

EDAPLAN[®] 396

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Wetting agent and dispersant for aqueous coatings and pigment concentrates

Composition:	Solution of a high molecular weight copolymer with pigment affine groups in water, anionic	
Appearance:	liquid	
Colour:	amber	
Typical Properties:	Active ingredients:	approx. 35 %
	Consistency:	medium viscosity
	Density at 20°C:	approx. 1.06 g/cm ³
	Flash point:	> 100 °C
	pH (2% in dist. water):	approx. 8.2

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: EDAPLAN 396 is a VOC-free wetting agent and dispersant for laked azo pigments in aqueous media. EDAPLAN 396 is also recommended for organic pigments (e.g. phthalocyanine pigments) and nanoscale, transparent iron oxides and titanium dioxides as well as for carbon blacks. It is ideal for the manufacture of flood/float-free aqueous coatings systems (air dry and force dry, 2K-systems) as well as for the manufacture of aqueous resin-free pigment concentrates. EDAPLAN 396 stabilizes pigment dispersions and reduces the mill-base viscosity. Gloss, colour strength and hiding power are improved and reflocculation is prevented.

Recommended levels/use: Ladder studies are recommended to determine optimum concentration level. Normal dosage ranges from 10 - 50 % EDAPLAN 396 in delivery form for organic pigments and carbon blacks, calculated on pigment solids. For dosage recommendations of specific pigments and for determination of dispersant demand please consult our additional technical information and guide formulations.

Storage/handling: EDAPLAN 396 is not sensitive to freezing but for better handling it should be stored between 5 and 25 °C. The minimum shelf life in closed containers is 15 months from the date of manufacture.

Packaging: Totes holding 1000 kg net, drums holding 155 kg net and kegs holding 30 kg net.