

ROKAcet K10 and its formulations for cleaning



ROKAcet K10

Chemical description

ROKAcet K10 is used as a component of washing and cleaning agents and as an emulsifier. The product shows very good detergency properties, it can be used in a mixture with other non-ionic agents auxiliaries and in mixtures with anionic and cationic active agents.

Applications:

- Industrial and institutional cleaning
- Laundry detergents
- Hard surface cleaning

Benefits:

- effective ingredient of laundry detergents
- good cleaning properties
- excellent solubilizing properties
- good wetting properties
- non-classified product
- good temperature resistance
- compatible with wide range of nonionic surfactants
- compatible with other additives



Additional information

Physicochemical parameters	ROKAcet K10
CAS	61791-29-5
Molecular weight [g/mol]	–
Appearance at temperature (20±25)°C	liquid
Color (Gardner) at (40)°C	max 3
pH of 20% solution	5.0 ÷ 7.5
Solidification point, °C	15
Cloud point; method A, °C	35
Cloud point; method B, °C	25
Cloud point; method C, °C	19
Cloud point; method D, °C	67
Cloud point; method E, °C	66
Water, % (m/m)	max 1
Density at 30°C, g/mL	approx. 1.03
Viscosity at 25°C, cP	approx. 100
Surface tension of 0.1% solution at 25°C, mN/m	37

Solubility

The solubility of ROKAcet K10 in water and other solvents has been shown in the table below.

PRODUCT NAME	DEMINERALIZED WATER	METHANOL	ACETONE	ETHYL ETHER
ROKAcet K10	●	●	●	●

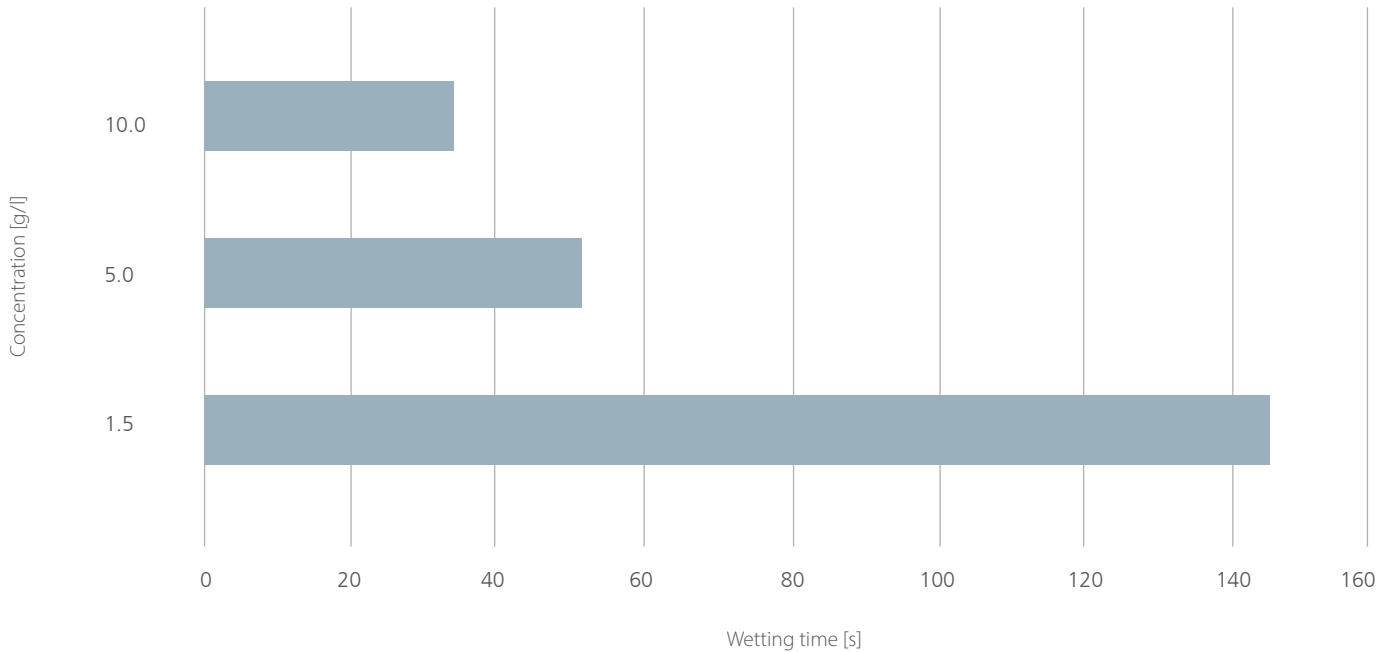
● soluble ● insoluble ● partially soluble

Wetting capability

Surfactants reduce the surface tension of liquids in which they are dissolved. Thanks to them, any liquid (usually water) has greater wetting capability, which increases its ability to get as close as possible to the solid. This is very important for many surfactant applications, especially in cleaning processes.

