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# **CERAMAT 248**

Wax dispersion based on a polyethylene wax for solvent-borne leather coatings to improve the surface characteristics.

## **Product Data**

**Composition** Highly concentrated dispersion of a polyethylene wax Aromatic-free

#### **Typical Properties**

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

Non-volatile matter (1 h, 257 °F): 20 %Carrier:Aromatic-free white spiritMelting point (wax content):230 °FParticle size (Hegman):20 µmViscosity (73 °F, D=800/s):90 mPa·s

#### Food Contact Legal Status

The additive is suitable for applications that come into contact with food. For the current food contact legal status, please contact our product safety department or visit www.byk.com for further information.

#### **Storage and Transportation**

Temperature sensitive. To be stored and transported at a temperature below 35 °C (95 °F). Mix well before use.

### **Applications**

#### **Coatings Industry**

#### **Special Features and Benefits**

The additive improves the scratch resistance. In leather coatings it also improves anti-blocking, matting, and the soft-feel effect.

#### **Recommended Use**

Leather coatings	
Architectural coatings	

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#### **Recommended Levels**

2-7% additive (as supplied) based on 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**

The additive should preferably be post-added to the coating using a low shear rate. Mix well before use.





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