HDK® H15
Pyrogenic Silica

Synthetic, hydrophobic, amorphous silica, produced via flame hydrolysis.

Properties

White colloidal powder of high purity.
Technical data

Specification

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<th>Property</th>
<th>Condition</th>
<th>Value</th>
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<tr>
<td>Loss on drying⁽¹⁾</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>&lt; 0.6 %</td>
<td>DIN EN ISO 787-2</td>
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<td>Carbon content</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>0.8 - 1.2 %</td>
<td>-</td>
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<td>Sieve residue⁽²⁾</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>&lt; 0.05 %</td>
<td>DIN EN ISO 787-18</td>
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<td>Tamped density</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>approx. 40 g/l</td>
<td>DIN EN ISO 787-11</td>
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<td>Surface modification</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>Dimethylsiloxy</td>
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<td>BET surface⁽³⁾</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>130 - 170 m²/g</td>
<td>DIN ISO 9277 DIN 66132</td>
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¹, ex works (2 h at 105 °C)
², acc. to Mocker > 40 µm
³of the hydrophilic silica

General Characteristics

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<td>Residual silanol content (relative silanol in relation to the hydrophilic sil)</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>50.0 %</td>
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<td>SiO₂ (based on the substance heated at 1000 °C for 2 h)</td>
<td>2.0 h</td>
<td>&gt; 99.8 %</td>
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<tr>
<td>BET surface⁽¹⁾</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>approx. 120 m²/g</td>
<td>DIN ISO 9277 DIN 66132</td>
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<td>Density</td>
<td>20 ºC</td>
<td>approx. 2.2 g/cm³</td>
<td>DIN 51757</td>
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<td>INCI name</td>
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<td>Silica Dimethyl Silylate</td>
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¹of the hydrophobic silica

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Applications

- Toners
- Personal Care
- Offset Printing
- Printing Inks
- Adhesives

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Application details

A good dispersion of HDK® H15 is a must to assure optimum performance.

More detailed information about the application and processing of HDK® H15 is available in our HDK-brochures and on the WACKER web site.

HDK® H15 is applied as a thickening and thixotropic agent in coatings, printing inks, adhesives, cosmetics and others. HDK® H15 is used as a reinforcing filler in elastomers, mainly silicone-elastomers. HDK® H15 acts as a free flow additive in the production of technical powders.

HDK® H15 is not suitable for pharmaceuticals, food and feed.

Packaging and storage

Packaging

HDK® H15 is offered in following packaging:
- pallet with paper bags: 10 kg bags
- Big bags: 170 kg (big bag on pallet)
- Silotruck: depending on size of truck

Storage

The ‘Best use before end’ date of each batch is shown on the shipping label and the certificate of analysis. HDK® H15 should be stored in the original packaging in dry storage areas. Storage beyond the date specified on the label does not necessarily mean that the product is no longer usable. In this case however, the properties required for the intended use must be checked for quality assurance reasons.

Safety notes

Comprehensive instructions are given in the corresponding Material Safety Data Sheets. They are available on request from WACKER subsidiaries or may be printed via the WACKER web site (http://www.wacker.com/hdk). During transportation and processing HDK® H15 may cause electrostatic charges. Like other amorphous silicas HDK® H15 does not show either carcinogenic (IARC classification, Volume 68, 1997) or mutagenic properties.
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