The capability of wetting cotton fabric was determined in accordance to PN-EN 1772:2001 Standard.

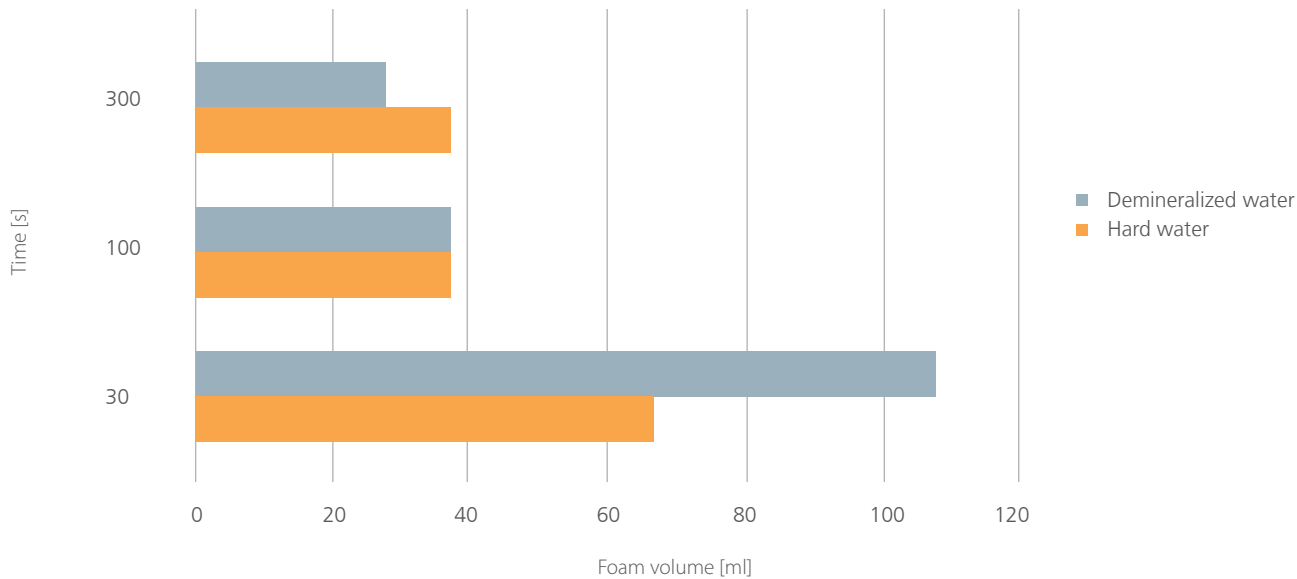
Wetting capability for ROKAcet K10; demineralized water; temperature at 20°C



Foaming capability

Foam is a heterogeneous system in which the liquid is the continuous phase and the dispersed phase is a gas. Foams, as well as emulsions, are thermodynamically unstable systems, so surfactant molecules on the interface are required to stabilize them. The ability to foam a substance is important in many industrial applications including the detergents, where it prevents re-dirt in the washing or cleaning processes. The determination of the foaming capability was performed according to PN-ISO 696: 1994 Standard (the modified Ross-Miles method) at a temperature of 25°C, for a surfactant concentration of 1.0 g/l, in both demineralized water and hard (17°d).

