

MACROCRYSTALLINE WAXES

Description

RLESA offers a wide range of macrocrystalline waxes from its refineries in Cartagena and Puertollano. They are mostly composed of linear n-paraffins, giving them a high purity and high insulating capabilities. These waxes cover a wide range of melting points and contain oil and colour, therefore they are particularly suitable for the manufacture of various industrial applications.

Applications

The range of macrocrystalline paraffins covers different applications such as the manufacture of candles and oil lamps, in textile fabrics and rubber anti-ozone protection. The excellent white colour of macrocrystalline paraffins is suitable for direct use or use with colouring pigments.

Paraffins 5860, 6062 and 7030 can also be used in food and medicinal applications such as coatings for paper and cardboard or manufacturing Vaseline.

Presentation

The product is supplied in 25 kg. slabs or bulk liquid*.

*Please verify the availability of the different formats with your local sales representative.

If the product is supplied in slabs, do not store at temperatures above 40°C, avoid humidity and exposure to direct sunlight. The product should be used within one year from being packaged.

Technical characteristics

| | Unity | Method | RS | 115 | 150 | 450 | 5860 | 6062 | 7030 |
|----------------------|-------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Melting point | ° C | ASTM D 127 | 45 | 59 | 59 | 53 | 59 | 60 | 80 |
| Viscosity 100 °C | cSt | ASTM D 445 | 2,5 | 4 | 4 | 3,5 | 4 | 4,5 | 11 |
| Penetration at 25 °C | mm/10 | ASTM D 1321 | 70 | 18 | 17 | 55 | 17 | 16 | 13 |
| Oil | % | ASTM D 721 | 5 | 1 | 0,5 | 4 | 0,5 | 1 | 0,5 |
| Color Saybolt | - | ASTM D 156 | 25 | 12 | 30 | 25 | 30 | 28 | 25 |
| Quality level | - | - | | | | | FDA 21 CFR 172.886 | FDA 21 CFR 172.886 | FDA 21 CFR 172.886 |
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Unless otherwise indicated, the values presented in the technical data should be considered as typical values.