Levasil® 300/30 ADH 16

Short description  
Levasil® 300/30 ADH 16 is an alkaline, aqueous formulation of colloidal silica and an organic additive that is approximately 31% solids by weight.

Product properties  
Levasil® 300/30 ADH 16 is an ultra-stable colloidal silica product. The silica dispersion is sodium stabilized and the amorphous silica particles carry a negative surface charge. The SiO₂ particles are discrete, have a smooth, spherical shape, and are present in a wide particle size distribution. The physical appearance of the dispersion is a translucent liquid, slightly more viscous than water.

Application  
Levasil® 300/30 ADH 16 is a specialty product formulated for use in waterborne adhesive formulations to increase the heat strength of bonded joints. Please refer to our web site or contact your sales representative for application assistance.

Technical data*  
Silica in wt% : 30  
Specific surface area in m²/g : 250  
Surface area (BET) in m²/g : 300  
pH : 10.0  
Viscosity in cP : 7  
Density in g/mL : 1.3  
Na₂O in wt% : 0.35

Storage  
Levasil® 300/30 ADH 16 should be transported and stored at a temperature of +5 °C to +50 °C (40 °F to 120 °F). If the silica dispersion is allowed to freeze, the silica will irreversibly precipitate. For bulk storage, the tank should be sealed and constructed of plastic, fiberglass reinforced plastic, or stainless steel. For packaged goods, any translucent packages should be stored out of direct sunlight or bright light. Under recommended conditions, Levasil® 300/30 ADH 16 has a shelf life of at least 12 after production.

If the product is stored for longer than the date or period specified on the label, it does not necessarily mean that the product is unfit for use. In this case a review of the property values required for the intended use is essential for reasons of quality assurance.

For more information on product safety and handling, please refer to the safety data sheet.

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*This information is intended as a guide and should not be used in preparing specifications

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