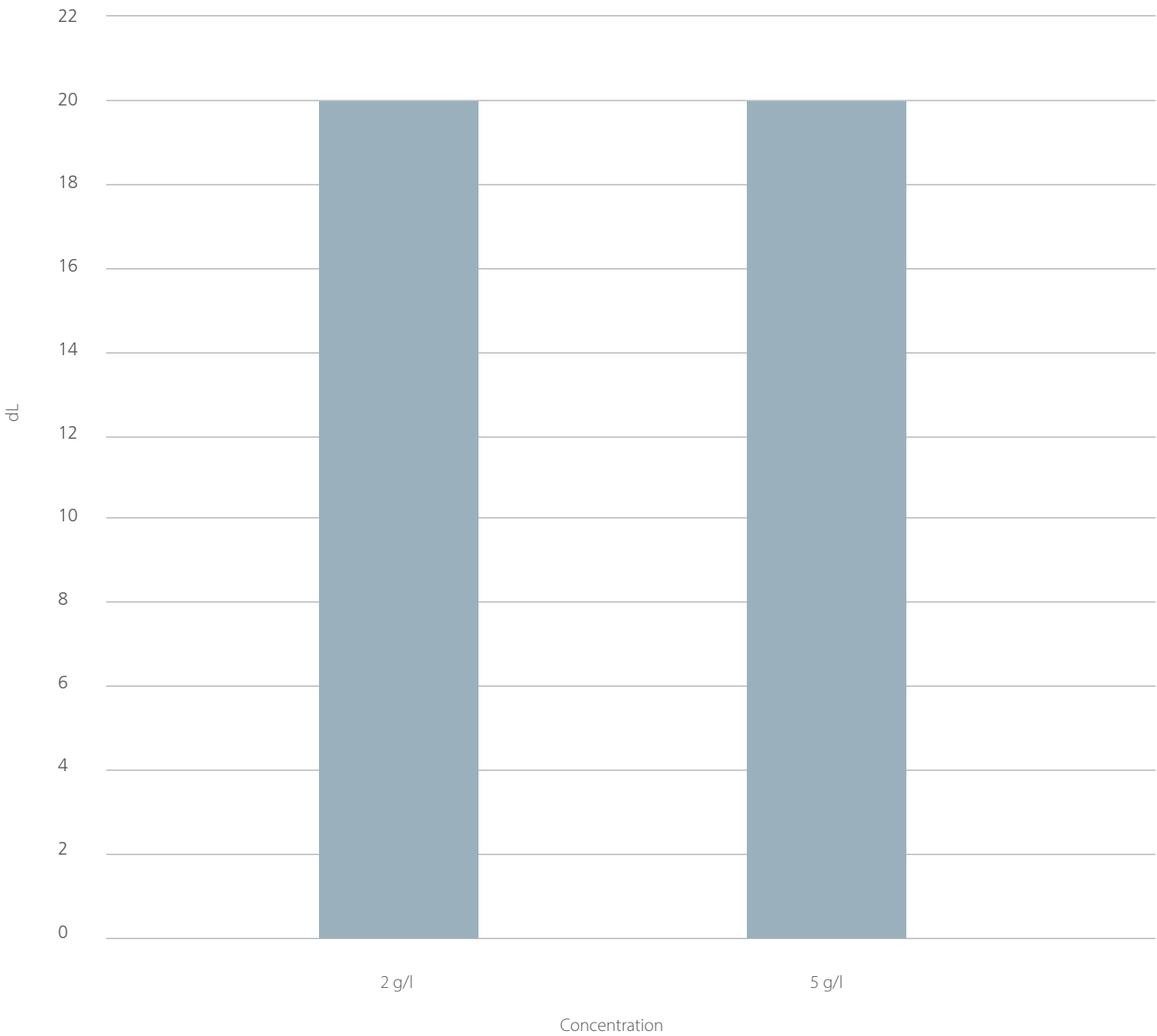
Foam capability for ROKAcet K10; concentration of 1.0 g/l; temperature 25°C



Detergency on a cotton fabric

Determination of detergency on a cotton fabric is tantamount to assessing the effectiveness of washing with the use of surfactants. Detergency tests were performed according to PCC EXOL SA own method, using EMPA 125 fabric (cotton), soiled with a mixture of oils and pigments that were washed in ROKAcet K10.

Cotton fabric detergency results in dL units for ROKAcet K10



The cleaning process is described by the dL parameter in accordance with the CIE LAB method. The standard is the soiled fabric, so the higher the value of the dL parameter, the better the tested fabric is cleaned.

Alkali and acid resistance

Surfactants used in industrial cleaning have to be resistant to strong acids or alkalis. Acidic cleaning agents are mainly used to remove mineral deposits from acid-resistant surfaces, while alkaline agents are known primarily for their remarkable degreasing ability.

The analysis of this stability for ROKAcet K10 has been performed in accordance with the PN-EN 14712:2005 Standard.

