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**Calendered Films
and Sheets**



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Additives for the Production of Calendered PVC Films and Sheets

After the substitution of Cd stabilizers for plasticised and semi-rigid films in Europe, the liquid BaZn stabilizers became new standards for these applications.

In addition to BaZn stabilizers, modern CaZn stabilizer systems fulfil stabilization requirements. The application field for CaZn is still expanding.

For applications as for example food contact, toys, tablecloth, CaZn stabilizers have been developed.

Independent from metal base aspects like VOC, odour, toxicity, labelling are becoming increasingly important for the processing of films. Where special emphasis is placed on low odour and emission-free products, mixed metals in powder form are available as fatty acid salts with good self-lubrication or as stabilizers based on inorganic co-stabilizers with varying degrees of self-lubrication for extreme demands on odour and emissions.

Rigid PVC sheets are generally stabilized by organotin compounds. Very effective completely odourless stabilizer lubricant compounds in powder form are available.

Baerlocher stabilizers for films are developed regarding the safety and protection of people and environment.

When choosing a stabilizer, the requirements of the final product need to be specified in detail in order to adjust both the performance and the good cost performance.

Baerlocher PVC Additives

- high-performance
- tailor-made
- quality-controlled
- future-orientated
- cost-efficient

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Applications

The requirements a stabilizer must comply with depend essentially on:

- application
- processing and specific necessities
- the performance required of the final product
- the legal requirements during manufacture and use of the final product

Stabilizer properties are affected by its composition. The stabilizer itself can influence the processing and the performance of the finished article.

| Stabilizer | Processing | Finished product |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Colour | Adhesion | Adhesive receptivity |
| Compatibility with ESBO/plasticiser | Condensation | Amine resistance |
| Compatibility with pigments | Heat/dynamic stability | Blocking |
| Efficiency | Lubrication | Colour |
| Emission/VOC | Melt viscosity | Fogging |
| Flashpoint | Melting characteristic | Gloss |
| Odour | Plate-out | Heat ageing resistance |
| Pumpability/viscosity | | Light/UV resistance |
| Storage stability | | Migration |
| Phenol or Nonyl phenol content | | Non-tox properties |
| | | Odour |
| | | Printability |
| | | Residual heat stability |
| | | Surface |
| | | Transparency |
| | | Weather resistance |
| | | Weldability |
| | | Whiteness |

Important notice

Non-tox products: A group of stabilizers composed of those components approved by the different regulations as substances in PVC intended to come into contact with foodstuffs. For detailed pieces of information please contact one of Baerlocher's representatives.

Rigid films

Food and pharma: Organotin stabilizers are traditionally used for the manufacturing of non-tox rigid films (crystal clear and pigmented), e.g. thermo-formed food packaging and pharmaceutical blisters.

Today, new odourless CaZn stabilizers in powder form are available:

| Baerostab | Form | Approvals | Characteristics |
|-----------|------|-----------------|---|
| OM 710 S | L | EU 10/2011, FDA | Octyl tin mercaptide "high mono" with reduced odour, standard for food packaging, Dosage approx. 1,0–2,0 phr |
| OM 710 N | L | EU 10/2011, FDA | Octyl tin mercaptide "low mono" standard for food and pharmaceutical packaging, Dosage approx. 1,0–2,0 phr |
| MTS 1200 | L | EU 10/2011 | Methyl tin mercaptide, for food packaging and pharmaceutical packaging, Dosage approx. 1,0–2,0 phr |
| MTS 1220 | L | EU 10/2011 | Methyl tin mercaptide, for food packaging and pharmaceutical packaging, Dosage approx. 1,0–2,0 phr |
| NT 1601 P | P | EU 10/2011, FDA | CaZn, low lubricated, low odour, good early colour and transparency, synergetic effects with ESBO, Dosage: stabilizer approx. 1,5–2,0 phr / ESBO approx. 2,0–2,5 phr |
| NT 1883 P | P | EU 10/2011, FDA | CaZn, low lubricated, low odour, designed for pigmented formulations, synergetic effects with ESBO, Dosage: stabilizer approx. 1,5–2,0 phr / ESBO approx. 2,0–2,5 phr |

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Technical: Liquid organotin stabilizers are used for technical applications (crystal clear and pigmented).

