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Products

Sillitin | Sillikolloid

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Standard products (natural, untreated fillers). Differ in brightness and particle size distribution.

Puriss

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Created by a downstream process. The extremely low residue of > 40 µm is reduced even more and the dispersion properties are improved.

Aktisil

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Surface-treated products. Neuburg Siliceous Earth modified with additives.

Silfit

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Calcined products based on Sillitin. A downstream thermal process gives the product additional application advantages as a functional filler.

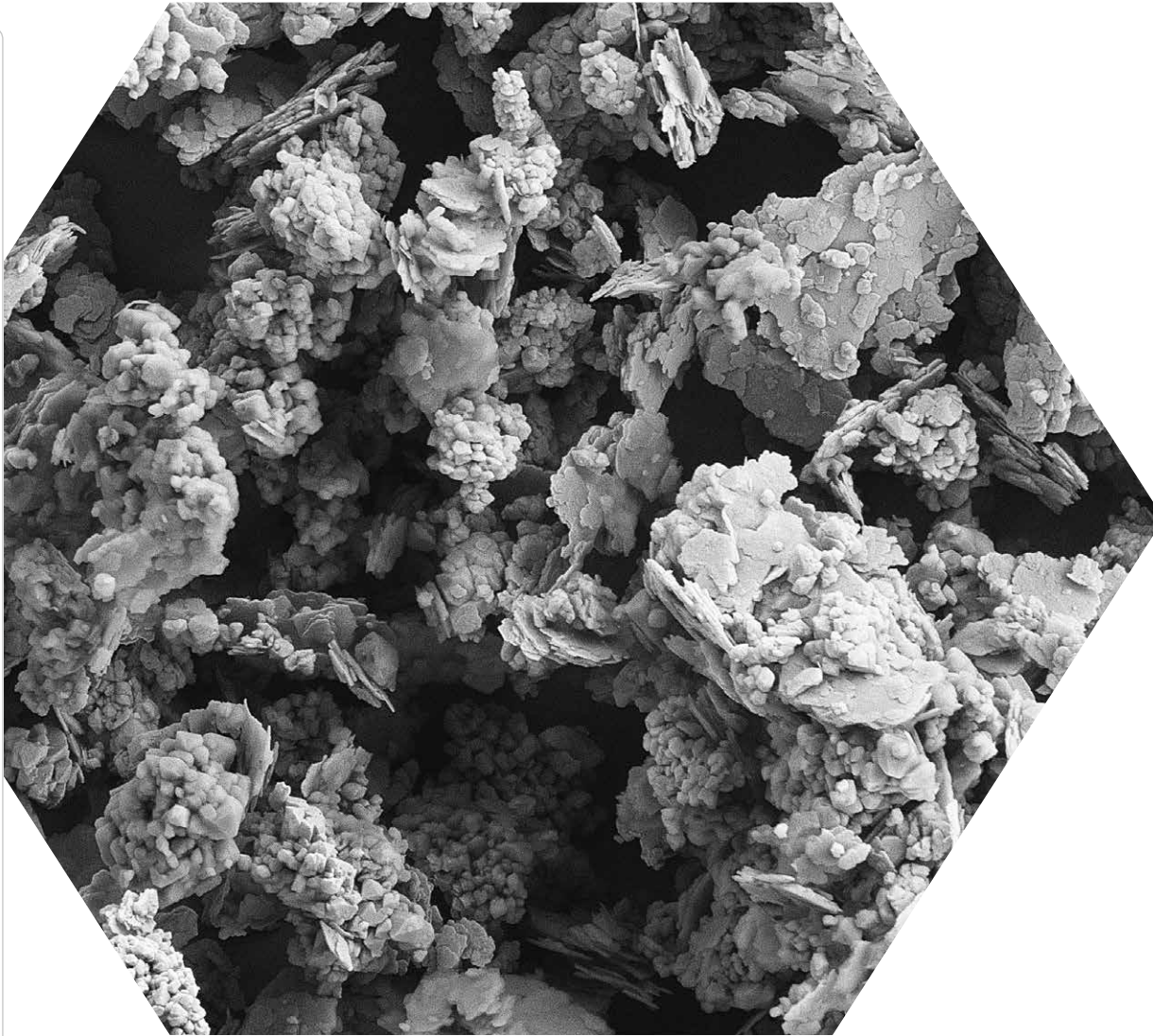
Aktifit

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An activated Silfit produced through surface treatment with special additives.

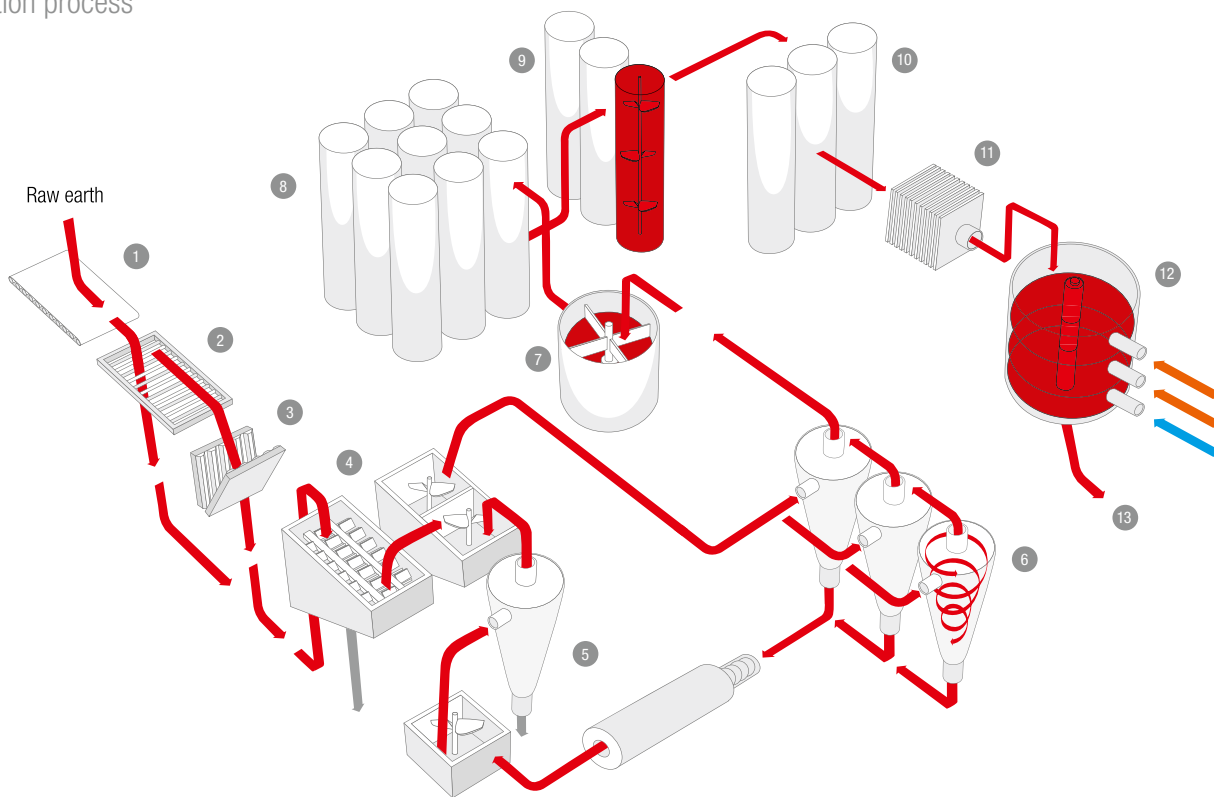
Sillitin | Sillikolloid

Morphology



Classic Neuburg Siliceous Earth is a natural combination of corpuscular Neuburg Silica and lamellar kaolinite: a loose mixture impossible to separate by physical methods. As a result of natural aging, the silica portion exhibits a round grain shape and consists of aggregated primary particles of about 200 nm diameter. Such a unique structure is responsible for a relatively high specific surface area and oil absorption, which result, besides rheological activity, also in a whole range of application properties.

Separation process



Basically speaking, our entire production process is a process of separation – only about 30 % of the raw earth extracted is an usable fine product. A particularly structure-conserving process separates the fine product from sand, sundry stones and rocks. In the first step, the raw material is dispersed in water and thus separated from gravel fractions. This is followed by the hydrocyclone unit which separates the sand fractions and divides the fine particles into different particle sizes. The slurry obtained is then concentrated and the water removed in filter presses. Finally, the natural gas powered turbine dryers remove the remaining moisture. The material is then pulverized and stored for further processing.

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Input and crushing of raw earth, separation of coarse material through vibration sieve

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Separation of gravel fractions and dispersion in water

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Removal of sand fractions and separation into different particle sizes with a hydrocyclone unit

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Concentration, storage and blending of different product types in the form of slurry

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Removal of water in filter presses and remaining moisture in counter-current dryers

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Refining, surface treatment, packaging

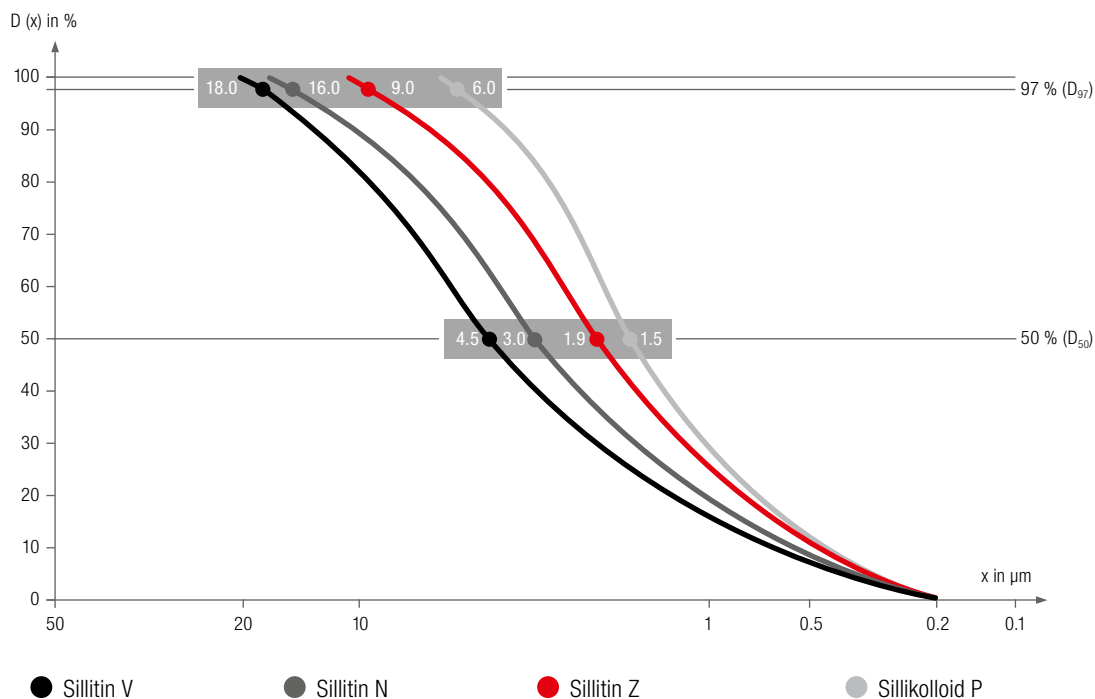
Sillitin | Sillikolloid

Particle size distribution

The particle size distribution, color value graphs and overview tables on the following pages show the physical properties and chemical composition of the Neuburg Siliceous Earth. The most significant differentiating characteristics are the particle size distribution and color neutrality.

