

BYK-1781

Silicone-containing defoamer for aqueous systems to remove microfoam generated during application.

Product Data

Composition

Polyether-modified polydimethylsiloxane with hydrophobic particles

Solvent-free

Typical Properties

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

Active substance: 100 %
Density (20 °C): 1.00 g/ml
Flash point: approx. 149 °C

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.

Applications

Coatings Industry

Special Features and Benefits

BYK-1781 is highly effective in aqueous systems, especially in systems with airless or airmix application. It offers the coating outstanding protection against microfoam and does not impact the transparency or the gloss in high-gloss systems. BYK-1781 can be used in both pigmented systems and clear coats. The additive is solvent-free. Even in aqueous UV systems, BYK-1781 has an excellent defoaming effect.

Recommended Use

Architectural coatings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Wood and furniture coatings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Protective coatings	<input type="checkbox"/>
Industrial coatings	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Recommended Levels

0.3-1 % additive (as supplied) based upon 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

Sufficiently high shear forces must be applied during incorporation to ensure a good distribution of the defoamer and to prevent cratering.



Additive Guide



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