However, in special cases tin stabilizers in powder form may be required, for example to meet the highest demand of printability and high vicat value (e.g. credit cards).

| Baerostab | Form | Characteristics |
|--------------|------|---|
| MTS 1227 | L | Methyl tin mercaptide designed for application which require excellent colour hold., Dosage approx. 1,0–2,0 phr |
| OM 710 N | L | Octyl tin mercaptide "low mono" suitable when high performance is needed, Dosage approx. 1,0–2,0 phr |
| OM 36 | P | Octyltin mercaptide carboxylate for special applications or as co-stabilizer (booster) in combination with liquid tin or Cd- and Pb-free mixed metal stabilizers. Requires a balanced lubrication, Dosage approx. 0,7–1,2 phr |
| MC 9991-2 CR | P | CaZn, low odour, very low self-lubrication, designed for pigmented formulations, synergetic effects with ESBO, Dosage: stabilizer approx. 2,0–3,0 phr / ESBO approx. 2,0–2,5 phr |

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Plasticized films

Main characteristics of these stabilizers are self-lubrication with low plate-out tendency and good colour hold during process. In the most of the cases synergetic effects with ESBO (2,0–3,0 phr) are utilised.

| Baerostab | Form | semi rigid | Characteristics |
|--------------------------|------|------------|---|
| UBZ 711-1 X RF | L | ● | Standard, low phenol, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free |
| UBZ 733-1 X RF | L | ● | High performance, low phenol, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, 2-EHA free, high transparency, |
| UBZ 780 X RF | L | ● | High performance, low phenol, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, good dynamic heat stability |
| UBZ 764 RF | L | ● | High performance, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, high transparency, good dynamic heat stability |
| UBZ 780 RF | L | ● | High performance, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, high transparency, good dynamic heat stability |
| UBZ 784 RF | L | ● | Standard, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, 2-EHA free |
| UBZ 715 RF | L | ● | High performance, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, high transparency, low lubricated |
| UBZ 751 RF | L | ● | Standard plus, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, high transparency |
| CT 9083 RF | L | | Standard, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, |
| CT 9063 X RF | L | ● | Standard plus, low odour, low phenol, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, highly lubricated |
| CT 341 P | P | | Standard plus, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low odour, low emission, good self-lubrication, good transparency |
| NT 319 P MC 8763-1 CP | P | | High performance, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low odour, low emission, good self-lubrication, good transparency |
| MC 8807-16 CP | P | | Standard plus, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low odour, low emission, good self-lubrication |
| UBZ 729 RF | L | ● | Standard plus, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, highly self-lubricated, high whiteness, high compatibility with bonding agent, only for filled application |
| NT 580 A | P | | Standard plus, non-tox stabilizer, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, good self-lubrication |

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Car interiors

The main requirements for car interiors are low fogging, colour resistance in contact with PUR foam which – due to the amine sensitivity. PVC discolouration resistance can only be achieved by additional use of special co-stabilizers. In the most of the cases synergetic effects with ESBO (2,0–3,0 phr) are utilised.

| Baerostab | Form | Type | Characteristics |
|--------------------------|------|---------------|---|
| UBZ 711-1 X RF | L | BaZn | Standard, low phenol, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, highly self lubricated, low fogging |
| NT 580 A | P | CaZn | Standard plus, non-tox stabilizer, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, good self-lubrication |
| NT 319 P MC 8763-1 CP | P | CaZn | High performance, non-tox for all types of films and profiles, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low emission |
| ASM 711 ASM 715 | P | co-stabilizer | Co-stabilizer in combination with BaZn and CaZn for improvement of the heat ageing resistance in the temperature range of 120–150 °C and the amine resistance when backed with PUR foam |

Outdoor applications

Main characteristics of these formulations are presence of TiO₂, biocides, UV absorber and very often fire retardants. In some cases synergetic effects with ESBO (2,0–3,0 phr) are utilised.

| Baerostab | Form | Type | Characteristics |
|--------------------------|------|------|--|
| UBZ 711-1 X RF | L | BaZn | Standard, low phenol, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free |
| UBZ 729 RF | L | BaZn | Standard plus, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, highly self-lubricated, high whiteness, high compatibility with bonding agent |
| UBZ 782 XLP RF | L | BaZn | Standard, very low phenol, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, reduced interference with biocide (e.g. DCOIT) |
| CT 9083 RF | L | CaZn | Standard, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, |
| NT 319 P MC 8763-1 CP | P | CaZn | High performance, non-tox for all types of films and profiles, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low emission, performance could be improved by combination with liquid phosphites like Baerostab CWM 201 |
| MC 8763-10 CP | P | CaZn | High performance, , phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low emission, performance could be improved by combination with liquid phosphites like Baerostab CWM 201. High Congo red performance. |
| MC 91024-2 CP | P | CaZn | Cost-efficient , phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low emission, performance could be improved by combination with liquid phosphites like Baerostab CWM 201 |

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Flooring

Flooring producers show high concern in environmental issues. For that reason low odour, low emission and low phenol stabilizers are mainly used in this application. In the most of the cases synergetic effects with ESBO (2,0–3,0 phr) are utilised.