NaOH CON. [g/l] Product name	10	20	30
ROKAcet K10	o	o	o

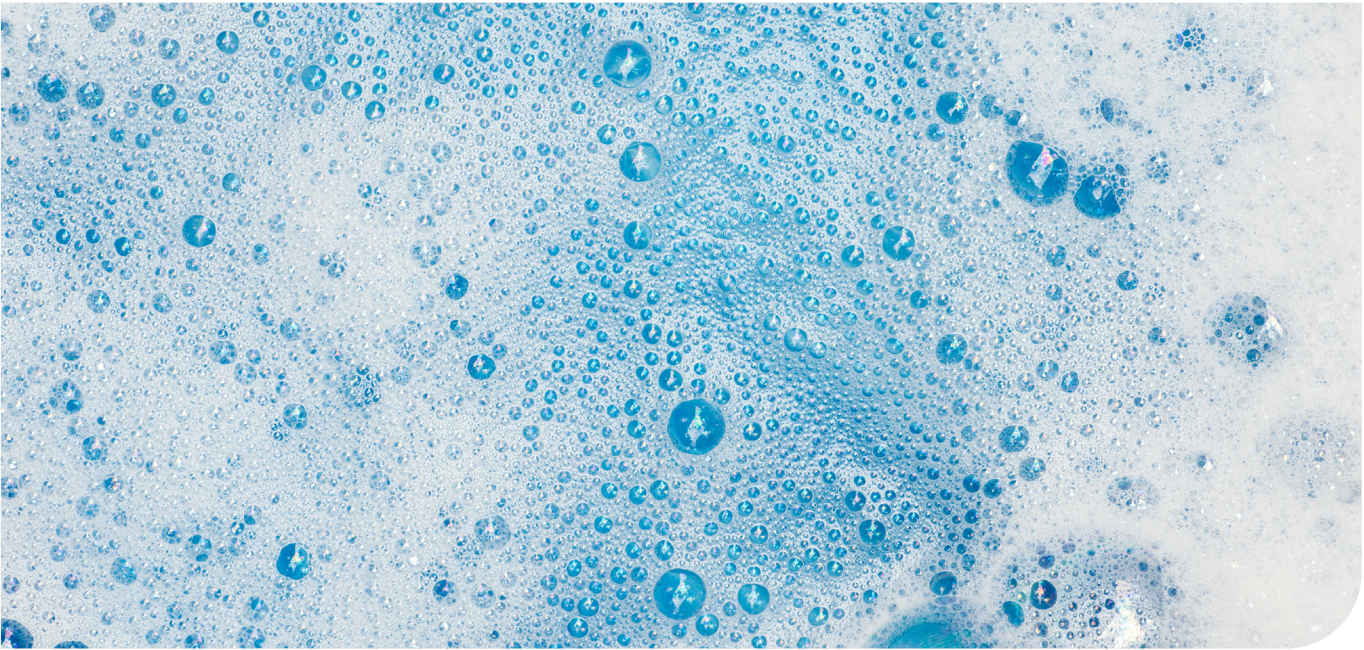
Acid resistance (Sulphuric acid); concentration of 1%; temperature 20°C

H ₂ SO ₄ CON. [g/l] Product name	1	60	65	140	225
ROKAcet K10	•	•	•	•	o

Acid resistance (Hydrochloric acid); concentration of 1%; temperature 20°C

HCl CON. [g/l] Product name	1	20	80	85	90	225
ROKAcet K10	•	•	•	•	•	o

- o macroscopic phase separation
- clear, homogeneous solution
- homogeneous, cloudy solution
- homogeneous, opalescent solution



Kitchen and bathroom cleaners

FLOOR CARE CLEANER

Brand name	Chemical name	Content [%]	Function
ROSULfan A70	Ammonium Lauryl Sulfate	1.0	Foaming and cleaning agent
ROKAmina K30	Cocamidopropyl Betaine	10.0	Foaming agent/foam stabilizer
ROKAcet K10	Coconut fatty acid, ethoxylated	2.0	Cleaning agent
EXOlat C40	Acrylic resin	0.5	Sequestrant
Commercially available mix of isopropyl alcohol (app. 40%) and ethyl alcohol (app. 60%)		3.0	Solvent
Water & additives		83.5	Solvent and additives

Chemical properties

appearance at 20-25°C	clear liquid
pH at 25°C	6 ÷ 7
viscosity at 20°C, [cP]	under 10
cloud point, °C	none
solidification point, °C	0 ÷ -1
clarification point, °C	+1 ÷ +2

Procedure:

1. Mix ROSULfan A70, ROKAcet K10, EXOlat C40, mixture of polar short-chain alcohols and water.
2. Then add ROKAmina K30 in a small portions.
3. Mix until a homogenous solution is obtained.

