

## **Technical Datasheet**

## STARCHTEC 55

Product Properties			
Constitution:	Starch Ether - Hydroxypropyl		
Appearance:	Slightly Yellow Powder	Delayed Solubility:	No
Etherification:	Standard etherification	lonicity:	Nonionic

Product Specification		Recommended application	
Moisture:	≤10%	Cement based plaster	
pH (20°C, in 2.0% sol.):	$8.0 \pm 1.0$	Gypsum based plaster	
Particle Size:	<280nm: min 80.0 %	Gypsum based joint filler	
Density:	$0.70 \pm 1.0 \text{ g/ml}$	Cement based tile adhesive, basic	
Viscosity:	800 – 1500 mPa.s	Cement based tile adhesive, standard	
Brookfield, in 1.0% water solution, at 20°C.		Cement based tile adhesive, high	

## Packaging, Storage and Safety instructions

Starch ether powders constitute a dust explosion hazard. Dust formation and deposits must be kept to a minimum so that no ignitable dust/air mixtures can form. Ignition sources such as naked flames, hot surfaces, spark and static electricity should be avoided. STARCHTEC products start to decompose at about 200°C. Its ignition temperature is >360°C. It burns easily and the fire may spread.

Packed in 25 kg multilayer paper sack with polyethylene intermediate layer and inner P.E. bag. When stored in closed containers, or in its original packaging in a dry place at room temperature, STARCHTEC can be kept for a long time or can be measured after lengthy storage (>1 year). STARCHTEC absorbs water from moist air. Once opened, container must be resealed and kept tightly closed.

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