



TECHNICAL DATASHEET

CONTINUUM A3000

Aqueous Satin General Purpose Coating

DESCRIPTION:

Tower's **CONTINUUM A3000** was formulated to be a Satin (semi-matte) medium gloss, 1 or 2-sided coating for use in sheet-fed and flexographic applications, can be used with some glues, foil stamps and UV top coatings.

TEST BEFORE USING!

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

Mix before use and check viscosity. Add 1% water or 50/50 blend of Water/IPA under agitation to reduce coating viscosity 4" # 3 Zahn.

READ SDS BEFORE USE.

FEATURES & BENEFITS:

- Economical Satin.
- Streak Resistant.
- Good flow and leveling.
- Packaging-Specific
- Satin (Semi Matte) Coating



SPECIFICATIONS:

• Flash Point (° F TCC):	>200 °F
• pH:	8.3 - 8.7
• Gloss:	4/10
• Rub Resistance:	8/10
• Slip (face to face):	15-18 degrees
• COF (face to face):	.27 - .32
• Block Resistance (face to face):	Pass 120 F x 24 hr, 100% RH
• Gluing, Stamping:	Suitable with some glues and foils. TEST FIRST!
• UV Primer:	Suitable with some UV coatings. TEST FIRST!
• Viscosity #3 Signature Zahn Cup:	18-20" @ 77 F
• Inks:	Use recoatable inks only
• Dilution:	1% water will reduce viscosity 4" #3 Zahn
• Wet Film Weight:	3-6 micron
• Percent Solids:	40.0 +/- 2
• Freeze/Thaw Stability:	1 cycle
• Drying:	Pile 105 F 1st side, 95F 2nd side
• Clean-up:	Warm water. Water + ammonia for dried coating
• VOC:	0.15 lbs/gal USEPA Method 24

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Our products include:

- Offset Pressroom Chemistry
- Flexographic Cleaners & Coatings
- Digital Cleaners & Coatings
- Screen Cleaners
- Specialty Pressroom Products

HMS RATING:

Health: 2 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Personal Protection: B

PACKAGING:

5 Gallon Pail - Product Number: 61119TP-005

55 Gallon Drum - Product Number: 61119TP-055