# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET



# Li20 / K20 / Si02

# LITHIUM POTASSIUM SILICATE (LPS)39

Polysilicate

Chemical Formula: Li2O / K2O/ SiO2

CAS#. 12627-14-4

# PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

LITHIUM POTASSIUM SILICATE (LPS)39 is an aqueous polysilicate hybrid solution with a molar ratio of 3.9 (ranging 3.8-4.0). The unique composition helps improve interaction and compounding characteristics when formulating coatings, sealers and specialty treatments. The reactive silicate forms a stable, high ratio, low viscosity solution that results in lower levels of water in coatings and can dramatically improve film formation, water resistance, abrasion, hardness and bonding properties for many applications, including concrete surface treatments, specialty paints and coatings. Once dried this material is relatively insoluble compared to potassium and sodium silicates. Especially suitable for high performance zinc coatings for marine and industrial applications in which high pigment loading and water and wear resistance or increased bonding, abrasion and scratch resistance are desired.

# **APPLICATIONS**

Raw material used as a binder and catalyst for:

Inorganic paints, coatings and primers

Anti-corrosive coatings

Powder coatings

Refractories

Catalysts

Concrete admixture

Concrete surface treatments

Welding rod binder additive

Flame retardant

Ceramics, glazes and enamels

## **Product Specifications**

# **APPEARANCE**

Clear colorless liquid, water-based solution

Physical Properties	Composition
Specific gravity@ 25°C	1.26 - 1.27
Total Solids	29.00 - 30.12%

Features

· High lithium concentration

- · Improves interaction and compounding
- Offers better, more stable reactions
- Enhances durability and performance

Uses

 Inorganic paint, coatings and primers Anti-corrosive coatings

- · Refractories Catalysts
- Concrete admixture Concrete surface treatments Welding rod binder additive Flame retardant
- Ceramics, glazes and enamels

### Product type

Silicates

# CHEMICAL CONSTITUENTS

K2O (% wt.):	8.0 - 8.50
Li2O (% wt.):	1.0 - 1.02
SiO2 (% wt.):	20.0 - 20.60
Weight Ratio:	2.40 - 2.60
Molar Ratio:	3.80 - 4.0
pH:	11.6 - 11.8
Specific Gravity:	1.26 - 1.27
Density (0Baume (~1260 kg/m3):	30.00
Viscosity (centipoise):	33 - 35
Flash Point	N/A
VOC	< than 50 grams per liter
Freeze Point	33°F / 0°C
Shelf Life	12 Months

# PACKAGING / SHIPPING CONTAINERS

Product is packaged and shipped in 55 gallon polyethylene drums, 275 gallon IBC totes or Bulk ISO / Tankers.

# Toxicity/Safety Data Handling / Storage / Disposal:

For safety and handling information, consult the product Safety Data Sheet.

Product should be stored in cool, dry conditions away from direct sunlight. Providing the product is kept in the original packaging, the shelf life is 12 months.

Ensure to use PPG during transport/handling and usage. Information on toxicity, safety, handling, storage and disposal is contained in the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for this product.

ORDERS and **TECHNICAL SUPPORT** 

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# LIMITATIONS

This product is neither tested nor represented as suitable for medical or pharmaceutical uses. Not intended for human injection. Not intended for food use.

### **DOCUMENTATION**

A Certificate of Analysis and Safety Data Sheet (SDS) in accordance with EN 10204 are supplied with every shipment.

### LIMITED WARRANTY INFORMATION.

### PLEASE READ CAREFULLY.

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