





Coalescing Agent to improve film formation

ULTRAFILM® 5000 is a patented technology designed to be a more compatible coalescing agent for acrylic, vinyl-acrylic and styrene-acrylic latexes delivering performance benefits.

BENEFITS

- Better film formation
- Reduces water sensitivity
- Improves hardness evolution: lower dirt pick-up
- Films with low blistering
- Low leaching



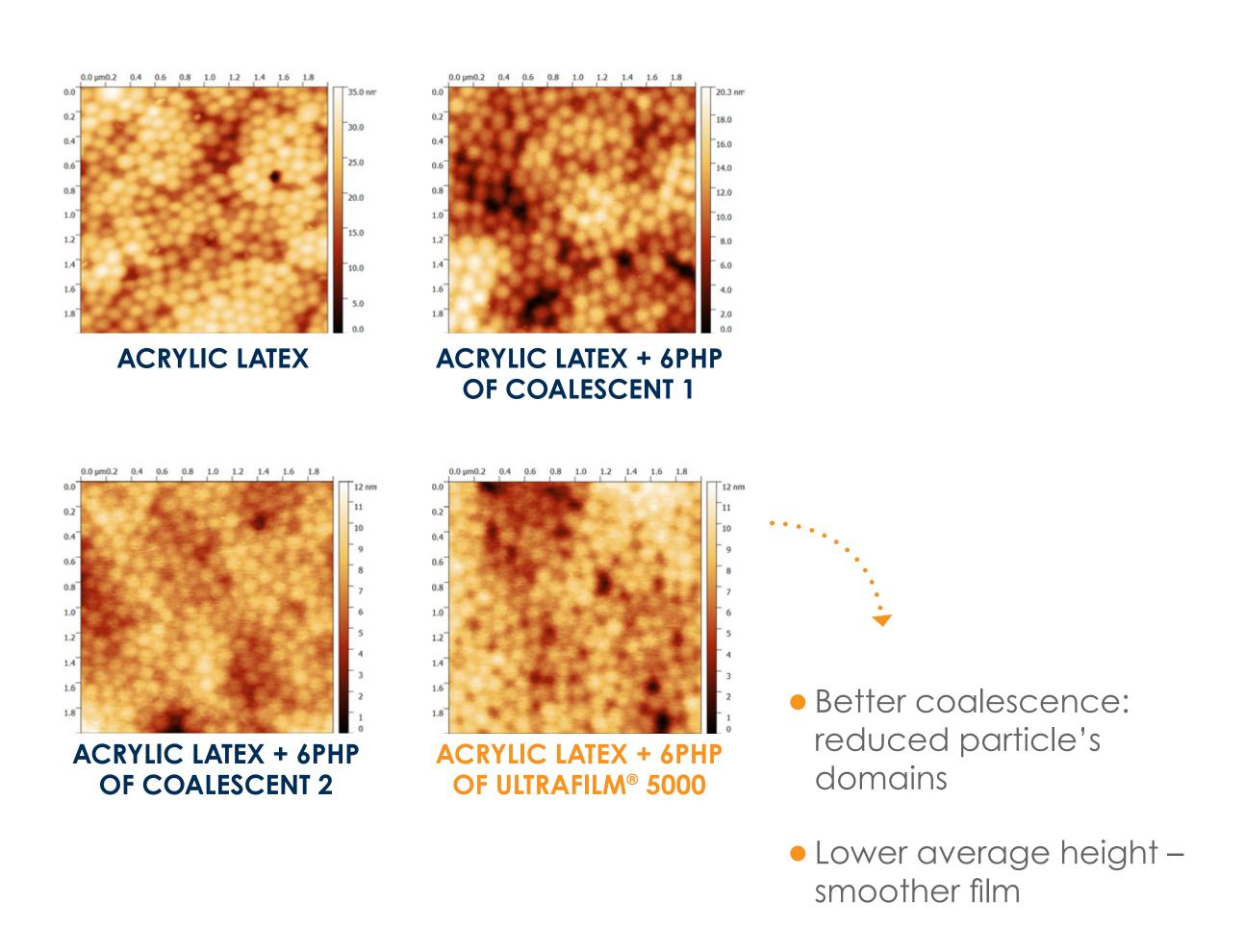
FEATURES

- Proprietary Ester
- Renewable product content
- Boiling point = 283 °C
- Zero-VOC according to ABNT NBR 16388,
 Directive 2004/42/CE and Green Seal GS-11
- Efficient to reduce MFFT
- Package: Sample, Drum, Bulk





Film Formation



Instrumental test: AFM (Atomic Force Microscopy).

