

# GR043

# Oxi Defender<sup>™</sup> GR043

## **General Description**

GR043 is a compound based on high quality mineral oil, suitable for medium temperature performance, excellent adhesion, water resistance, rust and corrosion protection.

#### **Performance in Cables**

The chemical properties of the compound remain stable if kept in a temperature range between -50°C to 85°C; short exposures to temperatures up to 300°C will not affect them.

Cables manufactured with GR043 will show good resistance to corrosion through the lifetime of the product as the gel will keep moisture out, and the additives will also help to reduce oxidation. This material was specifically designed and tested for cables exposed to weather conditions.

#### Processing

Grease may be pumped with the usual metering pump devices at room temperature (cold filling technology). Constant quality ensures high-speed, trouble-free production.

### Health, Safety Precautions and Identification

- non irritant to eyes
- non irritant to skin
- non nutritive to fungus

Good personal hygienic practice should be used, and prolonged contact with skin should be avoided. Based on our current knowledge and available information, GR043 does not pose any health risks.

For further information, please refer to the Safety Data Sheet.

Packaging		
20 kg pail	top internal diameter bottom internal diameter height	328 ± 1 mm 312 ± 1 mm 383 ± 1 mm
170 kg ribbed drum	internal diameter height	571 ± 3 mm 875 ± 5 mm
170 kg straight-sided drum	internal diameter height	571 ± 3 mm 885 ± 5 mm
850 kg returnable (IBC) container	length $\times$ width $\times$ height	1,200 × 1,000 × 1,185 mm
850 kg disposable lined container	length $\times$ width $\times$ height	1,200 × 1,000 × 1,400 mm

Other container types and sizes such as plastic or stainless steel can be tailored to customer requirements based on quantities and location.

#### **Storage Information**

Protect from moisture; storage life several years.



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Characteristics	Value	UOM
Density	$0.95 \pm 0.05$	g/cm <sup>3</sup>
<b>Flash Point</b> DIN EN ISO 2592, ASTM D92	> 220	°C
<b>Viscosity</b> @ 25°C, 20s <sup>-1</sup>	50,000 ± 5,000	mPa•s
Yield Stress	> 25	Pa
<b>Cone Penetration</b> 20°C -40°C	> 340 > 140	1/10 mm 1/10 mm
<b>Volatiles (by weight)</b> 80°C/24 hrs	< 0.5	%
Oxidation Induction Time ASTM D3895	> 30	min
<b>Oil Separation</b> (FTM 791.C) 120°C/24 hrs	0	%
NLGI Grade	2	Scale
Color	Light Gray	Visual
Dropping Point ASTM D2265	280	°C
Copper Strip Corrosion ASTM D4048	IA	
<b>Water Spray Resistance, % Spray-off</b> ASTM D4049	12.0	%
Salt Spray Corrosion Test ASTM B117 - 1000 hours	7G	ASTM D610
<b>Salt Fog Soak Test</b> ASTM BTT7 (modified) - 720 hours	No Emulsification	Visual

Compatibilities	
PET, PBT, PA, PC	Compatible with thermoplastic materials commonly used in cables
PE	To be checked by the cable manufacturer; results are greatly influenced by material type

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