# Printing & Packaging Industrial Coatings Functional Packaging Coatings

**Technical Data Sheet** 

## **Zinc Oxide Solution No.1**



Product Description Zinc Oxide Solution No.1 is a zinc ammonium crosslinking agent for overprint varnish, industrial coating, and functional packaging coating applications.

Key Features & Benefits - Carboxyl group crosslinking agent - Improves heat and water resistance

- Improves film hardness

Chemical Composition Zinc ammonium carbonate solution

#### **Properties**

Typical Properties Appearance clear, water-white uniform solution

pH at 25°C 10.9 – 12.1 Ash 14.7 – 15.3%

Density at 20°C 1.21 g/cc, 10.1 lbs/gal

Freeze-thaw stable Ye

Typical CharacteristicsAppearanceclear, water-white uniform solutionNon-Volatile15%

pH 11.4
Viscosity at 25°C (Brookfield LVF #2 spindle, 30 rpm) 5 cps
Density at 25°C 1.22 g/cm³
Melting Point 56°C
Freeze-thaw stable Yes
Total VOC < 0.005% wt

These typical values should not be interpreted as specifications.

#### **Applications**

Zinc Oxide Solution No.1 is a zinc ammonium carbonate solution designed to be used as an additive in aqueous inks and coatings where improved heat resistance and film hardness are desired. This solution provides improved film properties without substantially reducing gloss.

Zinc Oxide Solution No.1 is recommended for applications such as:

- Overprint varnishes for commercial, publication, or packaging applications
- · Functional packaging coatings for barrier, heat-seal, pre-metallization, or film/foil applications
- Interior/exterior wood coatings for millwork applications

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#### Safety

#### General

The usual safety precautions when handling chemicals must be observed. These include the measures described in Federal, State, and Local health and safety regulations, thorough ventilation of the workplace, good skin care, and wearing of protective goggles.

#### Material Safety Data Sheet

All safety information is provided in the Material Safety Data Sheet for Zinc Oxide Solution No.1.

#### Storage

Properly stored and protected, Zinc Oxide Solution No.1 should have a shelf life of at least one year.

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