Tested latex: Pure Acrylic (MFFT ~ 17 °C | Tg ~ 29 °C).

Test condition: Film cast on Leneta chart and dried

@ 25 ± 5 °C, 60% R.H. for 7 days.

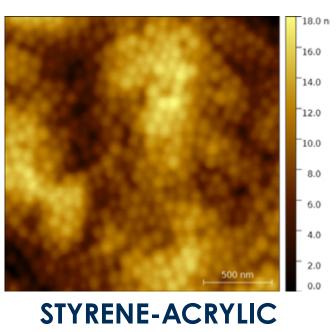
Coalescent 1: boiling point @ 254 °C.

Coalescent 2: boiling point @ 344 °C.

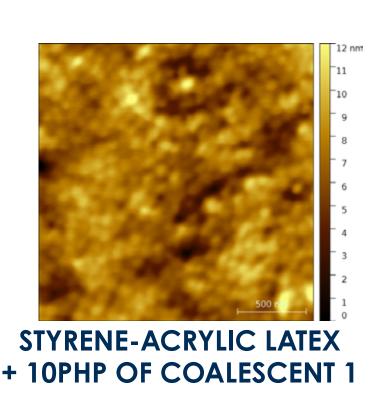


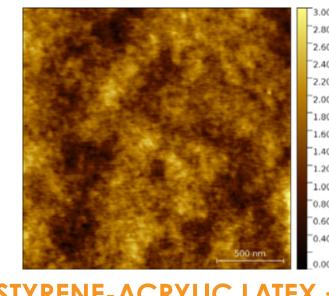


Film Formation



LATEX





10PHP OF ULTRAFILM® 5000

- Particle domains no longer perceivable – maximum entanglement of polymeric chains
- Lower average height smoother film

Instrumental test: AFM (Atomic Force Microscopy).

Tested latex: Styrene-Acrylic (MFFT ~

21 °C | Tg ~ 28 °C).

Test condition: Film cast on Leneta chart and dried

@ 25 ± 5 °C, 60% R.H. for 7 days.

Coalescent 1: Boiling point @ 254 °C.





Low Temperature Coalescence (LTC) – ASTM D7306-7



Tested paint: Pure acrylic semi gloss paint, PVC ~ 32%, Latex content ~ 35% and coalescent content ~ 1.4%.

Coalescent 1: Boiling point @254°C

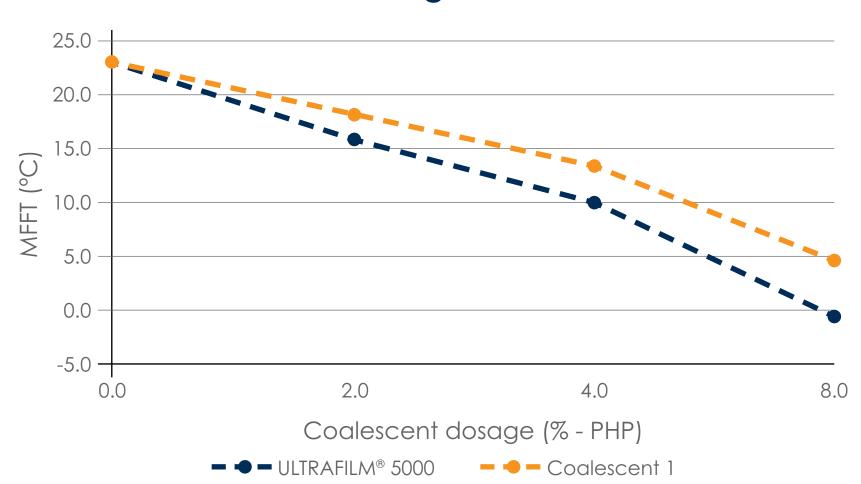
At the same dosage, paints formulated with **ULTRAFILM®** 5000 present better film formation under extreme conditions.



