# DESCRIPTION

TEGO<sup>®</sup> Wet 288 is a hydrophobic siloxane-based substrate wetting additive with excellent surface tension reduction. It is highly suitable for waterborne and radiation curing inkjet inks, printing inks and varnishes.

#### **KEY BENEFITS**

- superior hydrolytic stability
- excellent reprintability and gluability
- low foaming
- ensures good wetting on a wide range of substrates

## EFFECT

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Substrate wetting
Anti-crater effect
Flow promotion
Defoaming
Reduction of static surface tension
Reduction of dynamic surface tension

# SUITABILITY

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waterborne	solventborne
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2-pack 100%	radiation-curing
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pigmented coatings	clear coatings
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# **TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Inkjet Inks
- Printing Inks

## **TECHNICAL DATA**

active matter content	100 %
appearance	clear liquid
chemical description	polyether siloxane copolymer

# SOLUBILITY

Water	Ethanol
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TPGDA	Acetone
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Butylacetate	Mineral Spirits
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## **RECOMMENDED ADDITION LEVEL**

As supplied calculated on total formulation: 0.1 - 1.0 %

## **PROCESSING INSTRUCTIONS**

- Addition as supplied is recommended.
- Addition at the let-down stage is recommended.

#### HANDLING & STORAGE

When stored in an original unopened packaging, the product has a shelf life of 60 months from the date of manufacture.

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