



# **DOW™ LATEX POWDER (DLP) 2101**

## **Redispersible Latex Powder**

### **Product Description**

DOW™ Latex Powder (DLP) 2101 Redispersible Latex Powder is a free-flowing, white powder obtained by spray drying an aqueous vinyl acetate-ethylene copolymer dispersion.

It offers all the advantages of a free-flowing powder additive such as ease of transportation, storage and handling. DLP 2101 Redispersible Latex Powder can be used in a variety of applications in the construction industry to improve key properties of cement and gypsum based formulations. DLP 2101 is suitable to support customer to meet EMICODE EC1PLUS VOC requirements.

### **Applications**

- Thermal insulation systems (adhesive & reinforcement layer)
- Tile grouts
- Cement based tile plasters
- Joint filler
- Repair mortars
- Crack fillers

### **Features**

DLP 2101 Redispersible Latex Powder can be used in many different applications.

It can improve the workability and other important mechanical properties such as tensile and flexural strength and abrasion resistance.

In cement based tile adhesives DLP 2101 Redispersible Latex Powder offers enhanced adhesion even to difficult substrates and also enhances the flexibility. It is especially suggested for building products exposed to conditions of thermal or mechanical stress, providing excellent impact resistance and helping to reduce the formation of cracks caused by shrinkage.

Polymer base	Vinyl acetate – ethylene copolymer
<b>Powder</b>	
Appearance	White, free-flowing powder
Residual moisture	Maximum 2 %
Bulk density	0.42 – 0.61 g/ml
Ash content	10 - 14 %
<b>Redispersion (50 % solids):</b>	
Minimum film formation temperature (MFFT)	ca. 0 °C
pH	7.5

(<sup>1</sup>) These data are typical values and cannot be considered as a specification. For product handling and safety aspects, please refer to the Safety Data Sheet.

### **Health and Safety Considerations**

Safety Data Sheets (SDS) are available from The Dow Chemical Company. SDS are provided to help customers satisfy their own handling, safety and disposal needs and those that may be required by locally applicable health

and safety regulations. SDS are updated regularly, therefore, please request and review the most current SDS before handling or using any product. For further questions consult your Dow contact person

## **Handling**

DOW™ Latex Powder (DLP) 2101 Redispersible Latex Powder product is a free-flowing powder, and as such can create dust. Avoid dust build-up. Fine dust of this product can form explosive mixtures with air and could pose fire and explosion hazard; keep away from ignition sources. Take precautions to avoid accumulation of static charge. Practice care and caution to avoid explosive conditions.

## **Storage**

DLP 2101 Redispersible Latex Powder should be stored in a dry and cool environment. Storage in high humidity and temperature will increase the risk of blocking. Storage under pressure should also be avoided. Do not stack pallets on top of each other. Please consult the SDS for information on the product shelf life.

## **Disposal**

Typically, DLP 2101 Redispersible Latex Powder products can be disposed of by industrial incineration or in an approved landfill, providing regulations are observed. Customers are advised to review their local, state, provincial, or national regulations governing the disposal of waste materials to confirm the appropriate means of disposal in their area.

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**EMEI Toll Call**

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