Transparent wear layer:

| Baerostab | Form | Type | Characteristics |
|---------------|------|------|--|
| CT 9063 X RF | L | CaZn | Standard plus, low odour, low phenol, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, highly lubricated |
| CT 341 P | P | CaZn | Standard plus, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low odour, low emission, good self-lubrication |
| MC 8807-16 CP | P | CaZn | Standard plus, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low odour, low emission, good self-lubrication |
| MC 8763-11 CP | P | CaZn | High performance, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low odour, low emission |

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Pigmented, filled:

| Baerostab | Form | Type | Characteristics |
|---------------|------|------|--|
| CT 9063 X RF | L | CaZn | Standard plus, low odour, low phenol, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, highly lubricated |
| MC 8807-16 CP | P | CaZn | Standard plus, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, low odour, low emission, good self-lubrication |
| MC 9268 CP | P | CaZn | High performance, phenol free, 2-EHA free, nonylphenol free, ptBBA free, very good thermo stability, good self-lubrication, low emission |

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Other Additives for Calendering

| Product | Type | Form | Dosage [phr] | Application |
|--|-------------------------------------|------|--------------|--|
| Baerolub FTA | Stearic acid | P | 0,2–0,4 | External lubricant, plate-out tendency reduced or completely prevented |
| Baerolub LS 100 | Complex ester | P | 0,3–0,5 | External lubricant, plate-out tendency reduced or completely prevented |
| Baerolub PA Special | Oxidised PE wax | P | 0,05–0,15 | External lubricant, high efficient, very good metal release behaviour |
| Baerolub L-PL | Glycerol partial ester GMO / GDO | L | 0,3–2,0 | Internal lubricant, very soluble in PVC, antifogging agent, improves heat stability particularly in formulations based on sulphur containing tin stabilizers, some antistatic effect |
| Baerolub L-CD | Hydrogenated castor oil | P | 0,3–0,5 | Internal lubricant for U-PVC formulation, |
| Baerolub L-MS | Glycerol partial ester GMS | P | 0,5–0,8 | Internal lubricant for U-PVC formulation, 40% glycerol mono stearate |
| Baerostat 351 | Antistatic agent | L | 0,5–10,0 | Improves electrical conductivity, imparts antistatic properties, plasticizing effect |
| Baerostat 318 S | Antistatic agent | L | 0,5–10,0 | Improves electrical conductivity, imparts antistatic properties, plasticizing effect |
| Baerostat 350 R | Antistatic agent | P | 1,0–2,0 | Improves electrical conductivity, imparts antistatic properties, for U-PVC |
| Antiblocking 3780 | Silica complex | P | 0,3–0,5 | Reduction of surface tackiness in plasticized PVC films |
| Antiblocking 7831 | Silica complex | P | 0,5–1,5 | Reduction of surface tackiness in plasticized PVC films |
| Baerolub L-AK Baerolub L-AS | Amide wax, EBS | P | 0,4–0,6 | External lubricant, impart antiblocking properties and dry grip |
| Laevisiel SL | Silica | P | 0,5–1,0 | Avoids formation of plate-out during processing, d50 = 5 µm |
| Laevisiel SP | Silica | P | 0,5–1,0 | Avoids formation of plate-out during processing, d50 = 20 µm |
| Baerostab ASM 711 Baerostab ASM 715 | Co-stabilizer | P | 0,5–2,5 | Improvement of the heat ageing resistance in the temperature range of 120-150°C (prevents discolouration and embrittlement) and for achievement of amine resistance (PUR foam backing) |
| Baerostab ASM 104 | Co-stabilizer | P | 0,1–0,5 | Organic co-stabilizer pink discolouration during heat ageing. for U-PVC |
| Baerostab LSA | ESBO | L | 2,0–4,0 | Epoxidised soya bean oil, improvement of heat and light stability by synergetic effect together with mixed metal stabilizers |
| Baerostab LSU | Epoxy octyl stearate | L | 2,0–4,0 | Co-stabilizer, improvement of heat and light stability by synergetic effect together with mixed metal stabilizers |
| Baerostab CWM 201 | Organo-Phosphite, TTDP | L | 0,3–1,0 | Organic co-stabilizer, improvement of heat stability and colour, low odour, for outdoor applications |
| Baerostab CWM 201 XLP | Organo-Phosphite, TTDP | L | 0,3–1,0 | Organic co-stabilizer, improvement of heat stability and colour, low odour, for outdoor applications, very low phenol content |

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