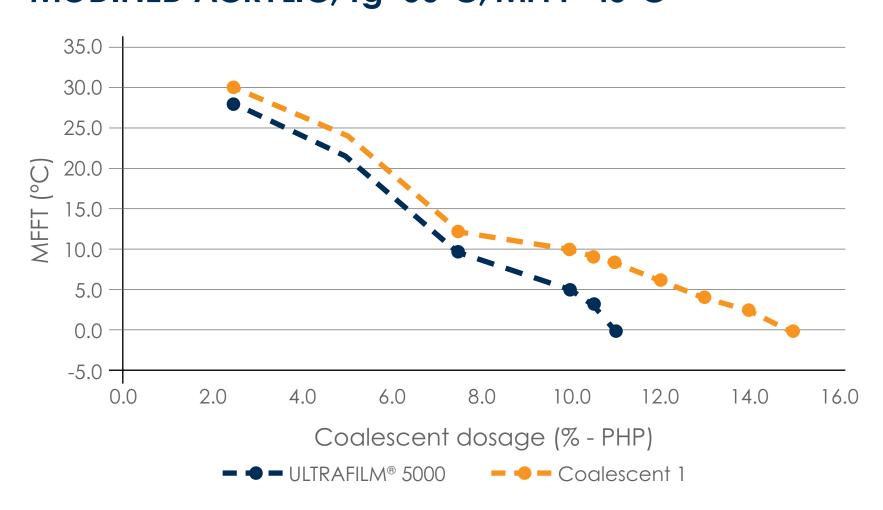


MFFT reduction efficiency

STYRENE ACRYLIC LATEX, Tg~30°C, MFFT~23°C



MODIFIED ACRYLIC, Tg~50°C, MFFT~45°C



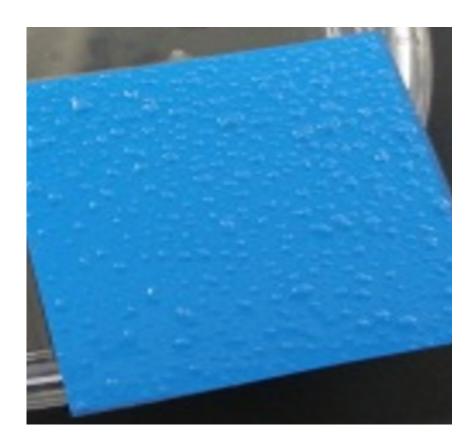
Test condition: Performed according to ASTM D2354

Coalescent 1: Boiling point @254°C

ULTRAFILM® 5000 is highly efficient for reducing MFFT of different latexes



Water Absorption



STYRENE-ACRYLIC PAINT + 10PHP OF COALESCENT 1



STYRENE-ACRYLIC PAINT + 10PHP OF ULTRAFILM® 5000



Lower water absorption

Tested latex: Styrene-Acrylic (MFFT ~ 21 °C | Tg ~ 28 °C).

