

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

WAXIRTEC-PMB

APPLICATION:

WAXIRTEC-PMB is a specially designed wax to be used in the production of Polymer Modified Bitumen (PMB) or directly in Asphalt Plant with the aim of improving the bitumen performances in combination with polymers.

WAXIRTEC-PMB changes the treated bitumen rheology with the following effects:

- Reduction of penetration
- Increasing of softening point
- Reduction of viscosity in the range of working temperature (120^o-160^oC)
- Increasing of the G*

However, the effects changes depending on different bitumen source, the above consequences always happen.

WAXIRTEC-PMB is a long-time stable product at high temperature (180^oC), it doesn't lose effectiveness and doesn't cause any negative effect on the bitumen properties.

When introduced directly during the production of Hot Mix Asphalt, **WAXIRTEC-PMB** allows working the asphalt mix 20 to 40^oC lower than the usual hot mix temperature, ensuring same or better mix workability than standard mix.

Moreover, **WAXIRTEC-PMB** is an odor free product, allows saving energy, reducing CO₂ emissions, and increasing the worker's safety, as the asphalt mix produces less fumes.

DOSAGE:

WAXIRTEC-PMB dosages depend on the application and could vary between 1% to 3% of bitumen weight.

WAXIRTEC-PMB could be easily used in standard PMB production units with and without high shear mills. Also, it could be directly introduced in the mixer of the Hot Mix Asphalt plants. No modification in plant design is necessary.

CHEMICAL FAMILY:

WAXIRTEC-PMB is a special designed wax.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

Appearance at 25 ^o C	White pearls
Freezing point (°C)	140-150
Density at 20 ^o C (g/cm ³)	0.64
Flash point (°C)	> 290

STORAGE:

Stable at room temperatures if stored in closed containers and at shadow.

PACKAGE:

WAXIRTEC-PMB is delivered on plastic drums or bags.

SAFETY:

All chemical products should be handled with care. In order to avoid injuries, protective gloves and safety goggles should be used. For further information, see our Safety Data Sheet.

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