

# SELVOL<sup>™</sup> E 523S Polyvinyl Alcohol

# DESCRIPTION

**SELVOL**<sup> $^{\text{IM}}$ </sup> **E 523S** is a medium viscosity partially hydrolysed polyvinyl alcohol which finds applications principally in the Building industry.

## COMMERCIAL SPECIFICATIONS

IT 06-04-101 P

Test	Specification	Method	Internal Reference	International
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Viscosity <sup>(a)</sup> (cps)	23.0 - 27.0	Brookfield	IT 06-06-225 P	ISO 2555
Degree of Hydrolysis Mol %	87.0 - 89.0	Titration	IT 06-06-224 P	
Ash <sup>(b)</sup> Wt %	0.5 Max.	ISE	IT 06-06-200 P	
Volatile Wt %	5.0 Max.	Drying	IT 06-06-221 P	
pH <sup>(c)</sup>	4.5 - 6.5	Potentiometry	IT 06-06-226 P	ISO 976
Methanol Wt%	0,9 Max	GC-HS	IT 06-06-217 P	
VOC Wt%	1,0 Max	GC-HS	IT 06-06-217 P	
Particle size retained 80 mesh	1.0 % Max	Granulometry	IT 06-06-227 P	
Particle size retained 40 mesh	0.1 % Max	Granulometry	IT 06-06-227 P	

(a) Of a 4% aqueous solution at 20°C (b) Expressed as Sodium Oxide (c) Of a 4% aqueous solution

## **GENERAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance	White to off white granular solid
Refractive Index $n_{D}^{20^{\circC}}$	1.52 -1.55
Specific gravity	1.27 - 1.31
Specific heat (J/g K)	
Thermal conductivity (W/m C)	
Mean coefficient of thermal expansion at 0-45°C (x 10 <sup>-5</sup> / °C)	7-10
Glass transition temperature (°C)	
Melting point (°C)	
Light stability	Excellent
Electrical resistivity ( $\Omega$ cm x $10^7$ )	3.1 - 3.8

#### APPLICATIONS

 $\textbf{Building:} \ Cement \ for \ mortars, \ building \ adhesives \ and \ gypsum \ boards.$ 

## **PACKAGING**

**SELVOL**<sup>™</sup> **E 523S** can be made available in the following packaging:

- 25 Kg Antistatic Polyethylene bags palletised on CP1 pallets 1.00 TM (shrink wrapped or stretch wrapped) 4 way entry pallets.
- 500 Kg Polypropylene Rafia Big Bag palletised on 90 x 90 cm (stretch wrapped) 4 way entry pallets.
- Other packaging may be available on request.

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#### **STORAGE**

SELVOL<sup>™</sup> E 523S Polyvinyl alcohol is stable over a long period of storage under dry conditions.

#### **TRANSPORT**

Not regulated.

## **HEALTH, SAFETY, ENVIRONMENT**

Please refer to the **SELVOL**<sup>™</sup> Material Safety Data Sheet for the product.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

- Customs Tarif No: 3905.3000.
- Polyvinyl alcohol is registered in the following inventories: AICS (Australia), CEPA DSL (Canada), TSCA (United States), MITI (Japan), AUSTRIA, CHINA, PHILIPPINES and SOUTH KOREA.
- CAS NUMBER: 25213-24-5

## FOOD CONTACT STATUS

**SELVOL**<sup> $^{\text{IM}}$ </sup> **E 523S** conforms to various FDA and BfR regulations for use in food contact applications. The user should check the regulation corresponding to the proposed application, in order to verify that the **SELVOL**<sup> $^{\text{IM}}$ </sup> grade to be used is within the specified limitations. For more details the user is invited to contact our customer service department.

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