Neuburg Siliceous Earth is available in four different particle fractions, identified by the letters V, N, Z and P.

Particle size distribution



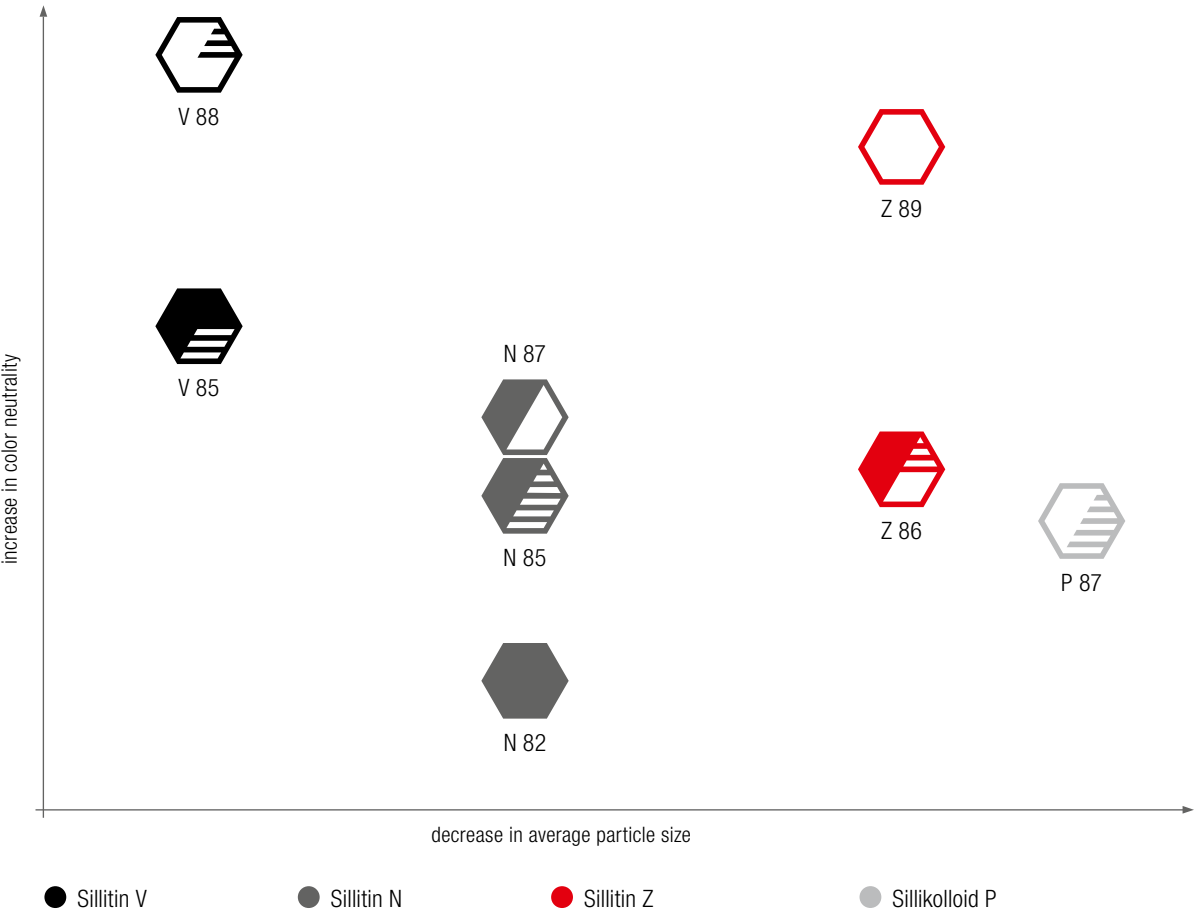
This particle size distribution is based on diffraction spectra by Fraunhofer. The analyses were performed with the Mastersizer 3000, a laser device from Malvern Instruments.

Sillitin | Sillikolloid

Color neutrality









In addition, classic Neuburg Siliceous Earth is available in different shades and colors ranging from yellow to off-white to white depending on the particle size distribution. This color neutrality is qualitatively expressed as numbers.

Color neutrality



Sillitin | Sillikolloid

Product characteristics

Product characteristic	Unit	 Sillitin V 85	 Sillitin V 88	 Sillitin N 82	 Sillitin N 85	 Sillitin N 87	 Sillitin Z 86	 Sillitin Z 89	 Sillikolloid P 87
Color values L* a* b*		93.0 1.0 9.0	95.0 0.5 5.0	91.0 2.5 14.5	93.0 1.0 9.0	94.0 1.0 9.0	94.0 1.0 9.5	96.1 0.2 4.2	94.2 0.9 9.0
Particle size D ₅₀ D ₉₇	µm µm	4.5 18	4.5 18	3.0 16	3.0 16	3.0 16	1.9 9	1.9 9	1.5 6
Residue > 40 µm	mg/kg	25	25	25	25	20	20	20	20
Volatile matter at 105 °C	%	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Electrical conductivity	µS/cm	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
Density	g/cm ³	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
Bulk density	g/cm ³	0.35	0.35	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.25	0.25	0.25
Tamped density	g/cm ³	0.60	0.60	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.40	0.40	0.40
Spec. surface area (BET)	m ² /g	10	8	12	10	10	13	11	14
Oil absorption	g/100 g	45	45	45	45	45	55	55	55
Hardness silica/kaolinite		7/2.5	7/2.5	7/2.5	7/2.5	7/2.5	7/2.5	7/2.5	7/2.5
Abrasivity	mg	40	40	40	35	35	30	30	25
Refractive index n		1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55
Water solubility	%	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5
Acid solubility	%	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1
Chemical analysis:									
SiO ₂	%	87	88	82	84	84	82	82	80
Al ₂ O ₃	%	8	8	12	10	10	12	12	14
Fe ₂ O ₃	%	< 1	< 1	< 1.5	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1
Mineralogical composition:									
Neuburg Silica	%	70	70	60	65	65	60	60	55
Kaolinite	%	17	17	25	20	20	25	25	30
Amorphous mineral phases	%	8	8	10	10	10	10	10	10
Other minerals	%	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5

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Material specifications for each product are binding and are available on our website www.hoffmann-mineral.com.

EINECS no.: 310-127-6

CAS no.: 1020665-14-8 (Siliceous Earth)

CAS no.: 7631-86-9 (silica), 1318-74-7 (kaolinite)

TSCA no.: 7631-86-9 (silica), 1318-74-7 (kaolinite)

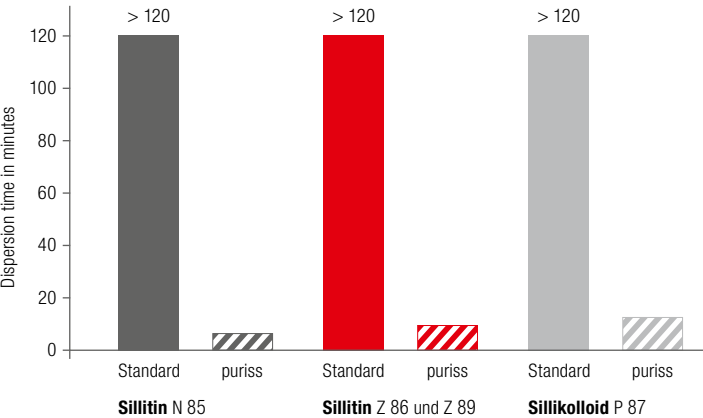
Puriss





Products with improved dispersion properties

- the extremely low residue of > 40 µm is significantly reduced even more
- reduction of abrasivity of this product series. Protection of user’s processing equipment (e. g. mixers, tools and airless spray nozzles)
- the puriss products are the No. 1 choice for all non-water-based formulas thanks to the excellent dispersion properties. They are also recommended for solvent-free systems like polyester, epoxy and polyurethane as well as for corresponding UV coatings. The use of puriss products even in water-based formulas is in particular an advantage in the case of critical dispersion conditions
- puriss products are especially suitable for thin layers
- in adhesives and sealants the puriss products usually have greater tensile strength and elongation at break

Dispersion properties in ester plasticizer

Stirred with blade mixer 1200 rpm, 20 % filler concentration, grain size (Hegmann gauge) ≤ 20 µm