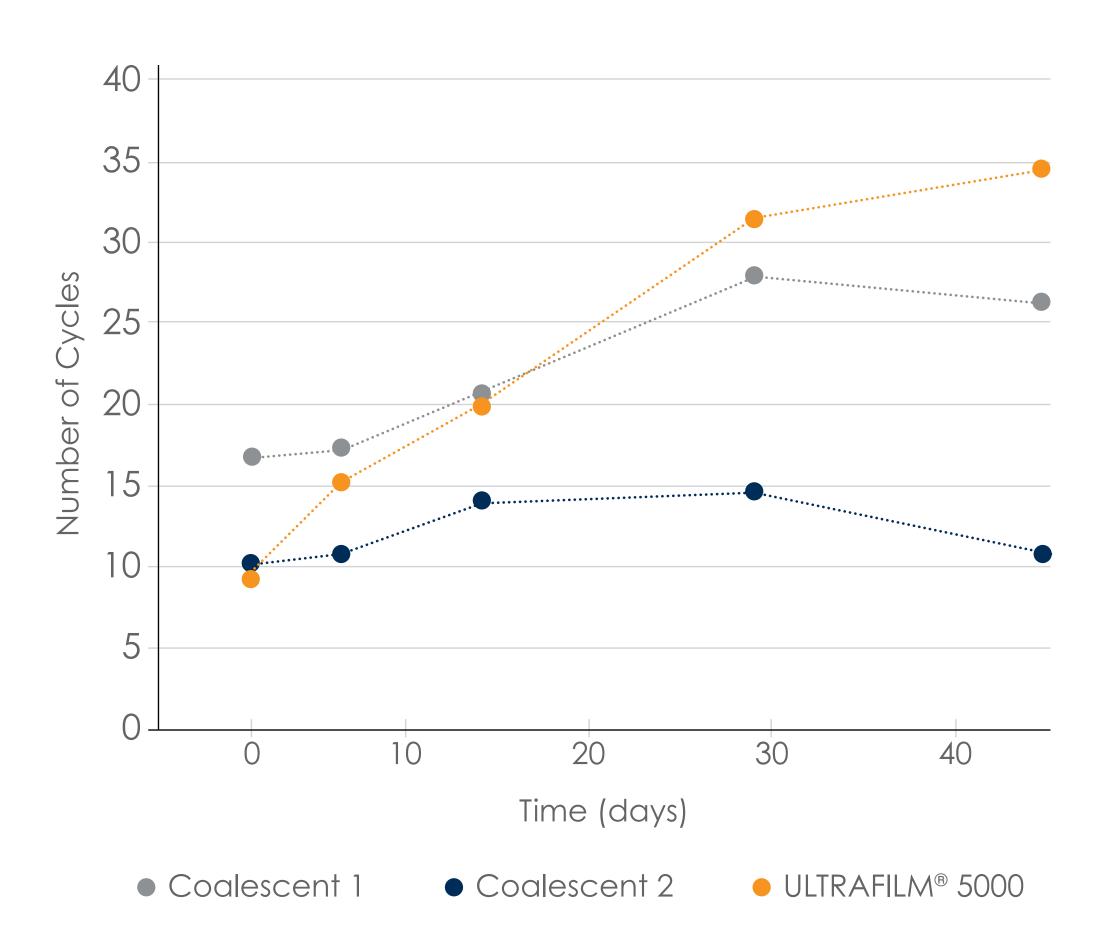
Test condition: 55% PVC blue paint cast on Leneta chart and dried @ 5 ± 2 °C, 60% R.H. for 1 day and immersed in distilled water for 4h.

Coalescent 1: boiling point @ 254 °C.





Hardness Evolution - ASTM D4366



Coalescent 1: boiling point @ 254 °C.

Coalescent 2: boiling point @ 344 °C.

