

## Product Information

# SPHERILEX® 10 PC

### CAS NUMBER

112926-00-8

7631-86-9

### INCI NAME

Hydrated Silica

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Using a patented manufacturing process, Evonik offers a derived mineral ingredient that allows for a spherical particle shape, a controlled pore size, and narrow particle distribution. Since these parameters are controlled during the precipitation process, the resulting particles are much more consistent than traditional precipitated products. This combination of properties exhibits numerous benefits in cosmetics applications, such as skincare, leave on, sunscreen, decorative cosmetics as well as AP/DEO products.

Microbiological quality is guaranteed via a stringent, regular monitoring.

#### Typical Properties

Property	Unit	Value
<b>Chemical Name</b>		Silicon dioxide, chemically prepared
<b>Loss on Drying</b> 2h at 105°C following ISO 787-2	%	≤7.0
<b>Particle Size</b> d50, Horiba following ISO 13320	µm	10
<b>pH Value</b> 5% in Water following ISO 787-9		8
<b>Sieve Residue</b> 45 µm Spray following ISO 3262-19	%	≤1.0

The data represents typical values (no product specification)

### TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

Personal Care

### SAFETY

Information concerning the safety of this product is listed in the corresponding Safety Data Sheet, which will be sent with the first delivery or upon updating. Such information is also available from Evonik Operations, Product Safety Department, E-MAIL [sdsim@evonik.com](mailto:sdsim@evonik.com) We recommend to read carefully the safety data sheet prior to the use of our product.

### PACKAGING

For details regarding our packaging options for this product, please contact your local sales representative.

### STORAGE

Our silica products are inert and extremely stable chemically. However, due to their high specific surface area, they can absorb moisture and volatile organic compounds from the surrounding atmosphere. We therefore recommend storing the products in their original packaging (e.g. fully shrink-wrapped) or in sealed containers in a dry place away (or apart) from volatile organic substances. Even if a product is stored under these conditions, after a longer period it can still pick up ambient moisture over time, which could lead to its exceeding the specified moisture content. For this reason, our recommended use-by date is 24 months after date of manufacture. Product more than 24 months old should be tested for moisture content before use in order to make certain that it is still suitable for the intended application.

### SHELF LIFE

2 years

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