Product characteristic	Unit				
		Sillitin N85 puriss	Sillitin Z86 puriss	Sillitin Z89 puriss	Sillikolloid P 87 puriss
Color values	L*	93.0	94.0	96.1	94.2
	a*	1.0	1.0	0.2	0.9
	b*	9.0	9.5.0	4.2	9.0
Particle size	D ₅₀	3.0	1.9	1.9	1.5
	D ₉₇	16	9	9	6
Residue > 40 µm	mg/kg	8	8	8	8
Volatile matter at 105 °C	%	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Electrical conductivity	µS/cm	80	80	80	80
Density	g/cm³	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
Bulk density	g/cm³	0.28	0.23	0.20	0.20
Tamped density	g/cm³	0.48	0.37	0.34	0.34
Oil absorption	g/100 g	45	55	55	55
Hardness silica/kaolinite		7/2.5	7/2.5	7/2.5	7/2.5
Abrasivity	mg	35	30	30	20
Refractive index n		1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55
Water solubility	%	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5
Acid solubility	%	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1
Dispersion time in ester plasticizer	min	3	7	7	8
Chemical analysis:	SiO ₂	84	82	82	80
	Al ₂ O ₃	10	12	12	14
	Fe ₂ O ₃	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1
Mineralogical composition:	Neuburg Silica	65	60	60	55
	Kaolinite	20	25	25	30
	Amorphous mineral phases	10	10	10	10
	Other minerals	5	5	5	5

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Aktisil

Product characteristics

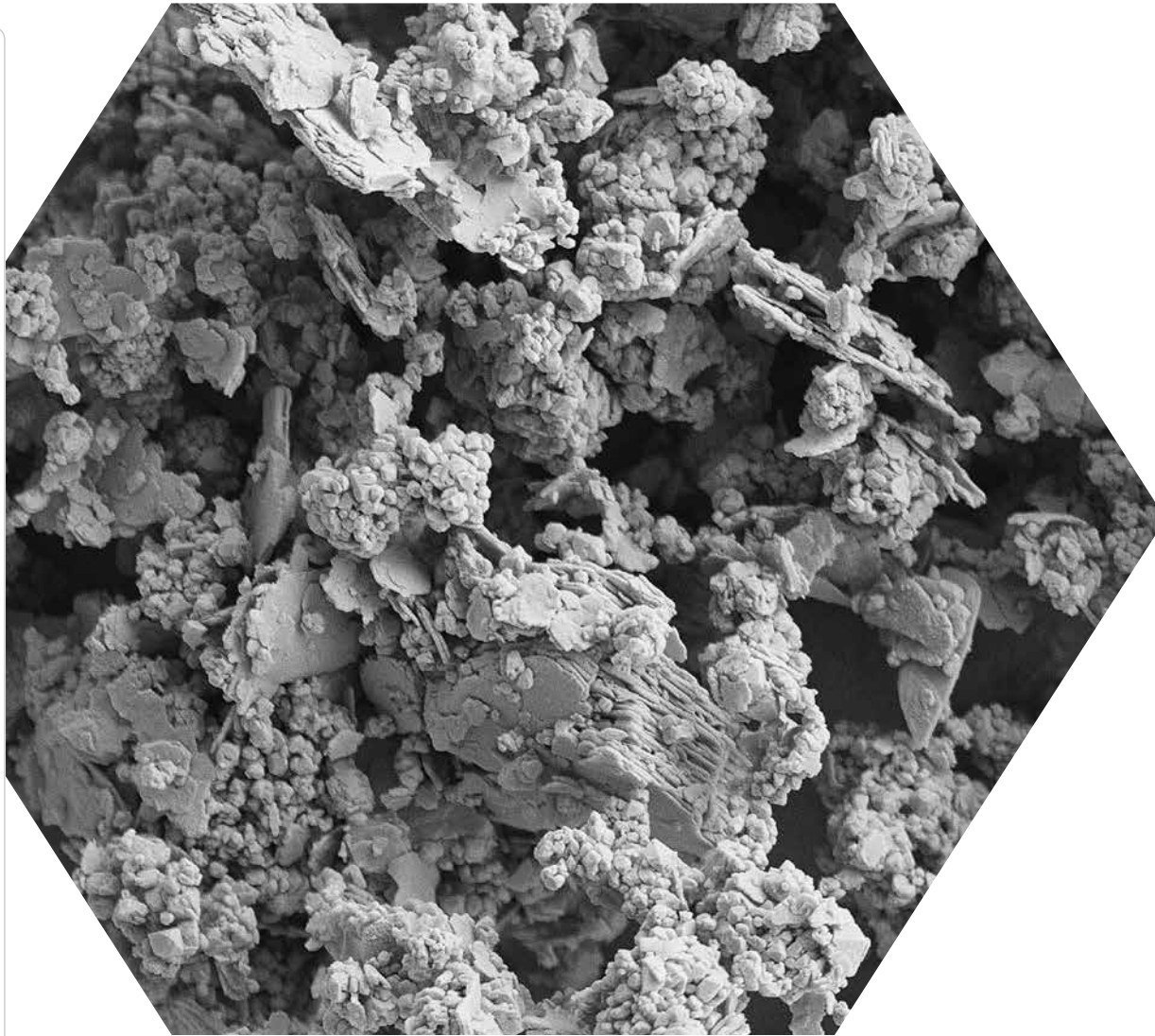
This special filler is made by treating the surface of Neuburg Siliceous Earth with additives.

Product characteristic	Unit	 Aktisil AM	 Aktisil MAM	 Aktisil MAM-R	 Aktisil MM	 Aktisil PF 216	 Aktisil PF 777	 Aktisil VM 56	 Aktisil VM 56/89
Basic material SILLITIN		Z 86	V 88	V 85	Z 86	Z 86	Z 86	Z 86	Z 89
Functionalization		Amino	Methacryl	Methacrylic	Mercapto	Tetrasulfane	Alkyl	Vinyl	Vinyl
Color values	L* a* b*	93.8 1.0 10.0	94.9 -0.2 4.0	93.0 1.0 10.0	93.8 1.0 10.0	93.8 1.0 10.0	93.8 1.0 10.0	93.8 1.0 10.0	96.0 0.3 4.0
Particle size	D ₅₀ D ₉₇	μm μm	2.2 10	4.5 18	4.5 18	2.2 10	2.2 10	2.2 10	2.0 9
Residue	> 40 μm	mg/kg	30	20	20	30	15	20	20
Volatile matter at 105 °C	%		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.8
Density	g/cm ³		2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
Bulk density	g/cm ³		0.32	0.45	0.45	0.32	0.25	0.25	0.3
Spec. surface area (BET)	m ² /g		9	7	9	9	9	9	8
Oil absorption	g/100 g		45	45	45	45	60	35	45
Water absorption	ml/g		not specified	0.9	0.9	not specified	0.01	0.01	not specified
Reactive			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Hydrophobic						✓	✓		

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Silfit | Aktifit

Morphology



Our calcined products Silfit and Aktifit are based on the standard product Sillitin Z 86. A thermal process is used to expel the crystalline water in the kaolinite portion, and new practically amorphous mineral phases are formed. The silica portion remains inert at the temperature used. The resulting products have an outstandingly high degree of whiteness and color neutrality.

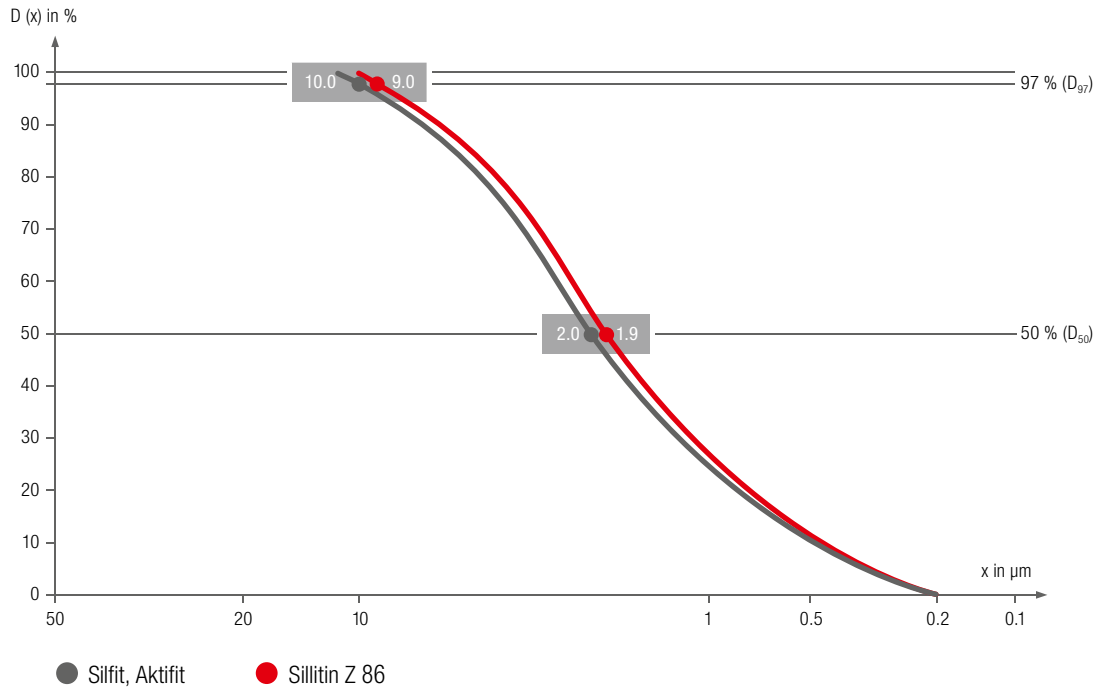
Silfit | Aktifit

Comparison of particle size distribution

There are six calcined Neuburg Siliceous Earth products available:

- basic product Silfit Z 91
- five surface-treated products:
 - Aktifit AM amino functionalized
 - Aktifit PF 111 alkyl functionalized
 - Aktifit PF 115 amino functionalized
 - Aktifit Q methacrylic functionalized
 - Aktifit VM vinyl functionalized

All calcined products have a particle size close to that of the uncalcined basic material Sillitin Z 86.

