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#### Chemical description

ROKAnols with low foaming properties are non-ionic surfactants. They are ethylene and propylene oxides adducts to various types of alcohols and can be represented by follow structure.

 $RO(CH_2CH_2O)_x[CH(CH_3)CH_2O]_yH$ 

where: R = fatty alcohol radical

x = average number of ethylene oxide units

y = average number of propylene oxide units

#### Applications

ROKAnols with low foaming properties are multipurpose products which are used in variety of applications, where antifoaming, dispersing, wetting properties and detergency plays important role, i.e. in detergents, or l&l applications. Low foaming surfactant are very useful for low-foam and no-foam applications. They are especially suitable for:





#### Basic physical and chemical properties

ROKAnol	L4P5	L5P5	L80/50	LP2024W/95	LP2529	NL8P4	B2	RZ4P11
Appearance at 20-25 °C	Clear or slightly turbid liquid	Clear or slightly turbid liquid	Clear liquid	Clear liquid	Clear liquid	Clear or slightly turbid liquid	Turbid liquid	Clear or turbid liquid
Concentration [%]	approx. 100	approx. 100	approx. 50	approx. 95	approx. 100	approx. 100	approx. 100	approx. 100
Hazen colour at 40°C	usually <100	max. 100	usually <100	max. 100	max. 100	max. 200	usually <100	_
Cloud point [°C]								
Method A 1% in water solution	approx. 25	27-31	>100	approx. 23	-	38-48	30-39	-
Method B 1% solution in 5% NaCl solution	-	_	approx. 85	approx. 16	_	approx. 35	approx. 26	_
Method C 1% solution in 10% NaCl solution	_	-	approx. 70	<10	-	approx. 26	_	_
Method D 10% solution in 25% BDG solution	approx. 48	approx. 45	approx. 89	approx. 49	approx. 35	approx. 55	approx. 46	_
Method E 16.7% solution in 25% BDG solution	approx. 42	approx. 41	approx. 88	approx. 42	25-29	approx. 51	approx. 43	23-27
Average molar mass [g/mol]	650	730	3700	500	500	740	1000	1080
Water content [%, by weight]	max. 0.5	max. 0.5	49-53	max. 5.0	max. 0.5	max. 1.0	max. 0.5	max. 1.0
Approx. Solidification point [°C]	approx12	approx9	approx1	approx15	approx18	approx10	approx. 0	approx. 10
pH in deionized water, at 20°C	5.5-8.5 1% solution	5.0-7.0 1% solution	5.5-8.5 10% solution	5.0-7.0 1% solution	5.0-7.0 1% solution	5.0-7.0 1% solution	5.5-8.5 1% solution	approx10
Density at 25°C [g/cm <sup>3</sup> ]	approx. 0.97	approx. 0.97	approx. 1.05 at 50°C	approx. 0.98	approx. 0.95	approx. 1.00	approx. 0.98	approx. 0.96
Viscosity at 25°C [cP]	approx. 60	approx. 70	230-320 at 50°C	approx. 50	approx. 60	approx. 80	approx. 130	approx. 130



### Basic physical and chemical properties

ROKAnol	LP100	LP180	LP200	LP220	LP400	LP700	LP911	LP3034
Appearance at 20-25 °C	Liquid	Colorless to yellowish liquid	Clear or turbid liquid	Liquid	Clear or cloudy liquid	Liquid	Liquid	Clear liquid
Concentration [%]	approx. 95	approx. 100	approx. 100	approx. 97	approx. 100	approx. 100	approx. 100	approx. 100
Hazen colour at 40°C	max. 100	approx. 140	max. 100	max.50	max. 100	max. 100	max. 100	max. 100
Cloud point [°C]								
Method A 1% in water solution	72-76	approx. 17	approx. 21	36-40	39-42	20-24	9-11	18,5
Method B 1% solution in 5% NaCl solution	approx. 57	-	approx. 14	approx. 27	approx. 30	approx. 13	-	<10
Method C 1% solution in 10% NaCl solution	approx. 47	-	_	approx. 19	approx. 21	_	-	<10
Method D 10% solution in 25% BDG solution	approx. 71	approx. 38	approx. 43	approx. 54	approx. 53	approx. 56	approx. 33	36,8
Method E 16.7% solution in 25% BDG solution	approx. 69	32-35	37-41	approx. 49	39-42	20-24	approx. 28	30-34
Average molar mass [g/mol]	1100	1870	680	790	640	540	920	740
Water content [%, by weight]	max. 5	max. 0.5	max. 0.5	max. 3.0	max. 0.5	max. 0.5	max. 0.5	max. 1.0
Approx. Solidification point [℃]	approx. 10	<-20	< -15	approx12	<-5	<-5	<-20	>-20
pH in deionized water, at 20°C	5-7 1% solution	5-8 5% solution	5-7 1% solution	5-8 5% solution	5-7 1% solution	5-7 1% solution	5-7 1% solution	5-7 1% solution
Density at 25°C [g/cm³]	approx. 1.04	approx. 1.01	approx. 0.99	approx. 1.01	approx. 1.00	approx. 0.98	approx. 0.99	approx. 0.97
Viscosity at 25°C [cP]	approx. 245	approx. 240	approx. 80	Max.200	approx. 90	approx. 70	approx. 100	max.100

