

## NALZIN<sup>®</sup> 2

### Anti-Corrosive Additive for Solvent and Water-Borne Systems

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

**NALZIN 2**, a zinc hydroxy phosphite, is a modern non-toxic anti-corrosive additive suitable for aqueous and solvent-borne paints alike.

Manufactured by a patented process, **NALZIN 2** has excellent corrosion-inhibiting properties and is cost-effective.

#### CHEMICAL & PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Composition	zinc hydroxy phosphite
Color / Form	white, low (equal to magnesium silicate)
Special gravity	3.96 g / cm <sup>3</sup>
Oil absorption	15 - 20 g / 100 g
Particle size, median	2 - 3 microns
pH, 2% slurry	6.5 - 7.5
Water solubility	0.004 g / 100 ml
Tinting strength	

These are typical properties not to be used for specification purposes.

#### APPLICATIONS

- Industrial and maintenance paints
- Trade sales paints
- Primers
- Automotive refinish primers
- Performs well in alkyds, oil/alkyds, epoxies, chlorinated rubber and acrylic and styrene-acrylic lattices

#### KEY PROPERTIES

- Is non-toxic
- Has high corrosion-inhibiting activity
- Because of its low water solubility, gives both long-term protection and stability
- Has small particle size and allows fine grind and high gloss to be achieved
- Gives formulating flexibility due to its lower oil absorption
- Being a white additive with low tint strength, permits formulation of any colour
- Minimises tendency of latex paints to flash rust
- Deagglomerates easily for rapid and clean dispersion

- Is suitable for primers, intermediate and top coatings
- Has low water and dispersants demand
- Is cost-effective

#### INCORPORATION

Normal formulating techniques can be followed when using **NALZIN 2**.

A Hegman reading of 5-6 is easily achieved using a high-speed disperser. Coatings with 15µm fineness of grind are readily prepared using a sand mill or other high-shear mills.

If changing from a high-oil-absorption pigment to **NALZIN 2**, the solids concentration in the mill-base should be increased for optimum dispersion.

As **NALZIN 2** is a basic pigment, resins with high acid number (above 20 measured by ASTM D 163-70) should be avoided.

When formulating latex systems, make sure the pH is in the proper range. Sufficient dispersion and wetting agent should be used for proper dispersion and stability; avoid excessive levels that can reduce anti-corrosive performance. As with all latex protective coatings, best results are obtained if the PVC is kept below 35 %, due to the lower binding power of latex.

#### LEVELS OF USE

The level of **NALZIN 2** anti-corrosive additive to be used depends on the degree of corrosion protection desired and on the resin system in which the pigment is used.

For light-duty maintenance, trade sales and one-coat industrial finishes, 5 to 10 % by weight is typical.

A loading of 10 to 20 % is suitable for medium-duty solvent-borne maintenance paints and for water-borne systems. For heavy-duty coatings with maximum durability, up to 40 % can be incorporated.

#### HEALTH AND SAFETY

Before using this product please consult our Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for information on safe handling and storage. The SDS can be found on the company website.

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### STORAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

Stored in a cool, dry location.

### SHELF LIFE

**NALZIN 2** has a shelf life of 4 (four) years from date of manufacture.

### QUALITY ASSURANCE

Quality system at the site manufacturing this product complies with and is certified to ISO 9001 quality standards.

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