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PRODUCT LITERATURE

SARAQUEST-AO

Product Information

Saraquest-AO is high power sequestering agent specially developed for scouring as well as bleaching of cotton and polyester/cellulosic blends. Saraquest-AO is also suitable for dye bath conditioner.

Saraquest-AO has a high chelating action for calcium, iron & copper under alkaline conditions and high temperature. Thus it not only prevents precipitation of insoluble hydroxides and carbonates which are formed due to alkali used in scouring and bleaching but also chelates iron & copper impurities thereby preventing catalytic damage and pin-hole marks during peroxide bleaching.

Saraquest-AO is suitable for exhaust as well as continuous operation.

Key Features & Benefits

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High chelation value Suitable for processing with hard for calcium and iron water or with high iron content

Good sequestering action

Suitable for scouring,
under alkaline pH and

bleaching and for dye bath

high temperature conditioner

Versatile Suitable for exhaust and continuous application

General Characteristics

Physical appearance : Colourless clear liquid
Ionic nature : Nonionic to weakly anionic

pH of 1% solution : 7 + /-1

Miscibility : Miscible with water

Compatibilty : Compatible with anionic and nonionic

products

Stability : Stable to dilute acids and dilute alkalies



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- 1. In scouring, bleaching as well as combined scouring and bleaching of cotton and blends by batch process:
 - 0.5-1 g/l Saraquest-AO can be added with usual recipe to prevent white deposits as well as pin-hole marks due to iron. When Saraquest-AO is added in the recipe, concentration of organic stabiliser can be reduced due to stabilising action of Saraquest-AO.
- 2. For combined scouring and bleaching on continuous bleaching range
 - 0.5-1 gm/kg Saraquest-AO is recommended
- 3. For Dye bath conditioner 0.5-1 g/l

Note: Please note that for dosing, 10% dilution of Saraquest-AO is recommended instead of neat solution.

Precautions

Storage : Store in cool, ventilated shed away from

heat and direct sunlight. Storage temperature should not exceed 35 deg C. Close lids firmly to avoid contact with air and moisture.

Shelf Life : 9 months from the date of manufacturing, if

stored under controlled conditions.

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