Bathroom cleaners

FOAM BATHROOM CLEANER

Brand name	Chemical name	Content [%]	Function
ROKAcet K10	Coconut fatty acid, ethoxylated	3.5	Cleaning agent
ROKAmina K30	Cocamidopropyl Betaine	2.0	Foaming agent/foam stabilizer
EXOlat C40	Acrylic resin	1.0	Sequestrant
Citric acid, monohydrate		3.0	Degreasing agent/solvent
Isopropyl alcohol		0.5	Degreasing agent/solvent
Water & additives		90.0	Water and additives

Chemical properties

appearance at 20-25°C	clear liquid
pH at 25°C	2 ÷ 3
viscosity at 20°C, [cP]	under 10
cloud point, °C	none
solidification point, °C	+1
clarification point, °C	+16

Procedure:

1. Mix ROKAcet K10, EXOlat C40, Citric acid monohydrate, Isopropyl alcohols and water.
2. Then add ROKAmina K30 - mix.
3. Mix until a homogenous solution is obtained.

SHOWER & BATH CLEANER

Brand name	Chemical name	Content [%]	Function
ROKAcet K10	Coconut fatty acid, ethoxylated	2.5	Cleaning agent
ROKAnol GT7	Alcohols, C9-16, ethoxylated	1.0	Cleaning agent / Degreaser
EXOlat ZA	Acrylic resin	0.5	Sequestrant
Citric acid, monohydrate		3.5	Descaling agent / pH adjuster
Glycolic Acid, 70%		3.0	Descaling agent / pH adjuster
Water & additives		89.5	Solvent and additives

Chemical properties

appearance at 20-25°C	clear liquid
pH at 25°C	2 ÷ 3
viscosity at 20°C, [cP]	under 10
cloud point, °C	none
solidification point, °C	+1
clarification point, °C	+15

Procedure:

1. Mix ROKAcet K10, ROKAnol GT7, EXOlat ZA, Citric acid monohydrate, Glycolic acid and water.
2. Then add ROKAmina K30 – mix.
3. Mix until a homogenous solution is obtained.

UNIVERSAL FOAM BATH CLEANER

Brand name	Chemical name	Content [%]	Function
ROKAcet K10	Coconut fatty acid, ethoxylated	0.2	Cleaner agent
ROSULfan A	Ammonium Lauryl Sulfate	0.2	Foaming and cleaning agent
Commercially available mix of isopropyl alcohol (app. 40%) and ethyl alcohol (app. 60%)		3.0	Degreaser
Water & additives		96.6	Water and additives

Chemical properties

appearance at 20-25°C	clear liquid
pH at 25°C	4 ÷ 6
viscosity at 20°C, [cP]	under 10
cloud point, °C	none
solidification point, °C	0
clarification point, °C	+2

Procedure:

1. Mix ROKAcet K10, ROSULfan A, mixture of polar short-chain alcohols and water.
2. Mix until a homogenous solution is obtained.

Kitchen cleaners

TOTAL KITCHEN CLEANER

Brand name	Chemical name	Content [%]	Function
ROKAcet K10	Coconut fatty acid, ethoxylated	3.5	Cleaning agent
ROKAnol NL3	Alcohols, C9-11, ethoxylated	1.0	Deep cleaning agent / degreaser
EXOlat C40	Acrylic resin	3.0	Sequestrant
Methoxydipropanol		5.0	Stabilizer / Solvent
Water & additives		87.5	Solvent and additives

Chemical properties

appearance at 20-25°C
pH at 25°C
viscosity at 20°C, [cP]
cloud point, °C
solidification point, °C
clarification point, °C

clear liquid
6 ÷ 8
under 10
none
+1
+4

Procedure:

1. Mix ROKAcet K10, ROKAnol NL3, EXOlat C40, Methoxydipropanol and water.
2. Mix until a homogenous solution is obtained.

FOAM KITCHEN CLEANER

Brand name	Chemical name	Content [%]	Function
ROKAcet K10	Coconut fatty acid, ethoxylated	3.5	Cleaning agent
ROSULfan L	Sodium Lauryl Sulfate	2.0	Foaming and cleaning agent
EXOlat C40	Acrylic resin	1.0	Sequestrant
Propylene glycol		3.0	Solvent
Commercially available mix of isopropyl alcohol (app. 40%) and ethyl alcohol (app. 60%)		5.0	Solvent
Water & additives		87.0	Solvent and additives

Chemical properties

appearance at 20-25°C
pH at 25°C
viscosity at 20°C, [cP]
cloud point, °C
solidification point, °C
clarification point, °C

clear liquid
7 ÷ 8
under 10
0
-1
+1

Procedure:

1. Mix ROKAcet K10, ROSULfan L, EXOlat C40, Propylene glycol, mixture of polar short-chain alcohols and water.
2. Mix until a homogenous solution is obtained.

