# Carbomer

**Product Bulletin** 

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#### **TC-CARBOMER FD10**

#### **INCI NAME**

**CARBOMER** 

## **Description**

TC-CARBOMER FD10 is a crosslinked polyacrylate polymer with moisture absorption ability, acting as high-efficient & low-dosage thickener and suspending agent. It has various rheological properties. It is an easy to disperse polymer that offers a wide range of performance properties and can be used in a variety of personal care applications.

## **Specification**

Parameter		Value
Appearance		Fluffy, White Powder
Wetting Time		≤8
(0.5% Dispersion, 25 $^{\circ}$ C, minutes)		
Viscosity (mPa • s)		
(20 rpm at 25°C,0.5%mucilage* at		45000-65000
pH7.3-7.8)		
Solution Clarity		
(%Transmission, neutralized solution 420		≥88
nm light, 0.5% mucilage* at pH7.3-7.8)		
Residual solvent (%)		≤0.45
Ethyl Acetate + Cyclohexane		
Residual acrylic acid (%)		≤0.25
Loss on drying (%)		≤2.0
Heavy Metals	Pb+As+Hg+Sb (ppm)	≤10

<sup>\*</sup>A mucilage is defined as an active acidic polymer dispersion in water neutralized with a base, preferably NaOH, to a specified pH.

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

# **Properties**

Rapid wetting and swelling properties

High-efficient thickening, suspending and stabilizing
ability at low dosage

High clarity

Superior skin feel

# **Applications**

Hair styling gels
Hand and body lotions, baby lotions
Hand sanitizers
Moisturizing gels
Sunscreen lotions

#### **Formula Guidelines**

Typically used at a level of 0.2-1.5%.

#### **Cautions**

Following operations should be avoided, otherwise result in loss of viscosity:

Constant stir or high-speed shear after neutralization UV irradiation

### Storage & Handling

Standard Packing: 20kg/box

Storage: Keep in cool, dry, well-ventilated and

lightless place.

Shelf life: 24 months

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