# **AFCONA – 5030**

## **Chemical Composition**

Polymer of carboxylic acid and polyamide

#### **Product general description**

Cationic wetting and dispersing additive to improve the wetting of pigment surfaces especially carbon black and organically treated Bentonites

## **Product Properties**

AFCONA-5030 is an additive for pigment dispersion. It reduces the interfacial tension between pigments or extenders and the vehicle. It stabilizes the pigments through electrical charge repulsion forces.

AFCONA – 5030 has below special properties and recommended in below systems:

- AFCONA 5030 is a very compatible polymer. It can be used in all resin systems, ranging from none polar to high polar systems
- 2) It recommended for artificial leather, polyurethane, alkyd and polyamide system for printing ink systems.
- Due to the high amine value, AFCONA 5030 cannot be use in system where amine sensitive system such as epoxy and aromatic cure polyurethanes. In epoxy system, it only can be use if the pigment dispersion is done in the amine part.

Note: AFCONA – 5030 will become slightly hazy at temperatures below  $5^{\circ}$  C. This will not influence the quality.

## Product specification

Active ingredients 50 - 53%

Solvents	Alylbenzene / PMA
Density at 20 °C	0.92 - 0.93 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Amine value	185 -215mg KOH/g
Flashpoint	45°C
Appearance	transparent yellowish to brownish liquid

## Addition and dosage

0.5 - 5.0% based on inorganic pigments 20.0 - 50.0% based on organic pigments 25.0 - 40.0% based on carbon black

## **Incorporation**

When used in mill-bases, add before grinding. In Bentonite dispersions use as follows:

85-87	parts of solvent
10	parts of Bentonite
5-3	parts of AFCONA-5030
100 ports	

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## <u>Storage</u>

AFCONA-5030 should be stored in a cool dry place. When kept in an original unopened container, it will keep up to 5 years from the date of manufacture. The expiry date is indicated on the container

#### **Packaging**

25 kg and 180 kg non-returnable containers