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MICROEMULSIONE MS-I75

Water-free, non-ionic softener concentrate based on a self-dispersing hydrophilic silicone fluid

Product Data

Property Specification

Appearance and colour Milky white to slightly yellowish liquid

pH (at 25°C, 200 g/L in water) 5.5

Ionic character Non-ionic

Properties

By improving the fabric handle and, thanks to its **hydrophilic character**, MICROEMULSION MS/I 75 significantly enhances the **wearing comfort** of finished textiles.

When diluted in warm water, the product forms a **macro-emulsion**, imparting a **smooth**, **elastic and surface-oriented handle** to all treated fabrics.

The hydrophilic performance results from the specific orientation of MICROEMULSION MS/I 75 on the fibre surface, which allows for efficient moisture transport through the fabric, while maintaining the excellent softness and silky touch typical of high-quality silicone softeners.

Due to its **distinct silky, smooth handle**, MICROEMULSION MS/I 75 is particularly suitable for **lightweight fabrics** and **articles made from all types of fibres** where hydrophilic properties are desired.

MICROEMULSION MS/I 75 shows **stronger fibre affinity** than polysiloxane glycols, resulting in **better exhaustion and improved wash durability**.

Application

MICROEMULSION MS/I 75 is used for the **hydrophilic finishing of fibres and fabrics of all types**.

On **hydrophilic substrates** such as cellulosics, the existing absorbency is generally unaffected, whereas on **hydrophobic substrates** such as polyester, a **marked improvement in wetting properties** is typically observed.

The product provides woven and knitted fabrics with a **soft, smooth, silky hand**. Under normal processing conditions, MICROEMULSION MS/I 75 has a **negligible effect on whiteness** and generally **does not alter colour shade or fastness**.

It is suitable for both **padding and exhaustion applications** and may be used **alone or in combination with organic softeners, polyethylene waxes, or other finishing auxiliaries**. Compatibility should be evaluated case by case.



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Preparation Procedure

- 1. Charge 25 g of MICROEMULSION MS/I 75 and 25 g of warm water (≈50°C). Stir at 750–1000 rpm for about 1 hour, until a clear and completely homogeneous solution is obtained.
- 2. Gradually add the **remaining amount of water (at room temperature)** under continuous agitation, mixing until a **uniform macro-emulsion** is formed.

Application Guidelines

- Padding process:
 - Use 10–30 g/L of a 20% dilution of MICROEMULSION MS/I 75.
- Exhaust process:

Use 1–2% (o.w.f.) of a 20% dilution of MICROEMULSION MS/I 75, depending on the substrate and desired hand.

Storage

Storage beyond the expiry date printed on the label does **not necessarily render the product unusable**; however, its suitability for the intended application should be verified beforehand. The product must be **stirred thoroughly before use**.

Example of an emulsification recipe:

ingredient	weight%
WETSOFT® NE 750	25
Demineralized Water	25
Demineralized Water	50

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