Suspending and Stabilizing Agent

Product Bulletin

EMUL 34(U)

INCI Name

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Description

EMUL 34(U) is an excellent rheology modifier, alkali-swellable anionic acrylic polymer emulsion, lightly crosslinked. It's easy to handle due to water-soluble and low-viscosity.

Specification

	Value
	Milky emulsion
	2.1-3.8
mPa⋅s)	4000-8000
	35.0±1.0
	mPa·s)

These values indicate typical specification, they are not intended to be used as product specifications.

Properties

- Non associating rheology modifier
- Excellent at suspending silicone, zinc pyrithione, powder and other insoluble ingredient in shampoo.
- Provide stabilizing, thickening and co-emulsifying functions.
- Applicable for transparent system.

Applications

- Pearly shampoo, pearly body wash and other cleansers
- Conditioning products with big particle size or high molecular weight ingredients such as: conditioning shampoo, anti-dandruff shampoo, Moisturizing body wash



- Foundation cream / lotion
- Sunscreen cream / lotion
- Formula with Alcohol, Glycol, Isopropanol, Propylene Glycol and Glycerol
- Hair dye

Formula Guidelines

The minimum recommended use level of EMUL 34(U) polymer in surfactant-based products is 5.0% as supplied. The polymer use level depends on the amount of surfactant and assumes use of salt for additional thickening. For clear formulations containing no salt and low surfactant actives, typical polymer use levels are 8-10% as supplied.

In most situations, EMUL 34(U) polymer can be added to the free water of a formulation with gentle mixing at the start of the batching process. At this point, the pH will be about 3, resulting in very low viscosity. Upon addition of a base, the polymer will be neutralized, resulting in immediate increase in suspending properties and viscosity.

Storage & Handling

Standard Packing: 200kg/drum

Storage: Keep in cool, Dry, Ventilated and Lightless Place.

Shelf life: 24 months

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