

Applications

- Compounding
- Solvent based coatings
- PVC lubrication
- Waterborne adhesives
- Wax modification

Attributes

- Imparts slip resistances, durability, and toughness to floor finishes
- Listed with NSF International for use as a lubricant in PVC melt processes
- Oxidized to provide functionality
- Produces stable water based emulsions
- Oxidized low density polyethylene

Product Description

EPOLENE® E-14 is an oxidized low molecular weight polyethylene used in emulsifiable applications. It is useful as a lubricant in processing rigid and flexible polyvinyl chloride (PVC) and as a processing aid for preparing color concentrates. EPOLENE® E-14 polymer is listed with NSF International under Standard 61 Drinking Water System Components Health Effects.

Typical Physical Properties

Property ^a	Test Method ^b	Typical Value, Units ^c
Acid Number	D-1386	14-18 mg-KOH/g
Penetration Hardness	D-5	4 dmm
Mettler Softening Point	D-6090	102-105 °C
Brookfield Viscosity @ 125 °C	D-4287	300-475 cP
Yellowness Index	E-313	≤ 4.0

^a Unless noted otherwise, all tests are run at 23°C (73°F) and 50% relative humidity.

^b Unless noted otherwise, the test method is ASTM.

^c Units are in SI or US customary units.

Packaging

EPOLENE® E-14 is offered in multiple package types. See your Westlake sales or technical representative for packaging offerings and availability.

Storage

The useful life of this product can be affected by storage and handling conditions. This product should be stored in the original unopened container in an enclosed area and protected from moisture, extreme temperatures, and contamination. First-in first-out (FIFO) inventory management is recommended.

Regulatory Compliance

This product has some 21 CFR clearances. Please contact your Westlake Sales Representative for food contact statements.

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