

Technical Datasheet

MERSOFT SU, paste

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Characteristics

Appearance	White paste
Chemical nature	Synthetic, sulphonated oil
Active Matter	Approximately 70%
Ionic charge	Anionic
pH (10% sol.)	7.0-8.5

Properties

Mersoft SU, paste is a sulphonated fatliquor which is especially suitable for the production of shoe upper leathers. Mersoft SU, paste has the ability to have only medium penetration, which helps to make the leather full and round. This is a desired effect for most upper leathers. The grain will be relatively dry, and very tight. Mersoft SU, paste has a good lightfastness, so this product can also be used for the softening of white leather or leathers with a pastel shade. If Mersoft SU, paste is used for the production of suede, a nice nap will be achieved, without being too greasy.

Application

Mersoft SU, paste can be applied alone or be mixed with other anionic fatliquors. Typical application quantities vary between 3% to 5% based on shaved weight (wet blue weight). Mersoft SU, paste needs to be emulsified with hot water (50-60°C) prior to addition to the drum. If it is combined with other fatliquors, it's advised to mix the fatliquors first, and emulsify thereafter.