

**Technical Data Sheet** 

# POLYSPERSE™ E

## Micronised Synthetic Wax

### IMPORTANT CHARACTERISTICS:

**Polysperse™ E** is a micronised spherical powder. **Polysperse™ E** is a linear hydrocarbon produced by the Fisher-Tropsch process. **Polysperse™ E** is a synthetic paraffin wax, long chain with relatively short side chains.

**Polysperse™ E** is used in all printing inks: offset,flexo, gravure, radiation curing and screen inks and in coatings and over print varnishes.

**Polysperse™ E** is especially suitable for UV systems: Offset and Screen.

**Polysperse™ E** exhibits low surface tension, exceptional surface slip and smoothness, rub resistance, gloss and scuff resistance (non-marking properties).

Polysperse™ E has a unique spherical morphology and narrow distribution of particles for ease of dispersion and uniformity during processing.

**Polysperse**<sup>™</sup> **E** is easy to disperse in most systems.

#### **APPLICATIONS:**

- Flexographic and Gravure inks
- Heatset and Sheetfed offset inks
- Over print varnishes
- Radiation curable and metal decorating inks and over print varnishes
- Coil, can, wood and powder coatings
- Industrial finishes and powder coatings
- Recommended usage level is 0.5-3 % depending on the desired effect

#### **BENEFITS**:

- Exceptional rub resistance and nonmarking properties
- Uniform, spherical particles for improved gloss
- Low surface tension enhanced slip
- Easy to disperse
- High performance alternative to polyethylene

### **Typical Properties**

Property	Value	Unit	Test Method
Particle size average	3	μm	Particle Size Analysis
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