature

polymer emulsion

Properties

physical form white liquid

shelf lifeWhen stored under the usual appropriate storage conditions, the product

can be stored for 6 months.

typical properties solids content ~ 16% (no supply specification) density at 20 °C (68 °F) ~ 1.00

density at 20 °C (68 °F) ~ 1.00 g/cm³ Brookfield viscosity at 23 °C (73 °F) ~ 2,300 mPa.s

Application

FoamStar[®] ED 2521 suitable for manufacturing of all kinds of water-based architectural paints. It is especially recommended for high-PVC systems based on styrene-acrylic, vinyl/VeoVa^{™1} and vinyl-acrylic emulsions.

recommended concentrations

The amount of defoamer used is usually 0.2 - 0.6% calculated on the total formulation.

FoamStar® ED 2521 is best added during grinding in order to achieve perfect incorporation of the defoamer into the system.

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