### Basic physical and chemical properties

ROKAnol	LP3135	LP3943	LP60	LP64	LP66	LP550	LP1319	LP2023	LP2227	LP2500	LP2855
Appearance at 20-25 °C	Turbid liquid	Clear liquid	Clear liquid	Liquid	Liquid	Clear liquid	Clear liquid	Clear liquid	Clear liquid	Clear liquid	Clear/ slightly turbid liquid
Concentration [%]	approx. 95	approx. 100	approx. 100	approx. 100	approx. 97	approx. 100					
Hazen colour at 40°C	max. 100	-	Max. 200	Max. 70	Max. 70	Max. 50	Max.150	max. 100	Approx.30	max. 40	max. 100
Cloud point [°C]											
Method A 1% in water solution	31-35	-	-	<10	approx. 15	<10	-	-	22-27	31-35	27-31
Method B 1% solution in 5% NaCl solution	approx. 24	-	-	<10	<10	<10	-	-	approx. 15	approx. 24	-
Method C 1% solution in 10% NaCl solution	approx. 15	-	-	<10	<10	<10	-	-	approx. 12	approx. 15	-
Method D 10% solution in 25% BDG solution	approx. 48	approx. 50	14-18	60-62	approx. 69	26-30	approx. 20	approx. 27	approx. 48	approx. 48	-
Method E 16.7% solution in 25% BDG solution	approx. 44	39-43	<10	approx. 55	64-68	23-25	13-19	20-23	approx. 43	approx. 45	-
Average molar mass [g/mol]	620	550	770	770	1000	1550	1530	1060		670	630
Water content [%, by weight]	max. 5.0	max. 0.5	max. 1.0	max. 0.5	max. 3.0	max. 0.3	max. 0.5				
Approx. Solidification point [°C]	< -20	< -20	<-20	Approx. 8	Approx. 4	Approx14	<-20	approx10	approx4	approx9	~ -10
pH in deionized water, at 20°C	5-7 1% solution	5-7 2.5% solution	6-8 1% solution	5-7 1% solution	5-7 1% solution	5-7 1% solution	4-7 1% solution	5-7 1% solution	5-7 1% solution	6-8 1% solution	5-7 1% solution
Density at 25°C [g/cm <sup>3</sup> ]	approx. 1.00	approx. 0.95	approx. 0.96	approx. 0.96	approx. 0.98	approx. 1.00	approx. 0.98	approx. 0.97	approx. 1.00	approx. 0.98	approx. 0.97
Viscosity at 25°C [cP]	approx. 100	approx. 55	approx. 100	approx. 115	approx. 160	Max.300	Approx.200	approx. 140	approx. 300	approx. 80	approx. 50



# Additional information

#### Solubility

Solubility in water and other solvents has been shown in the table below.

#### Solubility – at 25°C, 10% SOLUTIONS

ROKAnol SERIES	DEMINERALIZED WATER	METHANOL	ETHYL ETHER	ACETONE
L4P5	•	٠	0	•
L5P5	•	٠	0	•
L80/50	•	•	0	•
LP2024W/95	•	•	0	•
LP2529	0	•	0	•
NL8P4	•	•	0	0
B2	•	•	0	0
RZ4P11	0	•	0	0
LP100	•	•	0	•
LP180	0	•	0	•
LP200	0	•	0	•
LP220	•	٠	0	•
LP400	•	٠	٠	•
LP700	0	٠	0	•
LP911	0	٠	٠	•
LP3034	0	٠	٠	•
LP3135	•	٠	0	•
LP3943	0	٠	٠	•
LP60	0	•	0	0
LP64	0	0	0	•
LP66	0	٠	٠	•
LP550	0	٠	•	•
LP1319	0	٠	٠	•
LP2023	0	•	•	•
LP2227	•	•	0	•
LP2500	•	•	0	•
LP2855	•	•	0	•