SINK CLEANER

Brand name	Chemical name	Content [%]	Function
ROKAcet K10	Coconut fatty acid, ethoxylated	4.5	Cleaning agent
EXOlat ZA	Acrylic resin	3.0	Sequestrant
Citric acid, monohydrate		8.0	Descaling agent/pH adjuster
Methoxydipropanol		2.0	Stabilizer, degreaser, solvent
Water & additives		82.5	Solvent and additives

Chemical properties

appearance at 20-25°C
pH at 25°C
viscosity at 20°C, [cP]
cloud point, °C
solidification point, °C
clarification point, °C

clear liquid
2 ÷ 3
under 10
none
0
+19

Procedure:

1. Mix ROKAcet K10, EXOlat ZA, Citric acid monohydrate, Methoxydipropanol and water.
2. Mix until a homogenous solution is obtained.



ECOLOGICAL HAND DISHWASHING DETERGENT (COMPLIES WITH ECOLABEL REQUIREMENTS)

Brand name	Chemical name	Content [%]	Function
ROKAtend LS MB	Sodium Lauroyl Sarcosinate	10.0	Foaming and cleaning agent
ROSULfan L MB	Sodium Lauryl Sulfate	34.0	Foaming and cleaning agent
ROKAcet K10 MB	Coconut fatty acid, ethoxylated	2.0	Cleaning agent
N,N-Dicarboxymethyl glutamic acid tetrasodium salt		0.8	Sequestrant
Citric acid, monohydrate 50 %		0.27	pH adjuster
Water & additives		43.2	Solvent and additives
ROKAmina K30 MB	Cocamidopropyl Betaine	10.0	Foaming agent/foam stabilizer
Sodium chloride		0.3	Rheology modifier

Chemical properties

appearance at 20-25°C	clear liquid
pH at 25°C	6 ÷ 8
viscosity at 20°C, [cP]	3000 ÷ 4000
cloud point, °C	none
solidification point, °C	-1
clarification point, °C	+5

Procedure:

1. Mix ROKAtend LS MB, ROSULfan L MB, ROKAcet K10 MB, GLDA, Citric acid monohydrate 50% and water.
2. Mix with a mechanical mixer until all the ingredients are uniformly combined with each other.
3. Then add ROKAmina K30 MB in a small portions while stirring constantly.
4. Then add sodium chloride in a small portions while stirring constantly.
5. Mix until a homogenous solution is obtained.

NATURE HAND DISHWASHING DETERGENT (COMPLIES WITH ECOLABEL REQUIREMENTS)

Brand name	Chemical name	Content [%]	Function
ROSULfan AHT MB	Ammonium Lauryl Sulfate	30.0	Foaming and cleaning agent
ROKAcet K10 MB	Coconut fatty acid, ethoxylated	2.0	Cleaning agent
EXOlat ZA	Acrylic resin	0.8	Sequestrant
Water & additives		56.7	Solvent and additives
ROKAmina K30 MB	Cocamidopropyl Betaine	10.0	Foaming agent/foam stabilizer
Sodium chloride		0.5	Rheology modifier

Chemical properties

appearance at 20-25°C	clear liquid
pH at 25°C	5 ÷ 7
viscosity at 20°C, [cP]	5000 ÷ 6000
cloud point, °C	+5
solidification point, °C	-1
clarification point, °C	+10

Procedure:

