

VINNAPAS® VAE -

THE HIGH-PERFORMANCE SOLUTION

Success in the adhesives market often depends on choosing the right binder. VINNAPAS® vinyl acetate-ethylene (VAE) technology offers outstanding benefits in terms of performance, safety and versatility.

VINNAPAS® VAE dispersions are waterbased co- and terpolymers mainly based on vinyl acetate and ethylene as comonomers. Ethylene contributes permanent flexibility to the VAE polymer. No external plasticizer is thus necessary in VAEs.

Diverse Applications

VINNAPAS® VAE dispersions can be formulated into adhesives for various applications:

- Paper packaging (e.g. food packaging, envelope manufacturing, film lamination onto paper)
- Wood (e.g. film lamination onto wood, 3D membrane pressing, EPI systems)
- Flooring installation (e.g. textile flooring, flexible coverings)
- Car interiors (e.g. door paneling)
- Tapes & labels

Two Monomers Creating Best-in-Class Performance Vinyl acetate Ethylene Vinyl acetate-ethylene (VAE) Rigid Flexible

Polymer Properties Provided by Ethylene:

- Softness (Tg approx. -125 °C)
- Non-polar, hydrophobic
- Permanent flexibility
- High saponification resistance
- Form ideal copolymers with vinyl acetate

Vinyl Acetate:

- Hardness (T_g approx. 32 °C)
- Polar, hydrophilic
- Rigid

VAE Copolymer and Terpolymer Dispersion Properties:

VINNAPAS® VAE dispersions can be formulated into adhesives that provide outstanding benefits:

- Excellent adhesion to a wide variety of substrates
- High heat resistance
- Very fast setting
- Excellent machinability and re-emulsification properties
- Very good cost / performance ratio
- T_g range from approx. -35 °C to approx.
 30 °C, depending on ethylene content