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#### Wetting capability

The capability of effective wetting is a necessary and required property of surfactants in a large number of applications. Some of ROKAnols with low foaming properties are effective wetting agents. Other products with antifoaming profile exhibit poor wetting properties. The capability of wetting cotton fabric was determined according to EN 1772:2001. Wetting time (time in seconds necessary for wetting the textile material) was measured at ROKAnols solution with a concentration of 1.0 g/l in deionized water at a temperature of 25°C.

ROKAnol SERIES	DEMINERALIZED WATER
L4P5	excellent
LSP5	good
L80/50	poor
LP2024W/95	excellent
LP2529	low
NL8P4	good
B2	low
RZ4P11	low
LP100	low
LP180	poor
LP200	good
LP220	good
LP400	excellent
LP700	excellent
LP911	good
LP3034	excellent
LP3135	good
LP3943	low
LP60	low
LP64	low
LP66	low
LP550	good
LP1319	poor
LP2023	low
LP2227	good
LP2500	excellent
LP2855	excellent

TIME (s)	DESCRIPTION
<20	excellent
20-50	good
50-100	moderate
100-300	low
>300	poor



#### Foaming capability

ROKAnols from low foaming range exhibit desired properties like good detergency, efficient wettability, degreasing abilities. Difference between ROKAnols and standard non-ionic surfactants is in their low foaming capability. Due to that, these products can be used in many application where foam is problematic.

Determination of the foaming capability was preformed according to PN-ISO 696:1994 (the modified Ross-Miles method) for solution with a concentration of 1.0 g/l in deionised and hard water at a temperature of 25°C.

ROKAnol SERIES	DEMINERALIZED WATER	HARD WATER
L4P5	low	poor
L5P5	poor	poor
L80/50	low	poor
LP2024W/95	poor	poor
LP2529	poor	non
NL8P4	poor	non
B2	moderate	low
RZ4P11	non	non
LP100	moderate	moderate
LP180	non	non
LP200	non	non
LP220	non	non
LP400	poor	poor
LP700	moderate	moderate
LP911	non	non
LP3034	non	non
LP3135	non	non
LP3943	non	non
LP60	non	non
LP64	non	non
LP66	poor	poor
LP550	non	non
LP1319	non	non
LP2023	non	non
LP2227	non	non
LP2500	poor	poor
LP2855	poor	poor

FOAM VALUE [ML]	DESCRIPTION
100-200	moderate
70-100	low
20-70	poor
0-20	non

#### Alkali and acid resistance

#### Alkali resistance (Sodium Hyroxide); concentration of 1%; temperature 20°C

NaOH conc. [g/l]	10	20	30
ROKAnol SERIES			
L4P5	0	0	0
L5P5	0	0	0
L80/50	•	•	•
LP2024W/95	0	0	0
LP2529	0	0	0
NL8P4	•	•	•
B2	•	•	0
RZ4P11	0	0	0
LP100	•	•	•
LP180	0	0	0
LP200	0	0	0
LP220	•	•	•
LP400	•	•	0
LP700	0	0	0
LP911	0	0	0
LP3034	0	0	0
LP3135	•	•	0
LP3943	0	0	0
LP60	0	0	0
LP64	0	0	0
LP66	0	0	0
LP550	0	0	0
LP1319	0	0	0
LP2023	0	0	0
LP2227	•	0	0
LP2500	•	•	0
LP2855	•	0	0

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#### The analysis of this stability for low foaming surfactants has been performed in accordance with the PN-EN 14712:2005 Standard.

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

H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> conc. [g/l]	1	10	20	60	120	140	225
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L4P5	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
L5P5	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
L80/50	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
LP2024W/95	•	•	0	0	0	0	•
LP2529	0	0	0	0	0	•	•
NL8P4	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
B2	٠	•	٠	٠	٠	•	٠
RZ4P11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP100	٠	•	٠	•	•	•	٠
LP180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP220	•	•	•	•	•	•	٠
LP400	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
LP700	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP911	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP3034	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP3135	٠	٠	•	•	•	•	٠
LP3943	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP66	0	0	0	0	0	0	•
LP550	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP1319	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP2023	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LP2227	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
LP2500	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
LP2855	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

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