

BYKETOL-OK

Silicone-free surface additive for solvent-borne coatings to prevent surface defects and to improve leveling.

Product Data

Composition

Combination of high boiling aromatics, ketones and esters.

Typical Properties

The values indicated in this data sheet describe typical properties and do not constitute specification limits.

Density (20 °C):	0.86 g/ml
Non-volatile matter (10 min., 150 °C):	< 1 %
Solvents:	Alkylbenzenes/Diisobutyl ketone/Dipentene 14/5/1
Flash point:	43 °C

Food Contact Legal Status

For the current food contact legal status, please contact our product safety department or visit www.byk.com for further information.

Applications

Coatings Industry

Special Features and Benefits

The additive prevents surface irregularities like craters, scars, blisters, pinholes and orange peel. It suppresses the risk of solvent popping and improves leveling. It is recommended for use in solvent-borne, air-drying coatings and baking systems.

Recommended Levels

2-7 % additive (as supplied) based upon total formulation.

The above recommended levels can be used for orientation. Optimal dosage levels are determined through a series of laboratory tests.

Incorporation and Processing Instructions

The additive can be added at any point during the production process, also as a post additive.

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