

Overview of PETRONAS Chemicals Group Berhad

PETRONAS Chemicals Group Berhad (PCG) is the leading integrated chemicals producer in Malaysia and one of the largest in Southeast Asia. It operates 19 world-class manufacturing sites in Malaysia, Asia-Pacific, Europe and North America. With a total combined production capacity of 15.4 million metric tons per annum (mtpa), it is involved primarily in manufacturing, marketing and selling a diversified range of chemical products, including olefins, polymers, fertilisers, methanol, other basic chemicals, derivative products and specialty chemicals.

Listed on Bursa Malaysia with more than three decades of experience in the chemicals industry, PCG is established as part of the PETRONAS Group to maximise value from Malaysia's natural gas resources.

PCG is committed to ensuring that its business practices are in line with globally recognised standards for Economic, Environment, Social & Governance (EESG) practices. It is currently listed in the FTSE4Good Bursa Malaysia (F4GBM) Index and the Dow Jones Sustainability TM World Index.



Ethonas NP

Nonylphenol Ethoxylates

has some of the most widely used members of the larger alkylphenol family of nonionic surfactant.

PCG offers Nonylphenol Ethoxylates in various grades.

Characteristics and Benefits

Ethonas NP (Nonylphenol) is made up of branched nonylphenol with ethylene oxide, which plays a big role to its performance as a surfactant.

Faster Wetting Time

Ease of surfactant to wet a surface which is favourable for detergent application.

Superior Detergency

Exceptional detergency indicates superior cleaning performance.

Lower Cloud Point

Stable emulsion at lower temperature.

Alkyl-Phenol Chemistry

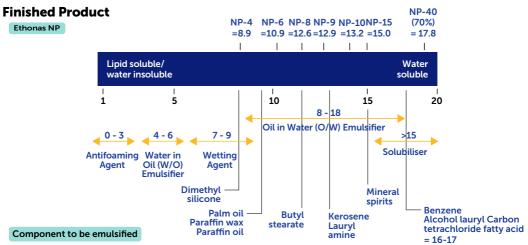
Improved water solubility with narrower gelling range.

Chemically Stable

Stable in cleaning formulation which needs the extra power of acids and is a caustic agent.

Hydrophilic - Lipophilic Balance (HLB)

Matching the HLB values (surfactant and component to be emulsified) is key in formulating the finished product.



Applications

Прриссиона								
Industry	Function	Recommended Ethonas NP Series						
		NP-4	NP-6	NP-7.5	NP-8	NP-9	NP-10	
Cleaners & degreasers	Emulsifiers, cleaning & dispersant	٧	٧			٧		
Adhesives & agrochemicals	Wetting, emulsifier & stabiliser		٧	٧				
Textile processing	Detergency, wetting			٧	٧		٧	
Metal working fluid	Emulsifier, wetting				٧	٧	٧	
Dry cleaning	Low foam, stabiliser	٧	٧					
Floor polish stripper	Cleaning, wetting				٧			
Paints & coatings	Paints & coatings					٧	٧	
Polyurethane	Emulsifier						٧	

Product Properties

Components	Unit	Ethonas NP							
		NP-4	NP-6	NP-7.5	NP-8	NP-9	NP-10		
Average moles of EO	-	4	6	7.5	8	9	10		
Molecular weight	-	380-420	467-492	-	-	-	-		
Water	wt%	0.5 max	0.2 max	0.3 max	0.3 max	0.3 max	0.3 max		
Colour	PtCo	100 max	100 max	75 max	50 max	70 max	50 max		
pH (1% solution in 10:6 IPA/water) at 25°C v/v	-	5.0-8.0	5.0-8.0	5.0-8.0	5.0-8.0	5.0-8.0	5.0-8.0		
Cloud point (1% aq)	°C	Insoluble	-	29-33	41-46	52-56	60-65		
Cloud point (1% Propanol/Water)	°C	-	68-90	-	-	-	-		