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

VINNAPAS® Product	Technical Data	a ¹							Product Benefit	Benefit Performance Attributes																			VINNAP			
										Paper P	ackaging						Wood to Wo	ood			Film to V	Vood			Floorin	g Installation			Tapes & Lab	pels	Car Inter	riors
	Base Polymer ²	Solids Content (DIN EN ISO 3251) (± 1%)	Viscosity BF 20 at 23 °C at 20 rpm [mPa s] (ISO 2555)	pH (ISO 976)	Glass Transition Temperature Midpoint [°C] (approx.)	Minimum Filn Temperature (DIN ISO 211 [°C] (approx.	15)	Stabilizing System ^{3,4}		Adhesion (for e.g. filn to paper)	m Heat	Setting Behavior	Roller / Wi Applicatio	eel Nozzle Application	Cleanability	Water Resistance		D4 (EN 204) Watt 9 ≥ 4 N/mm² (EN 14 [N/mn (appro	4257) Disco m ²]	Nood Setting oloration Behavior	Adhesion	Water Resistance	Heat Resistance	Setting Behavior	Workabilit	Overall Adhesion	Heat Resistance	Setting Behavior		Shear Adhesion Resistance	n Suitability	,
VINNAPAS® Products Ac	rylate Technology																															
VINNAPAS® AF 875	Α	59-61	3,500 - 6,500	3.8 – 5.5	-60	0	Very tacky	ST	Ready-to-use polymer binder for pressure sensitive adhesive.																				•••	••	• •	VINNAPAS® AF 87
VINNAPAS® Products VA	E Technology (Copo	olymers and Terpolymers)																														
VINNAPAS® EAF 67	VAc-E-A	58-62	$7,000 \pm 2,500$	4 – 5	-35	0	Tacky	ST	Low T _a grade for flooring adhesives or tapes & labels.	•••	•	•	•	•	•	•					• •	•	•	• •	•••	•••	• •	•••	•••	•• •••	•••	VINNAPAS® EAF 6
VINNAPAS® EAF 68	VAc-E-A	58-61	$7,000 \pm 2,500$	4 – 5	-35	0	Tacky	ST	Low T _a grade for flooring adhesives with excellent dimensional stability.	•••	•	•	•	•	•	•					• •	•	•	••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	VINNAPAS® EAF 6
VINNAPAS® EF 8860	VAc-E	56-58	$1,500 \pm 1,000$	4 – 5	-10	0	Slightly tack	ky ST	Medium-soft binder for flooring adhesives with good plasticizer	• •	•	•	•	•	•	•					• •	•	•	• •	•••	• •	•••	• •				VINNAPAS® EF 88
									resistance and high cohesion. Water resistant glue line.																							
VINNAPAS® EP 1	VAc-E	49-51	$9,000 \pm 3,000$	4 – 5	1	0	Slightly tack	ky PVOH/ST	T Good compatibility with PUD. Water resistant glue line.	• •	• •	• •	•••	•	•••	•••					• •	• •	• •	• •	•	• •	• •	•				VINNAPAS® EP 1
VINNAPAS® EP 11	VAc-E	49-51	$5,000 \pm 1,000$	4 – 5	3	0	Slightly tack	ky PVOH	Universal binder for paper packaging and high cohesion.	• •	• •	• •	•••	•	•••	• •					• •	• •	• •	• •	•	• •	•••	•			• •	VINNAPAS® EP 11
VINNAPAS® EP 14	VAc-E	54-56	$5,500 \pm 1,500$	4 – 5	3	0	Slightly tack	ky PVOH	Universal binder for paper packaging applications / film-to-wood lamination.	• •	• •	• •	•••	•	•••	• •					• •	• •	••	• •	•	• •	•••	•				VINNAPAS® EP 14
VINNAPAS® EP 17	VAc-E	59-61	$3,800 \pm 1,000$	4 – 5	3	0	Slightly tack	ky PVOH/ST	Good compatibility with PUD, also recommended for automotive applications.	• •	• •	• •	• •	•	•	•					• •	•	••	• •	•	• •	$\bullet \bullet \bullet$	•			•••	VINNAPAS® EP 17
VINNAPAS® EP 24	VAc-E	56-58	12,000 ± 3,000	4 – 5	3	0	Slightly tack	ky PVOH	Universal binder for paper packaging applications / film-to-wood lamination. High viscosity.	••	••	••	•••	••	•••	••					••	••	••	••	•	••	•••	•				VINNAPAS® EP 24
VINNAPAS® EP 400	VAc-E	54-56	$2,400 \pm 400$	4 – 5	5	0	Slightly tacl	ky PVOH	Universal binder for paper packaging applications / film-to-wood lamination.	• •	• •	• •	•••	• •	•••	•					• •	•	• •	• •	•	• •	•••	•				VINNAPAS® EP 40
VINNAPAS® EP 401	VAc-E	54-56	2,500 ± 800	4 – 5	-7	0	Slightly tack	ky PVOH	Universal binder for paper packaging applications / film-to-wood lamination. Higher adhesion level compared to VINNAPAS® EP 400.	•••	••	••	•••	••	•••	•					••	•	••	••	•	••	•••	•				VINNAPAS® EP 4
VINNAPAS® EP 441	VAc-E	53-57	4,000 ± 1,000	4 – 5	5	0	Slightly tack	ky PVOH	Universal binder for paper packaging applications / film-to-wood lamination. Especially suitable for nozzle (HHS) applications.	••	••	• •	•••	•••	•••	•					••	•	••	••	•	••	•••	•				VINNAPAS® EP 4
/INNAPAS® EP 8010	VAc-E	58-61	6,000 ± 2,000	4 – 5	-10	0	Slightly tack	ky PVOH/ST	T Excellent adhesion to various difficult-to-bond surfaces, also recommended for automotive applications.	•••	••	•••	••	•	•••	••					•••	••	••	••	•	•••	••	•			•••	VINNAPAS® EP 8
VINNAPAS® EP 8041	VAc-E	51–55	4,000 – 10,000	4 – 6	-8	0	Slightly tack	ky PVOH	Universal binder with low formaldehyde for paper packaging applications / film-to-wood lamination. Especially suitable for nozzle (HHS) applications with high adhesion level.	•••	••	••	•••	•••	•••	•					••	•	••	••	•	••	•••	•				VINNAPAS® EP 80
/INNAPAS® Products PV	Ac Technology																													V	/INNAPAS® Pi	Products PVAc Technol
/INNAPAS® DP 55	VAc	53-57	3,000 ± 1,500	4 – 5	33	14	Tack-free	PVOH	Low-viscosity PVOH-stabilized homopolymer.	•	• • •	• •	• •	•	•••	•	No	No 5	• •	• •••												VINNAPAS® DP 55
VINNAPAS® DP 500	VAc	48-52	$35,000 \pm 5,000$	4.5 – 5.5	33	14	Tack-free	PVOH	Very low sedimentation, excellent plasticizer response.	•	•••	• •	• •	•	•••	•	No	No 5	• •	• •••												VINNAPAS® DP 50
VINNAPAS® DP 600	VAc	58-62	$35,000 \pm 6,000$	4 – 5.5	33	14	Tack-free	PVOH	Very low sedimentation, excellent plasticizer response.	•	•••	••	• •	•	•••	•	No	No 5	• •	• •••												VINNAPAS® DP 60
VINNAPAS® DPN 15	VAc	51-53	$15,000 \pm 3,000$	2.5 – 3.5	28	5	Tack-free	PVOH	D3 1-component wood adhesive.								Yes	No > 7	•	•••												VINNAPAS® DPN
VINNAPAS® DPN 16	VAc	50-54	12,000 ± 2,000	2.5 - 3.5	28	5	Tack-free	PVOH	D3 1-component wood adhesive, reduced discoloration.								Yes	No > 7	• •	•••												VINNAPAS® DPN
VINNAPAS® DPN 18	VAc	42-44	10,000 – 20,000	2.5 – 3.5	28	5	Tack-free	PVOH	D3 1-component wood adhesive, longer open time.								Yes	No > 7	•	• •												VINNAPAS® DPN
VINNAPAS® DPN 47	VAc	48-52	18,000 ± 4,000	4.5 – 5.5	19	3	Tack-free	PVOH	D4 2-component wood adhesive.								Yes	Yes > 7	•	•••												VINNAPAS® DPN 4
VINNAPAS® DPX 271	VAc	44-48	10,000 ± 4,000	5 – 7	30	5	Tack-free	PVOH	D3 1-component wood adhesive, low formaldehyde, discoloration-free.	•	•••	• •	•	•	• •	• •	Yes	No 5	• •	• •••	•	• •	•••	• •								VINNAPAS® DPX 2
VINNAPAS® H 65	\/^0	64-66	30,000 ± 10,000	4 – 5	40	4.4	Tack-free	PVOH	PVOH-stabilized homopolymer with outstanding setting speed.		•••	•••	• •	•	•••	_	No			• •••		_		• •								VINNAPAS® H 65

