VANATURAL® XGB

Bentonite Clay

Bentonite and Xanthan Gum Blend

VANATURAL® XGB is a tailored blend of natural bentonite and xanthan gum that stabilizes topical suspensions and emulsions. VANATURAL XGB is especially recommended for difficult to stabilize suspensions and emulsions, and for processes where heated water or high shear mixing is not available.

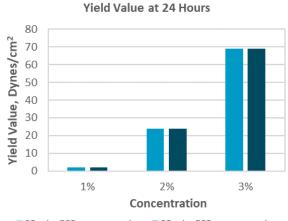
INCI Name: Bentonite (and) Xanthan gum

VANATURAL XGB features:

- Rapid hydration Mix until smooth; when it looks done, it is done. Hydrates quickly with low shear mixing in unheated water.
- High yield value The synergistic combination of bentonite and xanthan gum reliably stabilizes water-based suspensions and emulsions.
- Fine rheology control Because the clay-gum synergism provides both efficient thickening and high yield value, stabilization is possible over a wide range of product viscosity.
- Wide pH compatibility Suitable for use in most topicals. Not recommended for compositions containing oxidizers or more than pH-adjusting levels of alkaline caustics.
- Broad temperature stability –Stabilization of suspensions and emulsions in frigid to torrid storage conditions.
- Superior esthetics Pleasant application feel.
- High purity Made with pharmaceutical grade natural bentonite and pharmaceutical grade xanthan gum.
- Typical Properties:

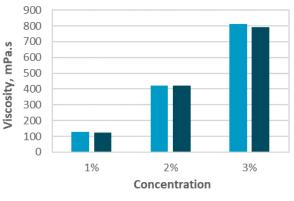
Viscosity, 2% 300-500 cps pH, 2% 7-8.5

Moisture 8% maximum



■ 20 min, 800 rpm prop mixer ■ 30 min, 800 rpm prop mixer

Initial viscosity after indicated hydration time



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Cosmetic grades of **VANATURAL**® Bentonite Clay, including **VANATURAL XGB**, when used in cosmetics are intended for topical and dental use only. **VANATURAL XGB** can also be used in industrial and agricultural applications.

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