

Technical Data Sheet

XIAMETER™ MEM-0347G Emulsion

Aqueous emulsion of polydimethylsiloxane

Features & Benefits

- Concentrated emulsion of hydroxyl endblocked PDMS fluid
- Highly surface active to provide good release, lubricity, water repellency and gloss
- Reactive chemical sites on PDMS can be reacted with various substrates
- Crosslinking agents and catalysts can be used to achieve a more resinous coating
- Contains rust inhibitor to resist rusting in the concentrated form
- Alkyl phenol ethoxylate (APEO) free
- BTX free

Applications

- Mould release agent in a wide variety of industrial and specialty chemical applications, applied in low concentration by spraying, dipping, brushing or wiping mould surfaces
- Release agent between coated finished leather to minimize adhesion during storage
- As an ingredient in automotive appearance formulations that can provide shine and durability

Typical Properties

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

CTM ¹	Property	Unit	Result
0176	Appearance		Pass
0862	Non-volatile content	%	61.00–65.00
0007	рН		6–8
0957	Particle size	μm	0.00–1.50
	Emulsifier type		Non-ionic
	Diluent		Water

^{1.} CTM: Corporate Test Method, copies of CTM's are available on request.

How to Use

Diluted with water and applied by spraying or dipping, XIAMETER™ MEM-0347G Emulsion leaves a thin but highly effective silicone release film on mould surfaces. In most cases, this heat-stable film does not carbonize at temperatures which quickly destroy organic mould release agents: does not cause build-up on the moulds nor does it discolor rubber or plastic parts.

Mix Before Use

During storage, some product stratification may be observed; therefore, it is recommended that XIAMETER™ MEM-0347G Emulsion be mixed prior to use or down-packaging to ensure homogeneity. Small bottles can be hand mixed or mixed on a mixing wheel. Larger packaging, such as pails or drums, can be rolled. Tote packages can be mixed with the use of a tote mixer. To reduce the risk of microbial and physical contamination, minimize the duration that containers are open, and use only clean and sanitized equipment and tools. Further, to avoid the risk of over-shearing during tote mixing, pitched blades are recommended rather than cowles-style or other higher shear blades. Variable speed mixers are recommended, as speed may need to be adjusted to ensure mixing efficiency depending on product viscosity. Finally, a multiple blade assembly be necessary to avoid stagnant zones and ensure appropriate mixing occurs throughout the tote.

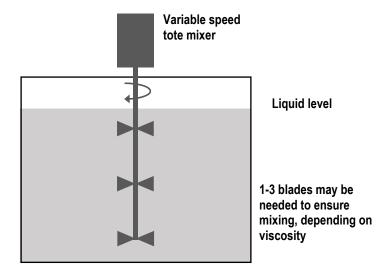


Figure 1. Example tote mixing configuration

Handling Precautions

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Usable Life and Storage

XIAMETER™ MEM-0347G Emulsion will freeze but can be reconstituted by thawing. To prevent freezing, store above 5°C.

When stored at or below 5–35°C in the original unopened containers, this product has a usable life of 12 months from the date of production.

Limitations

This product is neither tested nor represented as suitable for medical or pharmaceutical uses.

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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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