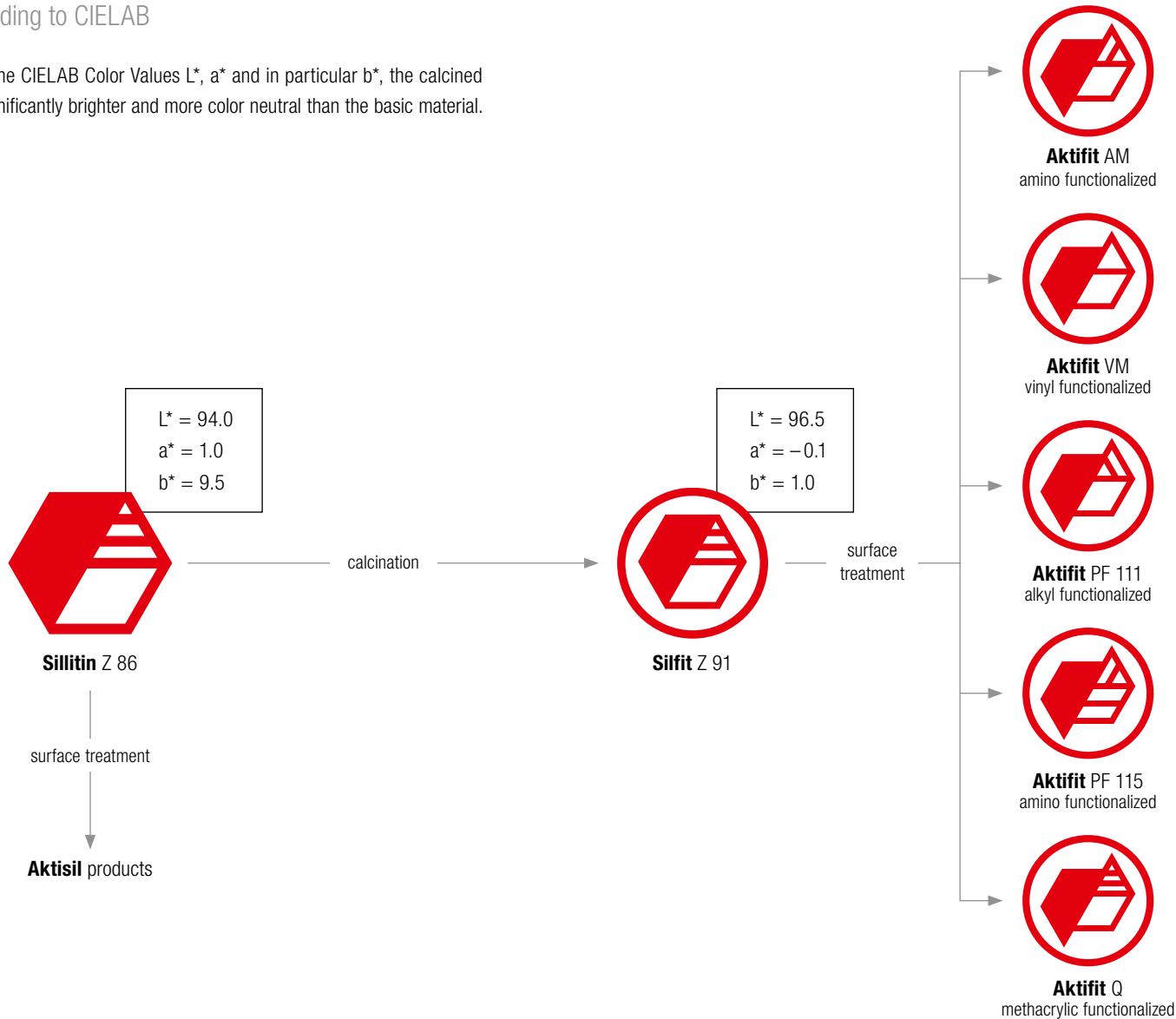


The measuring method for this particle size distribution is based on the Fraunhofer analysis of diffraction spectra. The analyses were performed with the Mastersizer 3000, a laser device from Malvern Instruments.

Silfit | Aktifit





Colors according to CIELAB

With regard to the CIELAB Color Values L^* , a^* and in particular b^* , the calcined products are significantly brighter and more color neutral than the basic material.



Silfit | Aktifit

Product characteristics

Product characteristic	Unit	 Silfit Z 91	 Aktifit AM	 Aktifit PF 111	 Aktifit PF 115	 Aktifit Q	 Aktifit VM
Basic material		Sillitin Z 86	Silfit Z 91	Silfit Z 91	Silfit Z 91	Silfit Z 91	Silfit Z 91
Functionalization		–	Amino	Alkyl	Amino	Methacrylic	Vinyl
Color values L*		96.5	96.2	96.2	96.2	96.2	96.2
a*		–0.1	–0.1	–0.1	–0.1	–0.1	–0.1
b*		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Particle size D ₅₀	µm	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
D ₉₇	µm	10	10	10	10	10	10
Residue > 40 µm	mg/kg	10	10	10	10	20	10
Volatile matter at 105 °C	%	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Electrical conductivity	µS/cm	20	60	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
Density	g/cm ³	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
Bulk density	g/cm ³	0.33	0.31	0.30	0.32	0.32	0.37
Tamped density	g/cm ³	0.55	0.55	0.60	0.62	0.65	0.67
Spec. surface area (BET)	m ² /g	10	9	9	9	9	9
Oil absorption	g/100 g	65	65	60	60	65	65
Silica hardness/calcined kaolinite		7/4.5	7/4.5	7/4.5	7/4.5	7/4.5	7/4.5
Refractive index n		1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55
Water solubility	%	< 0.5	< 0.5	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
Acid solubility	%	< 1	< 1	not applicable	< 1	not applicable	not applicable
pH value		6.5	9	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable	not applicable
Chemical analysis:							
SiO ₂	%	86	86	86	86	86	86
Al ₂ O ₃	%	13	13	13	13	13	13
Fe ₂ O ₃	%	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1
Mineralogical composition:							
Neuburg Silica	%	60	60	60	60	60	60
Calcined kaolinite	%	40	40	40	40	40	40
Equilibrium moisture content at 25 °C							
and 50 % relative humidity	%	0.12	0.11	0.07	0.04	0.04	0.05
and 80 % relative humidity	%	0.22	0.29	0.10	0.06	0.06	0.07
and 90 % relative humidity	%	0.54	0.55	0.13	0.07	0.07	0.08
Reactive			✓		✓	✓	✓
Hydrophobic				✓	✓	✓	✓

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TSCA-Nr.: 7631-86-9 (silica),
92704-41-1 (kaolin, calcined)

CAS-Nr.: 1214268-39-9 (Siliceous Earth, calcined)
CAS-Nr.: 7631-86-9 (silica),
92704-41-1 (kaolin, calcined)

Advantages of Neuburg Siliceous Earth and calcined Neuburg Siliceous Earth in paints and varnishes

Filler property	Effect in the system/formula
loose structure, small particle size	easy and rapid incorporation, excellent dispersion properties (especially puriss products), very low sedimentation, no hard sediment, good rheological properties (shear thinning, thixotropic), matting effect, very fast drying, good intercoat adhesion, water vapor permeability, good pigment dispersion (spacer effect), good edge covering, easy and rapid sanding, excellent stone-chipping resistance, good mechanical properties, good corrosion protection
non-ground filler, low grit content	low abrasivity
mineralogical composition (hardness)	scratch resistance, abrasion resistance
very low electrical conductivity (< 100 µS)/no buffer effect	no disturbing salts/electrolytes, good stability in water-based systems, good pigment paste stability and good bath stability in electrophoretic applications, good corrosion protection
chemically inert	weather and chemical resistance, especially against acids
refraction index similar to binder	good transparency in clear coatings
surface treatment possible	good interaction with the polymer matrix, rheology control
high purity	also suitable for food contact incl. drinking water as per BfR and FDA regulations

Special advantages of calcined Neuburg Siliceous Earth








Filler property	Effect in the system/formula
low moisture, low moisture absorption	also suitable for moisture-curing systems, good storage stability
very high brightness and color neutrality	for transparent or white products without yellow-tint, increase in hiding power or reduction of pigment content
outstanding dispersion properties (like puriss products)	quick and easy coating production
reduced influence on certain curing reactions	fast reaction start, fast and complete final reaction, less need for catalysts
reduced interaction of filler particles	lower viscosity, improved leveling






Aktisil | Aktifit

Applications

These special fillers are based on Neuburg Siliceous Earth, the surface of which is treated with additives.

The Aktisil and Aktifit products have largely functional groups that enable covalent bonds or intensive interaction with the polymer matrix and thereby achieve control and improvement of the thin-film coating properties.

Product name	Application
 Aktisil AM	primers, clear and pigmented coatings with low requirements for color neutrality, powder coatings (functional epoxies, FBE), OEM primer-surfacer water-based, anti-corrosion coatings, also water-based, black direct-to-metal (DTM)
 Aktisil MAM	dispersion paints with outstanding cleanability, primers, clear and pigmented coatings with high requirements for color neutrality, very easily dispersible, good leveling in mat powder coatings, very good matting effect and abrasion resistance, radically cured systems like UV wood coatings etc.
 Aktisil MAM-R	similar to MAM, but with lower requirements for color neutrality
 Aktisil MM	primers, clear and pigmented coatings with low requirements for color neutrality, powder coatings (functional epoxies, FBE)
 Aktisil PF 777	rheology control, strongly shear thinning, thixotropic, high yield point/stability/non-sagging, very good adhesion; anti-corrosion coatings, adhesion primer (also water-based), generally hydrophobic coatings
 Aktisil VM 56	primers, clear and pigmented coatings with low requirements for color neutrality, radically cured systems like UV coatings etc.
 Aktisil VM 56/89	same as VM 56, but for higher color neutrality requirements and slightly improved dispersion

Product name	Application
 Aktifit AM	similar to Aktisil AM, but with highest color neutrality and improved dispersion performance, often with lower viscosity; coil coatings (primer, back coat, top coats), OEM primer-surfacer water-based, powder coatings, anti-corrosion coatings (primers and top coats), clear coatings
 Aktifit PF 111	similar to PF 777, but with highest color neutrality and improved dispersion performance, better leveling, very low moisture content with no increase in humid climatic conditions; moisture-curing coatings like 1K PU, anti-corrosion coatings and adhesion primers (also water-based), Cathodic Electrodeposition (CED), generally hydrophobic coatings
 Aktifit PF 115	similar to Aktifit AM, but hydrophobic, very low moisture content without increase under humid climatic conditions; often higher viscosity at low shear rates, black cathodic deposition paints, also water-based anti-corrosion coatings, powder coatings polyester/primid
 Aktifit Q	similar to MAM, but with higher gloss and highest color neutrality, improved dispersion properties, hydrophobic, very low moisture content without increase under humid climatic conditions; moisture-curing coatings like 1K PU, radically cured systems; like clear and pigmented UV coatings, 3D printing, etc., dispersion-based clear wood coatings and coatings for concrete with good water resistance, water-based anti-corrosion coatings based on acrylates as single layer direct-to-metal (DTM) coating
 Aktifit VM	similar to VM 56 and VM 56/89, but with highest color neutrality and improved dispersion performance, hydrophobic, very low moisture content with no increase in humid climatic condition; often with lower viscosity; moisture-curing coatings like 1K PU, radically curing systems like clear and pigmented UV coatings etc., dispersion-based clear coatings for wood and concrete coatings with good water resistance

Following properties can be significantly influenced through functionalization: wetting, viscosity, yield point, leveling, gloss, reaction rate, hardness, adhesion, abrasion resistance, water absorption, water resistance, transparency, corrosion protection, chemical resistance.

