### **Technical Information**

# Efka® SL 3883

(old : Efka® 3883)



general general slip & leveling agent

Efka<sup>®</sup> SL 3883 is a polysiloxane-modified polymer which is terminated by unsaturated groups. These reactive groups crosslink with coating and printing ink systems which are cured by photo initiators or peroxides. The incorporation of Efka<sup>®</sup> SL 3883 into wood finishes, plastics coatings and paper finishes results in the following advantages:

- improved leveling
- · slip and surface smoothness
- · increased anti-blocking effect
- · better substrate wetting
- more even distribution of matting agent

chemical nature

polysiloxane-modified polymer with unsaturated terminal groups

## **Properties**

**physical form** clear to slightly hazy, slightly yellowish liquid

shelf life Efka® SL 3883 should be stored in a cool dry place. When kept in

original unopened containers, it will keep up to 2 years from the date of

~ 70 %

manufacture.

typical properties

(no supply specification) solvent butyl acetate/isobutanol

active ingredients

density at 20 °C (68 °F) ~ 1.04 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

flash point 24 °C (75 °F)

color  $\leq 2$ 

# **Application**

Efka® SL 3883 can be used in all coatings, especially wood and plastic

coatings and paper finishes, cured by vinyl polymerization.

**recommended concentrations** 0.2–1.0 % on total formulation

Efka® SL 3883 should be added at the end of the batch preparation.

Safety
When handling these products, please comply with the advice and information given in the safety data sheet and observe protective and workplace hygiene measures adequate for handling chemicals.

#### Note

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