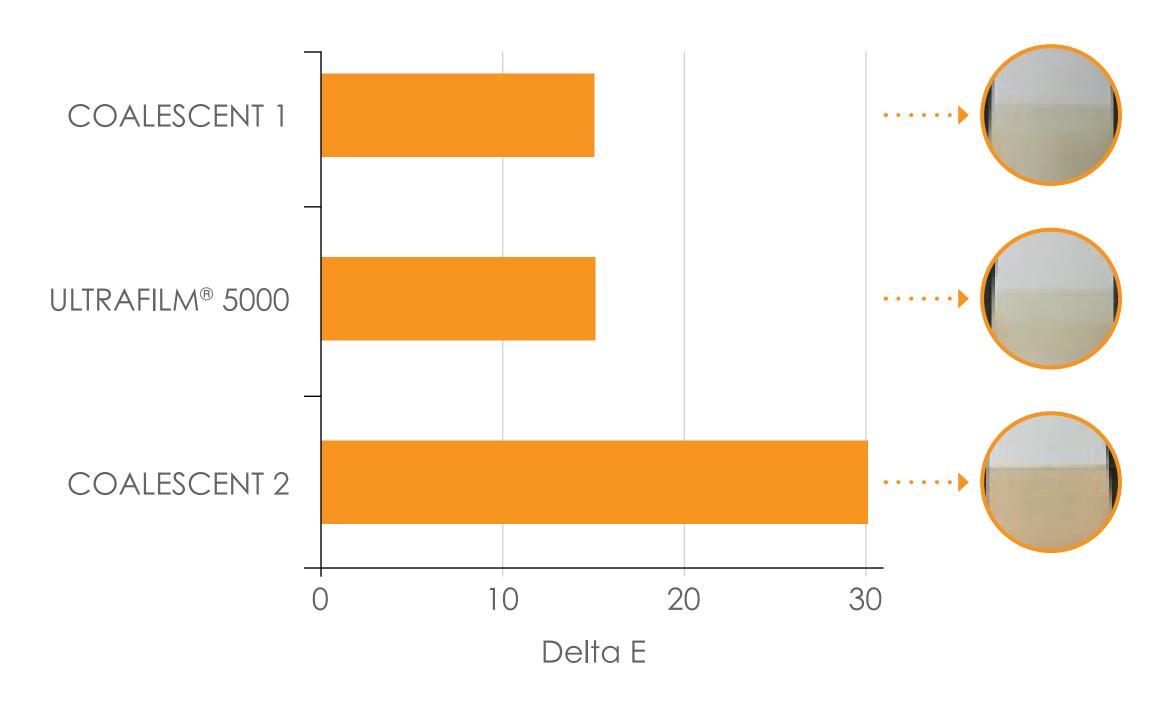






Dirt pick-up

PAINTS DRIED FOR 40 DAYS, 25 °C, 60% RH



Instrumental test: Indorama Ventures' Internal Method for Dirt Pick-up.

Tested latex: Styrene-Acrylic (MFFT ~ 21 °C | Tg ~ 28 °C).

Test condition: 30% PVC paint cast on Leneta chart and dried @ 25 ± 5 °C, 60% R.H. Dirty was applied on the 40th day of drying.

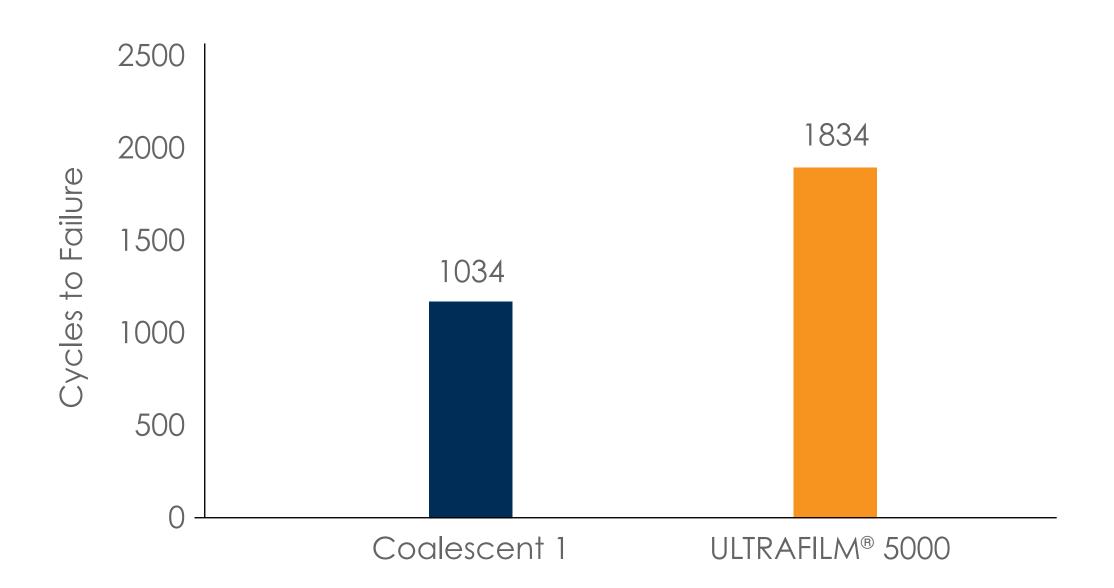
Coalescent 1: boiling point @ 254 °C.

Coalescent 2: boiling point @ 344 °C.





Wet Scrub resistance



Increased wet scrub resistance



Tested latex: Styrene-Acrylic (MFFT ~ 21 °C | Tg ~ 28 °C).

Test condition: 38% PVC paint tested according to ASTM D2486, method A.

Coalescent 1: boiling point @ 254 °C.

If you are looking for better film formation **ULTRAFILM® 5000** is what you need!

Contact us and request a sample.

