

Product Data Sheet ADD-2021

GENERAL

Silicone-free defoamer with levelling properties for various solvent-based resin systems. **ADD-2021** functions well during the application of paints and lacquers, and also prevents the entrapment of air during processing steps such as stirring and pumping.

ADD-2021 can be used in coatings and printing inks.

SPECIFICATIONS

Composition Solvent(s) Specific gravity @ 20°C Flashpoint Appearance

- : Solution of defoaming substances
- : Xylene
- : Ca. 0.86 g/cm3
- :25°C
- : Clear, slightly yellowish liquid

APPLICATIONS AND USAGE

Coatings:

ADD-2021 is particularly suited for solvent-based coatings if foam formation is an issue when applied by spraying or curtain coating.

ADD-2021 is recommended in the following resin systems:

- Polyurethane coatings
- Acid-curable coatings
- Air drying and stoving alkyd paints

In addition **ADD-2021** helps to prevent surface irregularities and defects due to its levelling properties.

Suggested application fields include machinery paints, industrial and transportation coatings. **ADD-2021** should be added at the end of the manufacture of the batch.

0.5-2.0% on total formulation weight

Printing Inks:

ADD-2021 reduces the accumulation of foam in the ink pan or reservoir during the printing process. It improves levelling and reduces surface irregularities.

ADD-2021 may be used in screen, gravure and flexographic printing. It is also suitable for UV curable formulations.

ADD-2021 should be added at the end of the manufacture of the batch. Care should be taken to ensure uniform distribution.

0.5-2.0% on total formulation weight

STORAGE, SAFETY & HANDLING

ADD-2021 should be stored in a cool dry place. When kept in an original unopened container, it will keep up to 5 years from the date of manufacture. **ADD-2021** should be handled in accordance with good industrial practice. Detailed information can be found in the Safety Data Sheet.

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The technical information and specifications contained in this data sheet are based on careful investigations and given to the best of our knowledge. Nevertheless circumstances under which the product is used in practice are subject to many variations.