Metal coatings



Electrophoretic coatings

Advantages:

- small particle size
- low grit content (oversized particles)
- excellent dispersion properties
- very low sedimentation, no hard sediment
- very low electrical conductivity, no disturbing electrolytes
- good flexibility (Erichsen cupping, impact)
- potential for decreasing the titanium dioxide concentration, especially in low-density systems

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin Z 86**
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- **Sillikolloid P 87**
lowest sedimentation, improved edge covering, higher gloss
- **Sillitin Z 89**
same as Z 86, but for brighter coatings
- **Aktisil PF 777**
same as Z 86, but with enhanced low temperature impact toughness and lower rust creep in VDA test, excellent stability of the pigment paste in black cathodic deposition
- **Silfit Z 91**
same as Z 89, but with highest brightness and color neutrality
- **Aktifit PF 111**
similar to PF 777, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, more easily dispersible, better leveling, excellent stability of the pigment paste in black cathodic deposition
- **Aktifit PF 115**
same as Z 91, but with excellent stability of the pigment paste in black cathodic deposition, even at higher storage temperature, higher gloss, higher Erichsen cupping and impact



Coil Coating

Advantages:

- small particle size
- excellent dispersion properties
- low sedimentation
- good leveling
- good adhesion
- good scratch resistance
- retention of good weathering resistance
- retention of good flexibility
- slight matting effect (depending on formulation and dosage)
- improved hiding power/opacity or partial replacement of titanium dioxide (top coats)
- partial replacement of corrosion protection pigments (primers and back coats)

Recommended products:

In top coats:

Polyester-based, partial replacement of titanium dioxide (up to 20 %)

- **Silfit Z 91**
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- **Aktifit AM**
same as Z 91, but with higher hardness, improved scratch resistance

In primers and back coats:

Polyester-based, as filler and for partial replacement of the corrosion protection pigment (up to 50 %)

- **Silfit Z 91**
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- **Aktifit AM**
good deaeration and good leveling, therefore suitable for the direct roller coating process, increase of moisture resistance, improved hiding power

Metal coatings



Primer-surfacer

Advantages:

- small particle size
- low grit content (oversized particles)
- excellent dispersion properties
- very low electrical conductivity, no disturbing electrolytes
- good sanding, low visibility of sanding marks
- improved appearance of subsequent coating layers
- good corrosion protection
- excellent stone-chipping resistance
- gloss at high volume solids
- good storage and sedimentation stability
- potential to reduce the anti-corrosive pigments
- reduced blistering
- good wet adhesion
- minimal delamination

Recommended products:

Applicable in all filler systems:

- Sillitin Z 86
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Sillitin Z 89
same as Z 86, but for brighter coatings
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 89, but with highest brightness and color neutrality

In solvent-based systems:

- Sillikolloid P 87
reduction of sanding marks and lowest sedimentation
- Sillikolloid P 87 puriss
same as P 87, but with improved dispersion

In water-based systems and automotive OEM:

- Aktisil AM
OEM primer-surfacer water-based, excellent stone-chipping resistance, high volume solids with high gloss, especially in combination with Disperbyk 111
- Aktifit AM
same as Aktisil AM, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, excellent stone-chipping resistance, gloss at high volume solids

In water based systems for train and industry:

- Aktisil AM
storage stability without sedimentation, early manual sandability, good wet adhesion, reduced delamination/blistering at salt spray test, longer protection period, even without active anti-corrosive pigments
- Aktifit AM
highest brightness and color neutrality, improved sandability for machine grinding at high rotation speed, good corrosion protection

Metal coatings



Corrosion protection coatings

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- good rheological properties
- very low sedimentation
- low abrasivity
- fast drying
- good weathering resistance
- good corrosion protection
- good chemical resistance, especially against acids
- excellent abrasion resistance
- potential for reducing the corrosion protection pigment

Recommended products:

Generally in corrosion protection coatings and polyaspartic systems:

- Sillitin V 85
low viscosity, high gloss in polyaspartic systems
- Sillitin Z 86
shear thinning, good and well-balanced results in the salt spray test and humidity test
- Sillitin Z 89
same as Z 86, but more neutral in color, for brighter coatings
- Aktisil PF 777
strongly shear thinning, very good adhesive strength and good humidity test results also on non-blasted steel, good chemical resistance
- Aktifit PF 111
similar to PF 777, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, more easily dispersible, better leveling

In epoxy systems containing solvents:

- Sillitin Z 86
standard product
- Aktisil AM
good leveling, good corrosion protection even with reduced zinc phosphate concentrations, also on non-blasted steel very good results for addition of amino silane, good chemical resistance
- Aktisil PF 777
strongly shear thinning, high sag resistance, good corrosion protection and good adhesion even with reduced zinc phosphate concentrations, also on non-blasted steel very good results for addition of amino silane, good chemical resistance, sedimentation stability

- Aktifit PF 111
similar to PF 777, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, more easily dispersible, better leveling

Water-based primers, acrylate based with active anti-corrosion pigments:

- Aktifit PF 111
good leveling, good adhesion at non-blasted steel, low water absorption, high resistance to blistering
- Aktifit PF 115
similar to PF 111 but higher wet and intercoat adhesion, better salt spray resistance, especially efficient in application with low film thickness and single layer

Water-based direct-to-metal (DTM) single-layer coatings on hydrophobic acrylate dispersion base:

- Sillitin Z 89
standard product with focus on costs, good adhesion and corrosion properties
- Aktifit Q
similar to Z 89, but brighter, highest color neutrality, hydrophobic, best barrier properties, long term of protection

Water-based, black direct-to-metal (DTM) one-coat acrylic dispersion-based coatings:

- Aktisil AM
storage stable filler pastes without sedimentation, good adhesion to the substrate during corrosion exposure, minimizes delamination at the scribe. Best results with corrosion inhibitors without anti-corrosion pigments

Water-based epoxy system, clear coat without corrosion protection pigments:

- Sillitin Z 89
reduction of milky-white blushing and improvement of transparency after exposure to condensation water, improvement of delamination after salt spray test
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 89, but greatest reduction of blooming and best transparency after exposure to condensation water
- Aktisil AM
improvement of the anti-corrosion properties after salt spray test, especially in high concentrations

Metal coatings



Powder coatings

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- low abrasivity
- good edge covering
- good corrosion protection, especially low delamination and rust creep
- scratch resistance
- abrasion resistance
- flexibility (Erichsen cupping, impact)
- good chemical resistance, especially against hot water
- improved hiding power or partial replacement of titanium dioxide

Recommended products:

In pure epoxy powder coatings (FBE):

- Sillitin N 82
low color requirements, standard product
- Sillitin Z 86
same as N 82, but with higher color neutrality and lower abrasivity
- Sillitin Z 89
same as Z 86, but for brighter coatings
- puriss products
lower abrasivity
- Aktisil AM/Aktisil MM
improved hot water resistance

Polyester/HAA (Primid) (all colors except white):

- Silfit Z 91
for gloss applications, homogeneous and fine structure, improvement of flexibility (impact), improvement of water spot resistance, slight improvement of weather resistance, better corrosion resistance/reduction of delamination
- Sillitin V 88
same as Z 91, but for semi-gloss applications, improvement of flexibility (impact), slight improvement of weather resistance, better corrosion resistance/reduction of delamination
- Aktifit PF 115
same as Z 91, but for high gloss applications with low haze, improved surface appearance/texture

Hybrid, Polyester/TGIC (all colors):

- Silfit Z 91
partial replacement of titanium dioxide, improved scratch resistance, very good flow performance, outstanding impact with higher dosing, retention of weather resistance and better corrosion resistance in the TGIC system

In UV-cured powder coatings according to requirements:

- Sillitin V 88
- Silfit Z 91
- Aktifit Q
- Aktisil MAM



Topcoat ACE

Advantages:

- good rheological properties
- very low sedimentation
- retention of good weathering resistance
- good chemical resistance
- improved hiding power or partial replacement of titanium dioxide

Recommended products:

- Aktifit PF 111
standard product, balanced profile of properties

Wood and film coatings



UV/excimer curing coatings and clear coatings for wood and films

Advantages:

- adjustable rheology through choice of product
- low sedimentation
- no hard sediment
- low abrasivity
- scratch resistance
- abrasion resistance
- very good transparency
- matting effect
- no effect on UV-curing

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin V 88**
low viscosity, good matting effect, good transparency and abrasion resistance, also for excimer curing
- **Aktisil MAM**
same as V 88, but with improved abrasion resistance, also for excimer curing
- **Silfit Z 91**
similar to V 88, but with highest color neutrality, best dispersion properties, higher viscosity at low shear rates, reduced sedimentation, minimally whitish glaze, higher gloss
- **Aktifit VM**
same as Z 91, but with lower viscosity at low shear rates, improved abrasion resistance, improved hiding power without UV-curing problems in white pigmented top coats
- **Aktifit Q**
low viscosity, good matting effect, good transparency and abrasion resistance, also for excimer curing
- **Sillitin Z 89**
same as V 88, but with lower color neutrality, higher viscosity, reduced sedimentation, higher gloss
- **Sillitin Z 89 puriss**
same as Z 89, but with improved dispersion
- **Aktisil VM 56/89**
same as Z 89, but with improved abrasion resistance