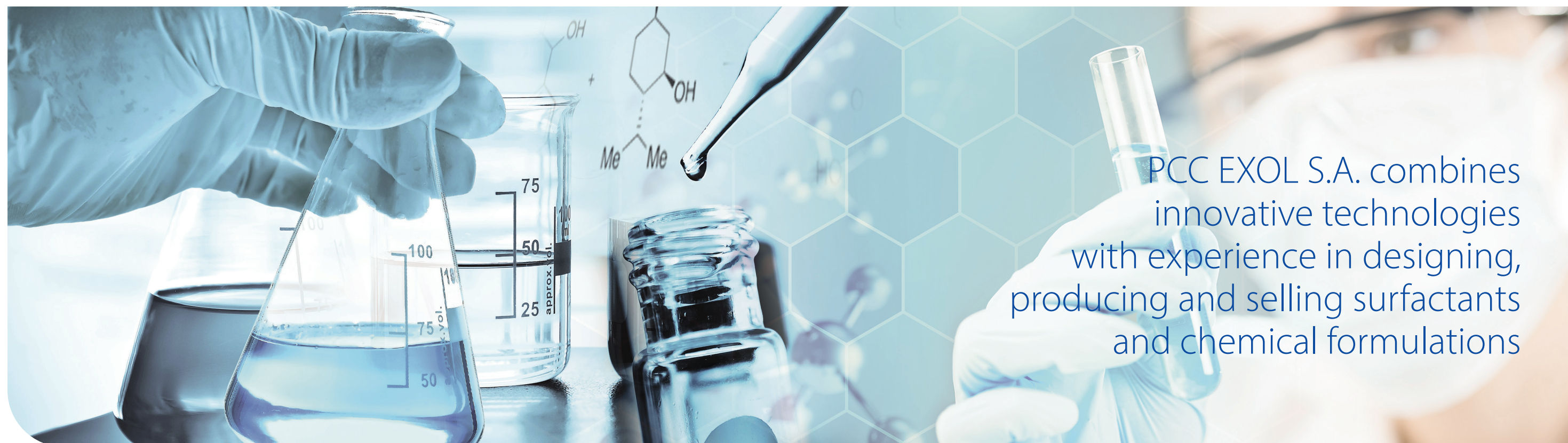
1. Mix ROSULfan AHT MB, ROKAcet K10 MB, EXOlat ZA and water.
2. Mix with a mechanical mixer until all the ingredients are uniformly combined with each other
3. Then add ROKAmina K30 MB in a small portions while stirring constantly.
4. Then add sodium chloride in a small portions while stirring constantly.
5. Mix until a homogenous solution is obtained.





