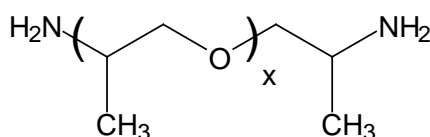


Technical Bulletin**JEFFAMINE[®] D-230 Polyetheramine**

JEFFAMINE D-230 polyetheramine is characterized by repeating oxypropylene units in the backbone. As shown by the representative structure, JEFFAMINE D-230 polyetheramine is a difunctional, primary amine with an average molecular weight of about 230. The primary amine groups are located on secondary carbon atoms at the end of the aliphatic polyether chain.



$x \approx 2.5$

- APPLICATIONS**
- Epoxy curing agent
 - Reacts with carboxylic acids to form hot melt adhesives
 - Reacts quickly with isocyanates
 - Salts may be formed readily for surfactant use

- BENEFITS**
- Low viscosity, color and vapor pressure
 - Completely miscible with a wide variety of solvents, including water
 - Provides tough, clear, impact resistant coatings, castings, and adhesives
 - Coatings are free of surface blush prevalent with many amine curing agents

SALES SPECIFICATIONS

<u>Property</u>	<u>Specifications</u>	<u>Test Method*</u>
Appearance	Colorless to pale yellow liquid with slight haze permitted	ST-30.1
Color, Pt-Co	25 max.	ST-30.12
Primary amine, % of total amine	97 min.	ST-5.34
Total acetylatables, meq/g	8.3 – 9.1	ST-31.39
Total amine, meq/g	8.1 – 8.7	ST-5.35
Total amine, % acetylatables	94.0 min.	Calculated
Water, wt%	0.20 max.	ST-31.53, 6

*Methods of Test are available from Huntsman Corporation upon request.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**Regulatory Information**

See SDS for all regulatory information.

Shelf Life

The product should retain its conformance to sales specifications for a period of at least two years from date of manufacture if the product is stored at less than 100°F in its undamaged, unopened, factory-packaged container.

In general, the user should determine the suitability of any chemical compound, no matter what the shelf life or length of time of storage. Each user should conduct a sufficient investigation to establish the suitability of any product for his intended use.

Typical Properties

AHEW (Amine hydrogen equivalent wt.), g/eq	60
Equivalent wt. with isocyanates, g/eq	120
Viscosity, cSt, 25°C (77°F)	9.5
Density, g/ml (lb/gal), 25°C	0.948 (7.90)
Flash point, PMCC, °C (°F)	121 (250)
pH, 5% aqueous solution	11.7
Refractive index, n_D^{20}	1.4466
Vapor pressure, mm Hg/°C	1/100
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TOXICITY AND SAFETY

For additional information on the toxicity and safe handling of this product, consult the Safety Data Sheet prior to use of this product.

HANDLING AND STORAGE

Materials of Construction

At temperatures of 75-100°F (24-38°C)

Tanks	Carbon steel
Lines, valves	Carbon steel
Pumps	Carbon steel
Heat exchange Surfaces	Stainless steel
Hoses	Stainless steel, polyethylene, polypropylene, and TEFLON®
Gaskets, packing	Polypropylene or TEFLON® (elastomers such as neoprene, Buna N, and VITON® should be avoided)
Atmosphere	Nitrogen or dry air

At temperatures above 100°F (38°C)

Tanks	Stainless steel or aluminum
Lines, Valves	Stainless steel
Pumps	Stainless steel or Carpenter 20 equivalent
Atmosphere	Nitrogen

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JEFFAMINE® D-230 polyetheramine may be stored under air at ambient temperatures for extended periods. A nitrogen blanket is suggested for all storage, however, to reduce the effect of accidental exposure to high temperatures and to reduce the absorption of atmospheric moisture and carbon dioxide. It should be noted that pronounced discoloration is likely to occur at temperatures above 140°F (60°C), whatever the gaseous pad.

Cleanout of lines and equipment containing JEFFAMINE D-230 polyetheramine can be accomplished using warm water and steam. In the event of spillage of this product, the area may be flushed with water. The proper method for disposal of waste material is by incineration with strict observance of all federal, state, and local regulations.

AVAILABILITY

JEFFAMINE D-230 polyetheramine is available in tank cars, tank wagons, drums of 430 pounds (195kg) net weight. Samples are available in North America by contacting our sample department at 1-800-662-0924. Samples in other regions are available by contacting any Huntsman Corporation sales office.

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