Dispersion-based clear wood coatings

Advantages:

- easy dosing and incorporation, hardly any dust formation
- excellent dispersion properties
- little to no foam formation
- better sanding after shorter drying time
- improved abrasion resistance
- anti-blocking effect
- good transparency
- excellent matting effect
- resistance to water and stains
- good appearance on dark woods, wood grain enhancement

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin V 88**
good transparency and matting
- **Sillitin Z 89**
same as V 88, but no sedimentation, slightly higher gloss
- **Aktisil MAM**
same as V 88, but with improved resistance to abrasion, water and stains
- **Silfit Z 91**
similar to V 88 and Z 89, but with highest color neutrality, slightly whitish glaze, for pigmented coatings
- **Aktifit Q**
same as Z 91, but with improved resistance to abrasion, water and stains

Wood and film coatings



Exterior top coats and breathable primers

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- balanced rheology
- very low sedimentation
- fast drying
- water vapor permeability

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 89
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Sillitin Z 89 puriss
same as Z 89, but with improved dispersion performance in solvent-based coatings (sufficient dispersion with dissolver)

Plastic coatings



Recommended products:

- Sillitin V 85
intensive matting
- Sillitin V 88
same as V 85, but for brighter coatings
- Sillitin Z 86
same as V 85, but with less matting, reduced sedimentation, reduced surface roughness
- Sillitin Z 89
same as Z 86, but for brighter coatings
- Aktifit PF 115
color neutrality, for transparent coatings, partial replacement of matting agent, good resistance, good adhesion

Soft-feel coatings

Advantages:

- low sedimentation
- excellent matting
- extended retention of the soft-feel effect
- good chemical resistance
- good abrasion resistance
- good transparency
- good adhesion

Plastic coatings



Plastic primers

Advantages:

- very low sedimentation
- balanced rheology with only minimal sagging and good leveling
- good adhesion

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin Z 86**
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- **Aktisil PF 777**
same as Z 86, but with greatly reduced sagging and improved adhesion
- **Aktifit PF 111**
similar to PF 777, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, more easily dispersible, better leveling

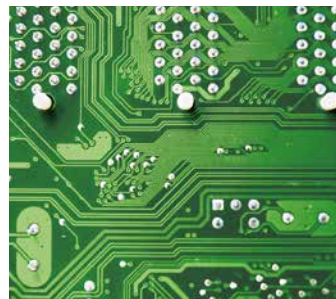
Plastic topcoats

Advantages:

- low sedimentation
- high gloss retention, very low haze
- good/improved hiding power/opacity
- partial titanium dioxide replacement
- excellent dispersion properties
- very high brightness and color neutrality
- potential for saving formulation costs

Recommended products:

- **Silfit Z 91**
standard product, balanced profile of properties
- **Aktifit PF 111**
same as Z 91, but possible reduction/replacement of rheological additives, thus avoiding their negative effects



Solder resist inks

Advantages:

- particle size spectrum meeting requirements
- no disturbing electrolytes
- excellent dispersion properties
- low sedimentation
- balanced rheology
- good edge covering
- no effect on UV-curing
- superior chemical resistance

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin Z 89 puriss**
balanced profile of properties
- **Sillikolloid P 87**
finer than Z 89 puriss, higher viscosity at low shear rates
- **Sillikolloid P 87 puriss**
same as P 87, but with improved dispersion performance
- **Aktisil AM**
according to requirements
- **Aktisil MAM**
according to requirements, mainly for low-viscosity UV-curing systems

Plastic coatings



Screen printing inks

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- good rheological properties, improved ink transfer
- very good edge definition with high resolution printing

Recommended products:

- Aktifit PF 111
balanced profile of properties, standard product

Construction coatings and decorative paints



Road marking paints

Advantages:

- very low sedimentation
- fast drying
- improved hiding power (opacity) or partial replacement of titanium dioxide
- abrasion resistance
- night visibility/improved anchoring of reflecting glass beads
- improved early rain resistance

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 89
balanced profile of properties
- Sillitin V 88
same as Z 89, but with lower viscosity and better color neutrality
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 89, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, partial replacement of titanium dioxide, low viscosity, standard product
- Sillitin N 82
for yellow marking paints



Dispersion coatings for concrete for roofs and balconies

Advantages:

- balanced rheology
- fast drying, even with thick layers and humid climate
- abrasion resistance

Recommended products:

- Aktisil MAM
low water absorption, abrasion resistance, matting
- Sillitin Z 89
higher viscosity at low shear rates, low sedimentation, less matting
- Silfit Z 91
highest brightness and color neutrality
- Aktifit Q
same as Z 91, but with improved abrasion resistance, lower water absorption

Construction coatings and decorative paints



Interior dispersion paints with special properties

Advantages:

- cleanability
- resistance against cleaning agents and disinfectants
- wet-scrub resistance
- good burnish resistance
- also suitable for transparent coatings

Recommended products:

- **Aktisil MAM**
standard product, good matting effect, good burnish resistance, good wet scrub resistance, good soiling resistance and cleanability
- **Aktifit Q**
hydrophobic, highest brightness and color neutrality, higher gloss



Façade paints

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- very low sedimentation
- good abrasion resistance
- matting
- improved hiding power or partial replacement of titanium dioxide
- water vapor permeability

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin N 82**
same as replacement for yellow pigments
- **Sillitin Z 89**
balanced profile of properties
- **Sillitin V 88**
same as Z 89, but with greater matting effect and better color neutrality
- **Silfit Z 91**
same as Z 89, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, partial replacement of titanium dioxide, low viscosity, standard product
- **Aktisil MAM**
same as V 88, but with less water absorption



Silicate and dispersion silicate paints

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- high rheological stability
- very low or no sedimentation
- good abrasion resistance
- water vapor permeability
- silicifiable with alkali silicate solution
- improved hiding power (opacity) or partial replacement of titanium dioxide

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin Z 89**
thixotropic, high rheological stability, color neutrality
- **Sillitin V 88**
similar to Z 89, but coarser, lower viscosity, lower water absorption, better color neutrality
- **Silfit Z 91**
same as Z 89, but lower viscosity, lower water absorption, highest brightness and color neutrality

Construction coatings and decorative paints



Interior dispersion paints

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- matting
- no sedimentation
- improved hiding power or partial replacement of TiO_2 /pigment
- good wet-scrub resistance

Recommended products:

- Sillitin N 82
as replacement for yellow pigments
- Sillitin Z 89
balanced profile of properties
- Sillitin V 88
same as Z 89, but with greater matting effect, better color neutrality and better wet-scrub resistance
- Silfit Z 91
as Z 89, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, standard product for partial replacement of titanium dioxide
- Aktisil MAM
as V 88, but with less absorption, better stain resistance, best wet-scrub resistance

Advantages of Neuburg Siliceous Earth and calcined Neuburg Siliceous Earth in reaction resins, adhesives and sealants

Filler property	Effect in the system/formula
loose structure, small particle size	easy and rapid incorporation, excellent dispersion properties (especially puriss products), very low sedimentation, no hard sediment, good rheological properties (shear thinning, thixotropic), matting effect, very fast drying, good pigment dispersion (spacer effect), good mechanical properties (tensile strength, lap shear strength, tear resistance), good corrosion protection
non-ground filler, low grit content	low abrasivity
mineralogical composition (hardness)	scratch resistance, abrasion resistance
very low electrical conductivity (< 100 µS)/no buffer effect	no disturbing salts/electrolytes, good stability in water-based systems, good corrosion protection
chemically inert	weather and chemical resistance, especially against acids
refraction index similar to binder	good transparency/translucency
surface treatment possible	good interaction with the polymer matrix, rheology control
high purity	also suitable for food contact incl. drinking water as per BfR and FDA regulations

Special advantages of calcined Neuburg Siliceous Earth









Filler property	Effect in the system/formula
low moisture, low moisture absorption	also suitable for moisture-curing systems, good storage stability
very high brightness and color neutrality	for transparent/translucent or white products without yellow-tint, reduction of pigment content
outstanding dispersion properties (like puriss products)	quick and easy dispersion process/production
reduced influence on certain curing reactions	fast reaction start, fast and complete final reaction, less need for catalysts
reduced interaction of filler particles	lower viscosity






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Applications

These special fillers are based on Neuburg Siliceous Earth, the surface of which is treated with additives.

The Aktisil and Aktifit products have largely functional groups that enable covalent bonds or intensive interaction with the polymer matrix and thereby achieve control and improvement of the properties.

