

#### **Technical Data Sheet**

## XIAMETER™ PMX-2020 Fluid

INCI NAME: Cyclopentasiloxane (and) Dimethiconol

# Features & Benefits

- Optimal blend of dimethiconol gum in cyclomethicone
- Free of emulsifiers and preservatives
- Not tested on animals
- Film forming
- Conditions hair
- Provides soft and silky skin feel
- Helps to prevent and repair split ends

### **Applications**

Areas of potential use for XIAMETER™ PMX-2020 Fluid encompass a wide range of cosmetics and toiletries applications such as:

- Skin care
- Color cosmetics
- Sun care
- Haircare
- Shower gels
- Antiperspirants and deodorants
- Cuticle coat

### **Typical Properties**

Specification Writers: These values are not intended for use in preparing specifications.

Property	Unit	Result
Appearance		Clear liquid
Non-volatile content	%	8.5–11.5
Viscosity	cSt	1500
Flash point	°C	> 72
	°F	> 162
Specific gravity at 25°C (77°F)		0.90

### **Description**

XIAMETER™ PMX-2020 Fluid is a blend of approximately 10.5% of an ultra high viscosity dimethiconol in cyclomethicone. The skin feel of XIAMETER™ PMX-2020 Fluid has been demonstrated to be equivalent to that of XIAMETER™ PMX-1501 Fluid.

#### **How to Use**

#### **Emulsion Products:**

- 1. XIAMETER™ PMX-2020 Fluid can be incorporated directly into the oil phase of the formulation.
- 2. If temperatures above 70°C (158°F) are being used to melt the oil phase, XIAMETER™ PMX-2020 Fluid should be added slowly after the formation of the emulsion, and below 60°C (140°F), using a high shear mixer.

#### **Non-emulsion Products:**

It is advisable to add cosmetic ingredients to the silicone and not vice versa as often ultra high molecular weight dimethicone is incompatible with other cosmetic ingredients.

# Handling Precautions

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# Usable Life and Storage

Product should be stored at or below 25°C (77°F) in original, unopened containers. The most up-to-date shelf life information can be found on the Dow website in the Product Detail page under Sales Specification.

#### Limitations

This product is neither tested nor represented as suitable for medical or pharmaceutical uses. Not intended for human injection. Not intended for food use.

## Health and Environmental Information

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Dispose in accordance with all local, state (provincial) and federal regulations. Empty containers may contain hazardous residues. This material and its container must be disposed in a safe and legal manner.

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