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2 VAc = Vinyl acetate
A = Acrylic ester
E = Ethylene

3 PVOH = Polyvinyl alcohol
ST = Surfactant

4 All products produced without the use of APEO surfactants

VINNAPAS® eco:

Legend for performance attributes

••• Excellent •• High • Medium

The majority of VINNAPAS® grades that contain vinyl acetate can be certified as VINNAPAS® eco according to the mass balance approach. For more information on the mass balance approach and available VINNAPAS® eco grades, please visit www.wacker.com.

YOUR QUALITY CHOICE -

MADE EASY

Our VINNAPAS® dispersions are specially designed to address the continuously changing needs of the modern adhesives industry, offering up-to-date solutions for the latest end-user requirements and market trends.

VINNAPAS® dispersions set the industry benchmark in product quality, performance and reliability. With our product portfolio you benefit from:

- Consistently high quality
- 80 years' experience in vinyl acetate based dispersion technology
- Properties such as adhesion, heat resistance, bonding to a wide range of different substrates, fast setting speed, high wet tack, reliable machinability, and broad formulation possibilities

Technical Support





WACKER is one of the most research-intensive chemical corporations worldwide. Our VINNAPAS® grades for adhesives applications are produced in five manufacturing plants across Europe, the Americas, China and the Asia-Pacific region. To support adhesives manufacturers, we also operate dedicated state-of-the-art adhesives laboratories and technical centers around the globe, where we carry out extensive tests to develop formulations for new products or optimize those of existing products.



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