Product name	Application
 Aktisil AM	2K PU applications with higher requirements for mechanical properties, abrasion resistance and chemical resistance, for example for roof and flooring membranes, concrete pipe seals, pipeline coating, sealing membranes, mortar and grouting with improved chemical resistance, adhesive tapes (in adhesive layer), plastisols
 Aktisil MAM	radically curing reactive resins and UV-curing adhesives
 Aktisil MAM-R	similar to MAM, but with lower requirements for color neutrality
 Aktisil MM	2K PU applications with improved mechanics
 Aktisil PF 216	polysulfide sealants, sealing compounds, adhesive tapes (in adhesive layer)
 Aktisil PF 777	products requiring a hydrophobic filler to minimize water absorption or if a higher rheological activity of the filler is required; non-sagging 2K PU applications with improved water resistance, for example for roof and flooring membranes, pipe seals, 2K PU adhesives, mortar and grouting with improved water resistance, adhesives for wind turbine rotor blades, non-sagging 2K epoxy systems, MS and STP systems with improved water and acid resistance, plastisols
 Aktisil VM 56	radically curing reactive resins and UV-curing adhesives, adhesive tapes (in adhesive layer), plastisols
 Aktisil VM 56/89	as VM 56 but for higher color neutrality requirements and slightly improved dispersion performance

Product name	Application
 Aktifit AM	similar to AKTISIL AM, but with highest color neutrality and improved dispersion performance, often with lower viscosity; moisture-curing STP adhesives for parquet, windscreens and general industrial applications, coatings for pipelines with drinking water contact, 2K PU roller coverings, 2K PU sealants, seals and sealing membranes
 Aktifit PF 111	similar to PF 777, but with highest color neutrality and improved dispersion performance, very low moisture content with no increase in humid climatic conditions; gel coats with improved thixotropy, 1K and 2K PU applications, adhesive tapes (in adhesive layer), non-sagging moisture-curing STP adhesives and sealants for parquet, windscreens and general industrial applications with excellent hot water resistance and adhesive strength on aluminum, plastisols
 Aktifit PF 115	similar to AKTIFIT AM, but hydrophobic, very low moisture content, 2K PU thick film thickness, e. g. Pipelines, adhesives based on STP-U and 1K PU
 Aktifit Q	similar to VM 56 and VM 56/89, but with highest color neutrality and improved dispersion properties, hydrophobic, very low moisture content without increase under humid climatic conditions, often lower viscosity; generally products that require an extremely hydrophobic filler for minimizing water absorption without higher rheological activity, humidity-sensitive systems that are manufactured without pre-drying of the filler, e. g. MS and STP systems, 1K and 2K PU applications, gel coats with improved water resistance, adhesive tapes (in adhesive layer), moisture-curing STP adhesives, 3D printing SLA
 Aktifit VM	similar to VM 56 and VM 56/89, but with highest color neutrality and improved dispersion performance, hydrophobic, very low moisture content with no increase in humid climatic conditions, often with lower viscosity; generally products requiring an extreme hydrophobic filler to minimize water absorption without higher rheological activity, systems sensitive to moisture which are produced without pre-drying the filler, e. g. MS and STP systems, 1K and 2K PU applications, gel coats with improved water resistance, adhesive tapes (in adhesive layer), moisture-curing STP adhesives for parquet, car windscreens and general industrial applications with excellent hot water resistance and adhesive strength on aluminum

Following properties can be significantly influenced: wetting, viscosity, yield point, reaction time/catalyst requirement, tensile strength, tear resistance, compression set, hardness, adhesive strength, shear adhesion at high temperatures (SAFT), abrasion resistance, water absorption, water resistance, transparency, corrosion protection, chemical resistance.

Reactive resins



Gel coats

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- improves pigment dispersion (spacer effect)
- low sedimentation
- balanced rheology (good deaeration/non-sagging)
- good weathering resistance
- good chemical resistance
- good water resistance
- good flexibility
- abrasion resistance

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 89 puriss
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 89 puriss, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, faster reaction start
- Aktifit VM
same as Z 91, but with improved water resistance
- Aktifit Q
same as VM, but with higher polarity and reactivity through methacrylic groups
- Aktifit PF 111
same as VM, but with higher rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning)



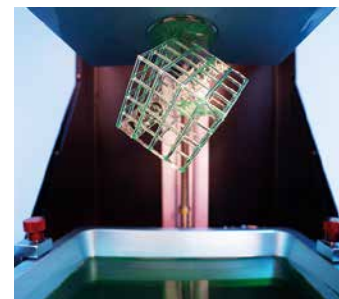
Acrylic sinks

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- low increase in viscosity
- high brightness
- high color neutrality
- improves pigment dispersion (spacer effect) and potential for partial pigment replacement
- thermal shock resistance
- scratch resistance
- abrasion resistance

Recommended products:

- Silfit Z 91
balanced profile of properties
- Aktifit AM
same as Z 91, but for higher requirements regarding mechanics, scratch and abrasion resistance
- Aktifit VM
same as Aktifit AM, but in addition hydrophobic
- Aktifit Q
same as VM, but with higher polarity and reactivity through methacrylic groups



Stereolithography (SLA), UV-curing

Advantages:

- despite fill level up to 20 %:
- moderate increase in viscosity
- undisturbed UV crosslinking
- largely retention of tensile strength, elongation at break and impact strength
- increase in stiffness and heat distortion temperature

Recommended products:

- Aktifit Q
best properties

Reactive resins



Industrial flooring based on epoxy resin

Advantages:

- very good dispersion properties
- good transparency in sealers
- anti-settlement additive for coarse fillers
- good processing properties, also with minimized additive content:
 - good leveling
 - good deaeration
 - good pigment stability
 - appearance of crossover-area of adjacent lines
- improved mechanical properties, also with minimized additive content:
 - tensile and compressive strength
 - tensile modulus
 - abrasion resistance

- good chemical resistance
- also suitable for food contact and drinking water applications (as per BfR and FDA regulations)

Recommended products:

Self-levelling systems, solvent free and water-based:

- Sillitin Z 86
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Sillitin Z 89
same as Z 86, but also for brighter applications

Transparent sealer (top coat):

- Sillitin Z 86 puriss
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Sillitin Z 89 puriss
same as Z 86 puriss, but also for sealers with better color neutrality
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 89 puriss, but with highest color neutrality, lower viscosity



Mortar, grouting, coatings with the highest chemical resistance

Advantages:

- selectable rheology (free-flowing to non-sagging)
- easy processing
- good mechanical properties (high strength)
- good chemical resistance
- also suitable for food contact and drinking water applications (as per BfR and FDA regulations)

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 86
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Sillitin Z 86 puriss
same as Z 86, but with improved dispersion
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 86 puriss, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, lower viscosity and higher acid resistance
- Aktisil PF 777
same as Z 86, but with higher rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning) and improved water resistance/hydrophobic properties
- Aktisil AM
same as Z 86, but with improved chemical resistance
- Aktifit AM
same as Z 91, but with improved chemical resistance

2K Polyurethane applications



Coatings, sealants, adhesives,
tooling resins

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- selectable rheology (free-flowing to non-sagging)
- easy processing
- good mechanical properties:
 - tensile strength
 - tear resistance
 - elasticity/compression set
 - abrasion resistance
- good chemical resistance, especially against acids
- good water resistance
- also suitable for food contact and drinking water applications (as per BfR and FDA regulations)

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 86 puriss
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Sillitin Z 89 puriss
same as Z 86 puriss, but also for brighter applications
- Sillitin Z 86/Sillitin Z 89
for lower requirements for dispersion properties
- Sillikolloid P 87 puriss
same as Z 86 puriss, but with slightly higher tensile strength and tear resistance, higher viscosity
- Aktisil AM
same as Z 86, but with better mechanical properties like higher tensile strength, better compression set and abrasion resistance as well as partly higher adhesive strength and chemical resistance
- Aktisil PF 777
same as Z 86, but with higher rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning) and improved water resistance
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 89 puriss, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, lower viscosity, faster crosslinking reaction
- Aktifit AM
same as Z 91, but with better mechanical properties like higher tensile strength, better compression set and abrasion resistance as well as partly higher adhesive strength and chemical resistance

- Aktifit VM
same as Z 91, but with improved water resistance
- Aktifit Q
same as VM, but with higher polarity through methacrylic groups
- Aktifit PF 111
same as VM, but with higher rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning)
- Aktifit PF 115
same as Aktifit AM, but hydrophobic, very low moisture content without increase under humid climatic conditions, according to polarity moderate rheological activity



Sports surfaces/sealers

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- easy processing
- good mechanical properties
- abrasion resistance
- transparency

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 86 puriss
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Sillitin Z 89 puriss
same as Z 86 puriss, but also for brighter and transparent/translucent applications
- Sillitin Z 86/Sillitin Z 89
for lower requirements for dispersion properties
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 89 puriss, but with highest brightness and color neutrality also for transparent/translucent applications, lower viscosity, faster crosslinking reaction

2K Polyurethane applications



Pipeline coating

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- easy processing
- good mechanical properties
- abrasion resistance
- good corrosion protection properties
- good chemical resistance, especially against acids
- good water resistance
- also suitable for food contact and drinking water applications (as per BfR and FDA regulations)

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 86 puriss
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 86 puriss, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, faster crosslinking reaction, higher tensile strain/deformability
- Aktifit AM
same as Z 91, but with better mechanical properties like higher tensile strength and abrasion resistance as well as chemical resistance
- Aktifit PF 115
same as Z 91, but hydrophobic, very low moisture content without increase under humid climatic conditions, moderate rheological activity, higher tensile strain/deformability, higher impact strength, good corrosion protection, no sedimentation



Sealants and membranes, free-flowing to non-sagging

Advantages:

- selectable rheology (free-flowing to non-sagging)
- good mechanical properties (high strength)
- good chemical resistance
- also suitable for food contact and drinking water applications (as per BfR and FDA regulations)

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 86 puriss
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Sillitin Z 86
for lower requirements for dispersion properties
- Aktisil AM
same as Z 86, but with better mechanical properties like higher tensile strength, better abrasion resistance as well as partly higher adhesive strength and chemical resistance
- Aktisil PF 777
same as Z 86, but with higher rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning) and improved water resistance
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 86 puriss, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, lower viscosity, faster crosslinking reaction
- Aktifit AM
same as Z 91, but with better mechanical properties like higher tensile strength, better abrasion resistance as well as partly higher adhesive strength and chemical resistance
- Aktifit VM
same as Z 91, but with improved water resistance
- Aktifit PF 111
same as VM, but with higher rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning)

2K Polyurethane applications



Roller coverings

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- balanced profile of properties for strength, abrasion resistance, low swelling, heat build-up and durability

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 89 puriss
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Silfit Z 91
same as Z 89 puriss, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, lower viscosity, faster crosslinking reaction
- Aktifit AM
same as Z 91, but with higher abrasion resistance, less swelling, lower heat build-up



Moldmaking compounds and molds for precast concrete components

Advantages:

- good mechanical properties in tensile strength, tear resistance and abrasion resistance

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 86
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Sillitin Z 86 puriss
same as Z 86, but with improved dispersion

Plastisols



Coatings

Advantages:

- good adhesive strength
- mechanical resistance (abrasion, stone chipping)
- partial replacement of rheological additive silica

Recommended products:

