



SeraSilk EL 64

INCI: Dimethicone (and) Dimethicone / Vinyl
Dimethicone Crosspolymer

Applications

Skin Care
Color Cosmetics
Hair Care
Antiperspirants

Benefits

Gives a light, silky, non-greasy skin feel
Offers anti-frizz benefits for hair care products
Imparts viscosity to W/O emulsions
May absorb Sebum
Cold processable

Description

KCC Beauty SeraSilk EL 64 is a mixture of a high molecular weight crosslinked silicone elastomer in Volatile straight chained 2cSt dimethicone fluid. SeraSilk EL 64 can be included in many products to enhance the skin feel, spreadability, absorption and “soft-focus” effect of the finished product.

KCC Beauty silicone elastomer blends are strong mattifying agents and are ideal for use in color cosmetics applications where their sebum absorbing properties offer a matte, smooth and non-greasy appearance. They have the ability to increase formulation oil phase viscosity and produce a dry, silky smooth skin feel.

Level of crosslinking : medium for enhanced soft, light yet powdery feel.

Typical Properties	
Appearance	Clear, Colourless Viscous Gel
Gelcontent	20%
Silicone Content	100%
Viscosity (25°C)	400,000
Flash Point(°C)	80
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Method of Use

As a versatile ingredient, the method of use will depend on the type of formulation in which the SeraSilk EL 64 is being included and the other ingredients involved.

A few formulation suggestions include :

- Adding the elastomer into the oil or silicone phase of an emulsion.
- Post-addition into viscous creams.
- Pre-dispersion in cyclopentasiloxane or low molecular weight dimethicone before addition to a formulation.

For examples of how to formulate with this material, please see formulation in our formulation guide.

Recommended Usage Level

1.0 – 90% dependent on application.

Packaging

18kg pails and 180kg drums

Storage and Shelf Life

The product should be stored below 32°C and not be allowed to freeze. Shelf life of the un-opened container is 12 months from the date of manufacture. If you wish to use this product after this time, please contact us for details.

Toxicity and Handling

Please see our SeraSilk EL 64 safety data sheet for more details. Information for safe use of this product is not included in this document. Before handling please read container labels and the safety data sheet for physical, environmental and health hazard information.

Limited Warranty Information

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