

# Cola®Teric LHS (ME)

Fatty Alkyl Sultaine Amphoteric

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**Cola®Teric LHS (ME)** is a fatty alkyl amphoteric surfactant in the sultaine class. Cola®Teric LHS (ME) is a high foaming, biodegradable surfactant that is compatible with virtually all other surfactants. It demonstrates excellent stability in both extreme acid and alkaline formulations and very stable in both acid and alkali formulations and can be solubilized at 2-3% in 30-40% caustic soda solutions. Cola®Teric LHS (ME) is a unique foaming surfactant successfully used in sulfate-free and PEG-free formulations in industrial, household and hair & body care applications.

## **BENEFITS**

- Offers mildness in combination with anionic surfactants and soaps
- Clear solutions with excellent foaming and wetting characteristics can be obtained.
- Combined effects of increased foam and stability with alkyl sulfates, alkyl ether sulfates, alkyl-benzene sulfonates and soaps
- Viscosity builder when formulated with anionic surfactants for liquid soaps and shampoos
- Outstanding performance in high concentrations of mineral acids
- *Highest biobased content* of the sultaines offered

## **APPLICATIONS**

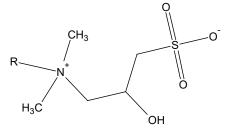
- Shampoos
- Liquid Soaps
- Acid Cleaners
- Metal cleaning
- Bottle washing concentrates
- Heavy duty steam cleaning
- Wax stripping
- Wetting agent in the acid pickling of metals and as a detergent in acid cleaners with scale and lime soap dispersing properties

Typical Use Level: 1 – 10%

## **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

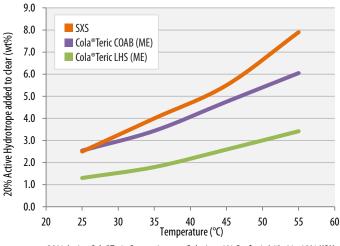
Appearance	Clear Liquid
Ionic Character	Amphoteric
Solids, %	49.0 – 51.0
NaCl, %	7.0 – 8.0
pH (as is)	6.5 – 8.5
pH (5% aqueous)	7.0 – 8.0
Color, Gardner '98	3 Max.

# STRUCTURE

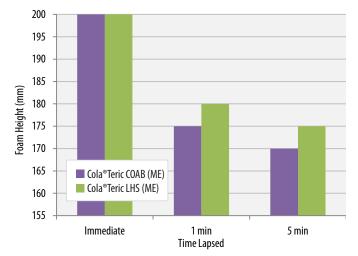


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## HYDROTROPE PERFORMANCE TEST



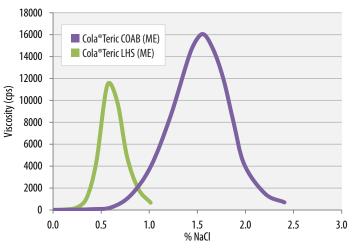
20% Active Cola®Teric Comparisons • Solution: 1% Surfonic L12-6 in 10% KOH



#### FOAM PERFORMANCE TEST

Test Solution: Water, SLS, SLES-2, Amphoteric COAB (ME): 75/10/10/5; LHS (ME): 76.4/10/10/3.7

#### SALT PERFORMANCE TEST



Test Solution: Water, SLS, SLES-2, Amphoteric + Cola®Liquid DC (ME) (all) 1.5 COAB (ME): 75/10/10/5; LHS (ME): 74.9/10/10/3.7

### **STORAGE / HANDLING**

Cola<sup>®</sup>Teric LHS (ME) should be stored in closed containers. Frozen material may be thawed in a warm room, venting drums while warming. Shipped in poly drums (net weight 217 kg). Typical shelf life is 12 months from date of manufacture. Safety Data Sheets may be found at *www.colonialchem.*.



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