

# CRA<sup>®</sup> 21

# **Controlled Release Additive**

CRA® 21 is an extremely efficient controlled release additive for adjusting the release force of solvent-based DEHESIVE® systems.

# **Properties**

- high release levels
- good release stability

#### **Specific features**

- Controlled Release Additive
- Solvent-based

# **Technical data**

#### **General Characteristics**

Property	Condition	Value	Method
Viscosity, dynamic	25 °C	approx. 3 mPa·s	-
Density	20 °C   1013 hPa	0.962 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	-
Flash point	-	4 °C	DIN 51755
Ignition temperature	-	535 °C	DIN 51794

#### These figures are only intended as a guide and should not be used in preparing specifications.

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### **Applications**

- Composite Release Coatings
- Graphics
- Industrial Applications
- Label
- Release Coatings
- Tapes & Electronics

# **Application details**

CRA® 21 can be processed together with nearly all solvent-based DEHESIVE® products. It is miscible with them in all proportions.

Mixtures of CRA® 21 and DEHESIVE® are ideal for the production of release paper and PSA-laminates. Suitable substrates include PE-laminated paper, polyester films (PET) and papers.

Because of the high efficiency and stable release characteristics of CRA® 21, the product is ideal for the production of double-sided release liners.

Processing

Batches of coating compound must be prepared in the order given below.

1. First pour in solvent-based DEHESIVE® polymer

2. Add solvent and stir slowly until the mixture is

homogeneous

3. Add CRA® 21 release modifier and stir

slowly until the mixture is homogeneous

4. Thoroughly stir in Crosslinker to this mixture

5. Slowly stir in catalyst.

Local over-concentrations must be avoided. Additional information To obtain exceptionally high release forces, CRA® 21 can also be processed without DEHESIVE®. In this case, the amounts of catalyst and crosslinker required for efficient curing may vary from DEHESIVE® containing formulations. However, we recommend the adjustment of specific formulations to optimize final coating properties for the intended use.

# Packaging and storage

#### Storage

The 'Best use before end' date of each batch is shown on the product label.

Storage beyond the date specified on the label does not necessarily mean that the product is no longer usable. In this case however, the properties required for the intended use must be checked for quality assurance reasons.

# Safety notes

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