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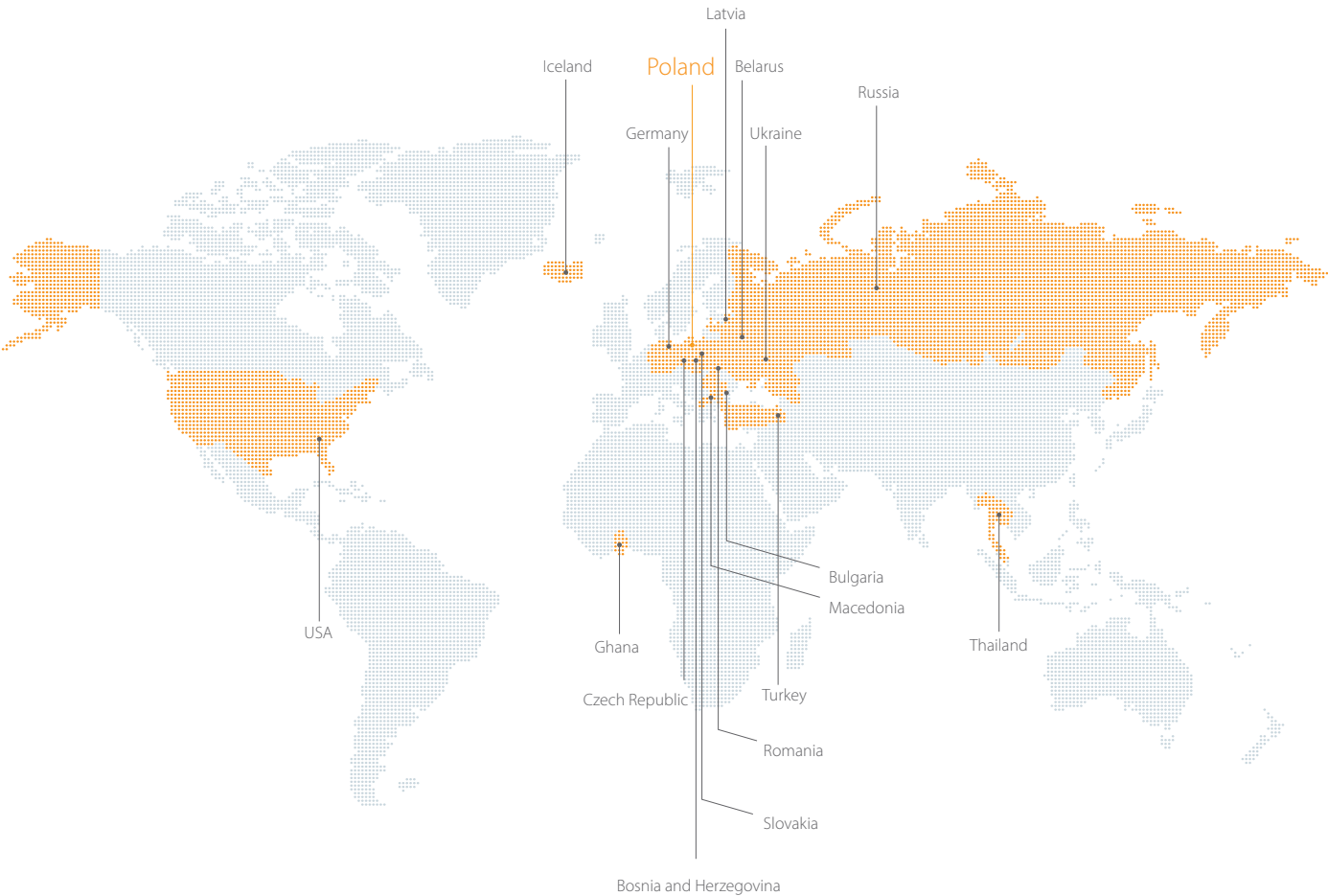
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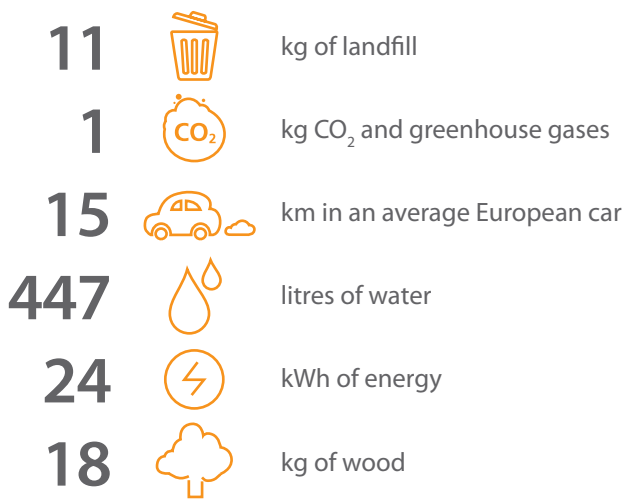
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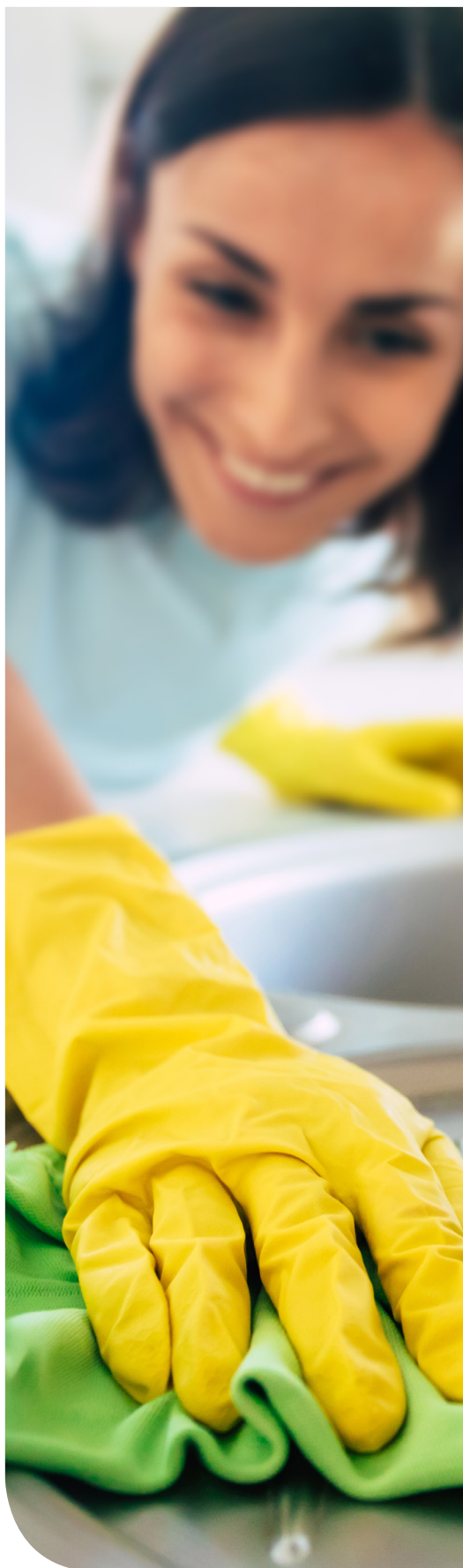
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