- Aktisil VM 56
balanced profile of properties
- Aktisil AM
same as VM 56, but with improved stone chip impact resistance
- Aktisil PF 777
same as Aktisil AM, but for higher requirements for moisture resistance and higher thixotropy, hydrophobic, improved adhesion, potentially lowered gelation temperature, partial replacement of rheological additive silica
- Aktifit AM
same as Aktisil AM, but with highest brightness and color neutrality
- Aktifit VM
same as VM 56, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, lower viscosity, for higher requirements for moisture resistance, hydrophobic
- Aktifit PF 111
same as VM, but with higher thixotropy, hydrophobic

Adhesives



Polychloroprene adhesives

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- selectable rheology (free-flowing to non-sagging)
- low sedimentation
- improved strength

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin Z 86 puriss**
standard product, balanced profile of properties
- **Aktisil PF 777**
same as Z 86 puriss, but with higher rheological activity, hydrophobic
- **Aktifit PF 111**
same as PF 777, but improved dispersion, highest brightness and color neutrality



Paper adhesives (Dispersion-based)

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- low sedimentation
- good bond strength

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin Z 89**
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- **Sillitin Z 86**
for lower requirements for color



Adhesives for wind turbine rotor blades

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- low sedimentation
- rheology/thixotropy
- high strength and elongation at break

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin Z 86/Z 89**
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- **Sillitin Z 86/Z 89 puriss**
same as Z 89, but with improved dispersion
- **Aktisil PF 777**
same as Z 86, but with higher yellow tint and higher rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning) hydrophobic
- **Silfit Z 91**
same as Z 89 puriss, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, lower viscosity
- **Aktifit AM**
same as Z 91, but with increased stability under moisture exposure
- **Aktifit PF 111**
same as Aktifit AM, but with higher rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning), hydrophobic
- **Aktifit PF 115**
same as Aktifit AM, but higher strength, elongation at break and impact strength, hydrophobic

Adhesives



Moisture-curing adhesives based on STP and PUR, e. g. for parquet, car windscreens, industrial applications

Advantages:

- selectable rheology (free-flowing to non-sagging)
- excellent strength properties, up to 2-fold or 3-fold of calcium carbonate (tensile strength and lap shear strength), mostly without reducing the ultimate elongation
- good water resistance and chemical resistance

Recommended products:

STP-E and STP-U adhesives:

- **Sillitin V 85**
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- **Sillitin Z 86 puriss**
same as V 85, but with higher viscosity and higher tensile and lap shear strength
- **Silfit Z 91**
same as V 85, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, lower moisture content, lower viscosity, higher tensile and lap shear strength, standard product for high-strength adhesives
- **Aktifit AM**
same as Z 91, enables lower concentrations of amino silane in the formula
- **Aktifit VM**
same as Z 91, but with very low moisture content without increase under humid climatic conditions, very high tensile and lap shear strength, excellent hot water resistance and adhesive strength on aluminum
- **Aktifit PF 111**
same as VM, but with high rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning) with high tensile and lap shear strength, highest tear resistant in STP-U
- **Aktifit PF 115**
same as VM, but with highest lap shear strength in STP-U

1K PUR adhesives:

- **Aktifit VM**
hydrophobic, very low moisture content without increase under humid climatic conditions, low rheological activity, high tensile and lap shear strength
- **Aktifit PF 111**
same as VM, but with high rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning)
- **Aktifit PF 115**
as VM, according to polarity of the PU moderate rheological activity



Adhesives for electronic components

Advantages:

- thermal shock resistance

Recommended products:

- **Sillitin Z 86**
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- **Sillitin Z 86 puriss**
same as Z 86, but with improved dispersion

Adhesives



Mounting adhesives (polyester/acrylic based)

Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- selectable rheology (free-flowing to non-sagging)
- low sedimentation
- improved strength

Recommended products:

- Sillitin V 85
standard product, balanced profile of properties
- Aktisil VM 56
same as V 85, but improved strength properties, covalent bond with the polymer
- Aktifit VM
same as VM 56, but hydrophobic, improved dispersion, highest brightness color neutrality
- Aktifit Q
same as VM, but with higher polarity and reactivity through methacrylic groups
- Aktifit PF 111
same as VM, but higher rheological activity



Adhesive tapes PSA (adhesive layer)

Advantages:

- improved bond strength through increased cohesion
- reduction/elimination of adhesive layer residues on the substrate after removing the adhesive tape
- improvement of the shear adhesion at high temperatures (SAFT)

Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 86
balanced profile of properties, standard product
- Aktisil AM/Aktisil VM 56/
Aktisil PF 216
for high requirements for adhesive strength and SAFT
- Aktifit AM/Aktifit VM/Aktifit Q
same as Aktisil types, but with highest brightness and color neutrality, lower viscosity
- Aktifit PF 111
same as VM, but with higher rheological activity (higher viscosity at low shear rates, yield point, greater shear thinning)

Adhesives



Laminating adhesives (films on chipboards, dispersion-based)








Advantages:

- excellent dispersion properties
- low sedimentation
- good resistance and appearance of laminating films under exposure to warm and humid conditions


Recommended products:

- Sillitin Z 89
balanced profile of properties, standard product

Packing

Product	Paper bag	EVA-bag	Big Bag Type 1/ Type 2/Type 3	Bulk
Sillitin				
 Sillitin V 85	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 750/850/1200 kg	≤ 25 t
 Sillitin V 88	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 750/850/1200 kg	≤ 25 t
 Sillitin N 82	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 750/850/1200 kg	≤ 25 t
 Sillitin N 85	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 750/850/1200 kg	≤ 25 t
 Sillitin N 87	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 750/850/1200 kg	≤ 25 t
 Sillitin Z 86	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 600/750/1000 kg	≤ 22 t
 Sillitin Z 89	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	≤ 22 t









Sillikolloid







 Sillikolloid P 87	25 kg	5 to 15 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	≤ 22 t
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Puriss

 Sillitin puriss	25 kg	–	–	–
 Sillikolloid P 87 puriss	20 kg	–	–	–

Aktisil

 Aktisil AM	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	–
 Aktisil MAM	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	–
 Aktisil MAM-R	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	–
 Aktisil MM	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	–
 Aktisil PF 216	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	–
 Aktisil PF 777	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	–
 Aktisil VM 56	25 kg	5 to 15 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	on request
 Aktisil VM 56/89	25 kg	5 to 15 kg	≤ 550/700/900 kg	on request

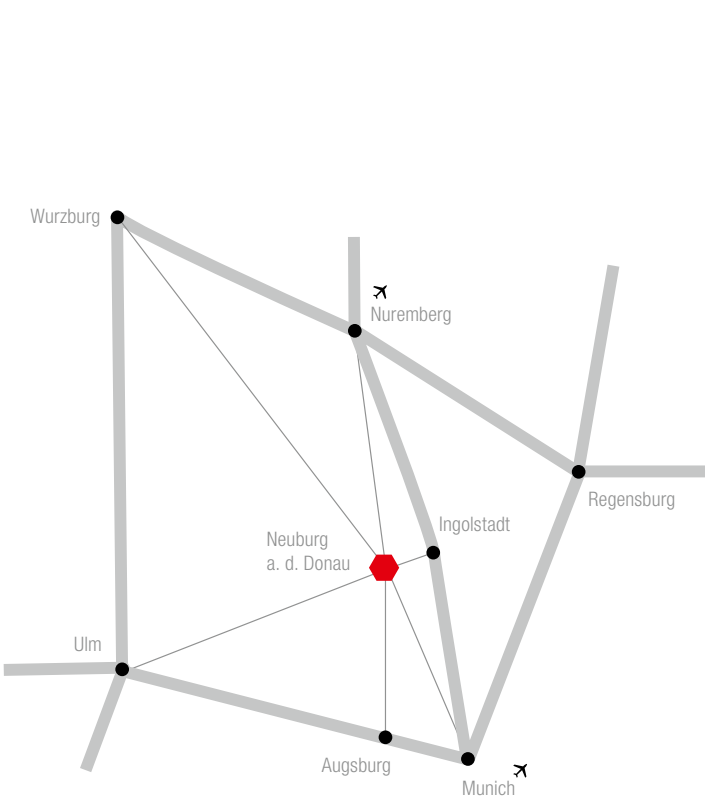
Product	Paper bag	EVA-bag	Big Bag Type 1/ Type 2/Type 3	Bulk
Silfit				
 Silfit Z 91	25 kg	5 to 20 kg	≤ 600/750/900 kg	on request
Aktifit				
 Aktifit AM	25 kg	on request	≤ 600/750/900 kg	on request
 Aktifit PF 111	25 kg	on request	on request	–
 Aktifit PF 115	25 kg	on request	on request	–
 Aktifit Q	25 kg	on request	on request	–
 Aktifit VM	25 kg	on request	≤ 550/900/– kg	–

Special packaging and sizes are available on request.

Sillitin | Sillikolloid | Aktisil | Silfit | Aktifit

Product characteristic	Testing method
Color values L* a* b*	acc. to CIELAB
Particle size D ₅₀ D ₉₇	acc. to ISO 13320
Residue > 40 µm	acc. to DIN EN ISO 787 part 18
Volatile matter at 105 °C	acc. to DIN EN ISO 787 part 2
Density Bulk density Tamped density	acc. to DIN EN ISO 787 part 10 acc. to DIN ISO 903-1976 acc. to DIN EN ISO 787 part 11
Spec. surface area (BET) Oil absorption	acc. to DIN ISO 9277 acc. to DIN EN ISO 787 part 5
Water absorption	acc. to Baumann
Hardness silica/kaolinite Abrasivity	acc. to Mohs acc. to Einlehner
Refractive index n	sin α/sin β
Water solubility Acid solubility	acc. to DIN EN ISO 787 part 3 acc. to DIN 53 770 (0.1 N HCl)
pH value	acc. to DIN EN ISO 787 part 9
Chemical analysis: SiO ₂ Al ₂ O ₃ Fe ₂ O ₃	acc. to DIN 51001 (RFA)
Mineralogical composition: Corpuscular silica Amorphous mineral phases Kaolinite and other minerals	based on X-ray diffraction pattern analysis combined with Rietveld
Equilibrium moisture content at 25 °C and 50 % relative humidity and 80 % relative humidity and 90 % relative humidity	following DIN 66138
Dispersion time in ester plasticizer	UGR-PV/PT/67

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