

Product Data Sheet ADD-2022

GENERAL

Silicone-based defoamer for solvent-based and solvent-free coating systems to prevent foam and bubble formation during paint production, filling and application. **ADD-2022** can be used in coatings and printing inks.

SPECIFICATIONS

- Composition Solvent(s) Specific gravity @ 20°C Flashpoint Appearance
- : Solution of defoaming substances containing silicone
- : MPA/xylene/ethylacetate/butylacetate
- : Ca. 0.89 g/cm³
- :19°C
- : Clear, colorless liquid

APPLICATIONS AND USAGE

Coatings:

ADD-2022 prevents the formation of foam and blisters during the manufacturing and application of solvent-based and solvent-free coatings.

It is particularly suited for curtain coating and recommended in the following resin systems:

- Two-pack systems based on polyurethane and epoxy resins. It is especially suited for polyurethane-based curtain coating finishes
- Stoving enamels based on alkyd resins or saturated polyesters
- Air drying industrial coatings based on medium-oil alkyd resins
- Thermoplastic acrylics

Suggested application fields include machinery paints, radiator paints, industrial and transportation coatings, and wood finishes.

ADD-2022 can be incorporated prior to processing. If it is added subsequently, good distribution must be insured. **0.2-1.0%** on total formulation weight

Printing Inks:

ADD-2022 prevents the entrapment of air during processing steps such as dispersion & pumping. It reduces the accumulation of foam in the ink pan or reservoir during the printing process.

ADD-2022 has been developed for solvent-based formulations. It can be used in solvent-based pigment bases and printing inks and is particularly effective in nitrocellulose-based systems (gravure and flexographic printing inks). **ADD-2022** can be added in the premix stage prior to dispersion. If added post manufacture or press-side, care should be taken to ensure uniform distribution.

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STORAGE, SAFETY & HANDLING

ADD-2022 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-2022** 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.