

# 3M™ Dyneon™

## Fluoroplastic FEP 6300GZ

### Product Description

3M™ Dyneon™ Fluoroplastic FEP 6300GZ is a transparent, water-based fluorothermoplastic polymer dispersion. The dispersion has a solids content of around 55 %. The almost spherical, hydrophobic polymer particles have an average size of around 150 nm.

### Special Features

- Large operating temperature range
- Almost universal chemical resistance
- Approved for use with repeated food contact
- Dispersion has a high shear stability
- Low settling tendency
- Very good non-stick properties
- High degree of transparency of the polymer film
- U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) listed: 21CFR 177.1550
- Approved by the German Federal Ministry of Health (BfA); recommended by the German Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)

Properties	Test method	Unit	Value
Solids Content	DIN EN ISO 12086	%	55
Emulsifier			non-ionic
Emulsifier Content (based on solids)	DIN EN ISO 12086	%	6.5
Mean Particle Size	DIN ISO 13321	nm	150
pH Value	DIN ISO 976		> 9
Viscosity (D=30s <sup>-1</sup> )	DIN EN ISO 3219	mPas	7
Melting Point	DIN ISO 3146	°C	255

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#### Typical Properties

3M™ Dyneon™ Fluoroplastic FEP 6300GZ dispersion is supplied with a pH value of 9 - 11. The viscosity is stable over a wide temperature range which makes the product easy to process. The dispersion can be mixed with fillers or pigments for use in coating formulations. Dilution is possible at any time but should be carried out with desalinated water. Dyneon FEP 6300GZ can improve substrate adhesion and can increase the corrosion protection and gloss of the coating.

#### Typical Applications

3M™ Dyneon™ Fluoroplastic FEP 6300GZ is mainly used to formulate non-stick coatings for manufacturing cookware and baking tins. The dispersion is used pure or as an additive mixed with PTFE dispersions. Furthermore the dispersion is used for corrosion protection in technical applications. Here the product is used without any admixtures. To increase substrate adhesion, the use of suitable primer systems is recommended.

For coating metal surfaces, various techniques such as spray coating, roller coating and silk-screen coating can be employed. The formulations have to be adjusted for each technique.

#### Processing Recommendations

Dyneon recommends that the dispersion always be gently homogenised before processing and filtered using a 50 µm filter.

When adding pigments and fillers, make sure that these do not negatively influence the excellent stability of the product. If necessary, stabilisers should be added to the mixture. If fillers or pigments require grinding, this should be carried out before they are added to the dispersion.

The dispersion can be used for manufacturing primers, intermediate layers or top coats. In this area 3M™ Dyneon™ Fluoroplastic FEP 6300GZ is compatible with 3M™ Dyneon™ PTFE Dispersion TF 5035Z, TF 5050Z and TF 5060GZ.

To dry the layers Dyneon recommends a three-step, ideally continuous process with pre-drying at 90 – 120 °C, intermediate drying at 230 – 320 °C and then final sintering. The sintering temperature should be adjusted depending on whether FEP 6300GZ is being used as a pure substance or within a mixture. The temperatures should be selected taking into account the substrate thickness, coating thickness and throughput speed. A flawlessly sintered polymer layer is always transparent and smoothly coalesced.

#### Storage and Handling

The aqueous dispersion must be stored under frost-proof conditions (5 – 30 °C). Although 3M™ Dyneon™ Fluoroplastic FEP 6300GZ dispersion has a low settling tendency, it should be homogenised once or twice a month by gentle rolling or stirring. Should sediment still build up, it can be redispersed by homogenising the dispersion as described above.

For more information please consult our technical information regarding "[Shelf Life and Storage of 3M™ Dyneon™ Fluoropolymer Dispersion Products](#)".

#### Safety Instructions

Follow the normal precautions observed with all fluoropolymer materials.

Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet and Product Label for information regarding the safe handling of the material. By following all precautions and safety measures, processing these products poses no known health risks. General handling/processing precautions include: 1) Process only in well-ventilated areas. 2) Do not smoke in areas contaminated with powder/residue from these products. 3) Avoid eye contact. 4) If any skin comes into contact with these products during handling, wash with soap and water afterwards. 5) Avoid contact with hot fluoropolymer.

Potential hazards, including release of toxic vapours, can arise if processing occurs under excessively high temperature conditions. Vapour extractor units should be installed above processing equipment. When cleaning processing equipment, do not burn off any of this product with a naked flame or in a furnace.

#### Delivery Form

3M™ Dyneon™ Fluoroplastic FEP 6300GZ is delivered as a water-based solution (dispersion).

Packaging sizes are:

- 30 l plastic drum, containing 40 kg material
- 1000 l IBC container, containing 1300 kg material

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General recommendations on health and safety in processing, on work hygiene and on measures to be taken in the event of accident are detailed in our material safety data sheets.

You will find further notes on the safe handling of fluoropolymers in the brochure "[Guide for the safe handling of Fluoropolymers Resins](#)" (download link) by PlasticsEurope, Box 3, B-1160 Brussels, Tel. +32 (2) 676 17 32.

You can also download it with your smartphone using the QR code below.



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