

# AGITAN<sup>®</sup> A206E

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

### Defoamer for aqueous systems

<b>Composition:</b>	Blend of hydrophobic silica and mineral oil	
<b>Appearance:</b>	liquid	
<b>Colour:</b>	opaque off-white	
<b>Typical Properties:</b>	<b>Consistency:</b>	approx. 1,000 mPas/cps
	<b>Density at 20°C:</b>	approx. 7.40 lbs/gal
	<b>Emulsifiable:</b>	Moderate

*This information is intended as a guideline only and should not be used to issue specifications. Slight deviations do not affect application and capability of the product. For specifications please consult the Certificate of Analysis.*

**Properties/applications:** AGITAN A206E is an excellent cost effective defoamer for architectural coatings including traffic paint and trade sales. It provides excellent initial and long-term defoaming persistence in both the letdown and grind phases. It can be utilized in most types of emulsion polymers and industrial coatings, such as wood finishes.

**Main applications:**

- Acrylic/EVA/VA/Latex-based adhesives
- Architectural (trade sales) paints
- Letdown stage of coatings
- Industrial water-based coatings
- Wood coatings
- Traffic paint

**Recommended levels/use:** The properties and performance of a defoamer are greatly dependent upon the specific formulation in which it is utilized and, consequently, should always be tested (possibly at different treatment levels, temperatures, and/or time intervals) to verify performance prior to use. Normal dosage ranges from 0.1% to 1.0%, based on the weight of the formulation, is recommended.

**Storage/handling:** Always mix prior to use as the product tends to separate slightly. Mix product and retest for quality after one year from the date of manufacture. The minimum shelf life in closed containers is 12 months from the date of manufacture. Refer to Material Safety Data Sheet for additional handling information.

**Packaging:** Drums holding 400 lbs/ 181 kg net or 5 gallon pail holding 37 lbs/ 17 kg net.

Our technical suggestions are based on data from many experiments and cannot represent a warranty of any kind as to their performance in other formulations. Customers must always verify our product's performance in their own systems. This technical data sheet replaces all previous issues.

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