

# Levasil CC401

## Colloidal silica

Levasil CC401 is a neutral, aqueous dispersion of colloidal silica that is approximately 37% solids by weight. The silica dispersion is sterically stabilized and the amorphous silica particles carry a negative surface charge. The silica particles are discrete, have a smooth, spherical shape, and are present in a narrow particle size distribution. The particles have also been surface modified with an epoxy silane. "Hydroxyl number" for 2-pack systems; 0.45 mole OH/kg product." The physical appearance of the dispersion is a translucent liquid, slightly more viscous than water. Levasil CC401 is produced for world-wide distribution.

**CAS number**  
1239225-81-0

### Characteristics

Silica	37 wt%
Density	1.26 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Average Particle Size	12 nm
pH	8
Viscosity	8 cP
Ethanol	2.5 wt%

## Applications

Levasil CC401 is an optimised product with a proven performance within the coating and surface treatment area.

## Storage

Levasil CC401 should be transported and stored at a temperature of 0-40°C (32-104°F). For packaged goods, any translucent packages should be stored out of direct sunlight or bright light. Under recommended conditions, Levasil CC401 has a shelf life of at least eighteen months after production.

## Packaging and transport

Levasil CC401 is available only in packaged quantities.

## Safety and handling

Before handling this material, review the corresponding Material Safety Data Sheet. Colloidal silica products are aqueous dispersions of amorphous silica. Colloidal silica is not classified as harmful, but as mildly irritating. Because the products can have a drying effect on the skin, protective gloves should always be used. In case of skin contact, wash the area of contact with plenty of water. The use of safety glasses is always recommended. In case of eye contact, rinse with large amounts of water and seek professional medical advice.

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