ACOUSTICRYL™ AV-1331 Copolymer Emulsion
For Liquid Applied Sound Damping Coatings

Regional Product Availability
- Asia
- Europe
- North America

Description
ACOUSTICRYL™ AV-1331 Copolymer Emulsion, which is powered by the AVANSE™ Resin Technology, is an acrylic copolymer emulsion designed specifically for the use in sprayable waterborne damping coatings.

Features & Benefits
- This latex leads to peak vibrational damping centered around 38°C in a wide range of un-plasticized formulations when measured in accordance with SAE J1637 or ASTM E-756. Damping at 38°C also occurs with center excitation measurement techniques.
- This latex is based on AVANSE™ Resin Technology which provides the capability to create unique composite particles in the coating through the increased interactions between the AVANSEL™ latex particles and the surfaces of the fillers.
- Due to this unique technology, this latex allows for coating formulations with some combination of the following:
  - Improved damping performance at equivalent weights vs. formulations based on conventional latexes.
  - Equal performance with a significant reduction in the coating weight required vs. formulations based on conventional latexes.
  - Formulation flexibility to use less latex and formulate at higher filler levels without a significant drop in performance vs. formulations based on conventional latexes.
  - Formulation flexibility to increase the level of platy fillers which are better for damping vs. conventional latexes which cannot incorporate as much of these platy fillers.
- This latex is specifically designed to allow for coating formulations to be baked at the elevated temperatures of typical OEM paint shop ovens without the blistering and bubble imperfections that can result when drying 2 mm to 6 mm thick coatings in these high temperature conditions.
- This latex is non-ammonia neutralized which results in low odor formulations ideal for paint shop applications.
Typical Properties
(These properties are typical but do not constitute a specification).

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Handling Precautions

Before using this product, consult the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)/Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for details on product hazards, recommended handling precautions and product storage.

CAUTION! Keep combustible and/or flammable products and their vapors away from heat, sparks, flames and other sources of ignition including static discharge. Processing or operating at temperatures near or above product flashpoint may pose a fire hazard. Use appropriate grounding and bonding techniques to manage static discharge hazards.

CAUTION! Failure to maintain proper volume level when using immersion heaters can expose tank and solution to excessive heat resulting in a possible combustion hazard, particularly when plastic tanks are used.

Storage

Store products in tightly closed original containers at temperatures recommended on the product label.

Disposal Considerations

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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