



VISCOWAX® 123

PE-Wax

CAS Number: 9002 - 88 - 4

VISCOWAX® 123 – high quality non-oxidised, non-polar polyethylene wax produced according to a high pressure polymerisation process

Characteristics	Reference Value	Units	Test Method
Viscosity @ 140 °C *	200-300	mm ² /s	DGF M-III 8
Drop Point *	107-112	°C	DGF M-III 3
Solidification Point	97-103	°C	DGF M-III 4a
Needle Penetration	≤ 4	10 ⁻¹ mm	DGF M-III 9b
Hardness	200-400	bar	DGF M-III 9c
Density	0.92-0.94	g/cm ³	DIN EN ISO 1183, C
Molecular weight (Mn)	1900	g/mol	GPC
Type of delivery	Fine grain	-	Visual
Appearance	White	-	Visual

* general supply specification

DGF: Test methods of the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Fettwissenschaft e.V. Münster i.W.

Main Scope of Application

- **Plastic processing**
 - Lubricant for PVC
 - Carrier material and dispersing aid in pigment and additive concentrations
- **Hot melt adhesives**
 - Viscosity adjustment
- **Printing Inks**
 - Abrasion prevention
- **Lacquers and varnishes**
 - Matting agent, abrasion prevention
- **Polishes**
 - In solvent-containing and low solvent applications
- **Paraffin compounding, candle industry**
 - Increase on solidification and drop points



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Status under Food Legislation

EU: Listed in Annex I of Regulation (EU) 10/2011 (Ref. No. 80000)

USA: FDA CFR 21 §§ 177.1520 (c) 2.3, 175.300, 175.105

For further information please contact us under the below mentioned address.

Form of Delivery, Packaging and Storage

VISCOWAX® 123 is shipped palletised (preferably 750 kg each) and shrink-wrapped as dust-free powder in PE sacks of 25 kg each. Shipment in big bags of different sizes is possible upon request.

The product shall be stored in its original packaging at room temperature in a dry place. It must not be stored together with amines. Avoid direct sun radiation and water contact.

Safety and Environment

VISCOWAX® 123 has not been classified as hazardous materials in accordance with the Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP/GHS) and therefore it does not require marking. The product does not contain heavy metals.

It is insoluble in water and has no harmful effect on fish and bacteria. Disposal of the product is to be carried out in accordance with the local regulations.

Please refer to the Safety Material Data Sheet for further safety-relevant information.

Please do not hesitate to contact us for further details.

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