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# Related ASTM Publications

Bibliographical Abstracts on Evaluation of Fluorescent Whitening Agents 1929-1968, STP 507 (1972),\$3.25 (04-507000-15)

#### Introduction

By far, the largest single consumer of Fluorescent Whitening Agents (FWAs) is the soap and detergent industry. In the past, the identification of these products in test methods, publications, customs declarations, etc. has been primarily limited to individual supplier's trade names which often create confusion and ambiguity. Although several of the products are included in the Colour Index, this compilation is incomplete and, in some instances, inaccurate.

ASTM Task Group on Fluorescent Whitening Agents, D12.15.05, of Committee D-12 on Soaps and Other Detergents, is currently developing ASTM test procedures for Fluorescent Whitening Agents and, in connection with these efforts, has compiled this listing of FWAs used commercially in substantial amounts in soap and detergent formulations. The identification of the chemical structure of each FWA by a unique set of letters and numbers is the most important and useful feature of this publication. The letternumber designation for each FWA will be used in the ASTM test methods being developed by ASTM Task Group D12.15.05, and it is expected that the designations will also be valuable to other organizations and committees, individual authors, etc. involved in the FWA field.

Included in the listing are the brand names and the names and addresses of the suppliers of FWAs who have participated in this project by making the necessary disclosures. ASTM Task Group D12.15.05 would like to express its appreciation to those suppliers for their cooperation.

#### **Key to Letter Designation of Chemical Structures**

#### C COUMARIN

$$R_3 \xrightarrow{R_2} R_1$$

#### DASC DIAMINOSTILBENEDISULFONIC ACID-CYANURIC CHLORIDE

$$R_{1}$$
 $C = N$ 
 $C - N$ 
 $C -$ 

#### DSBP DISTYRYLBIPHENYL

#### NTS NAPHTHOTRIAZOLYLSTILBENE

$$R_1$$
 CH = CH  $R_2$  N  $R_3$ 

#### P PYRAZOLINE

# ASTM List of Fluorescent Whitening Agents C Type

# Designation C-1 Chemical structure

Chemical Abstracts name: 7-Dimethylamino-4-methylcoumarin Suppliers and brand names

American Cyanamid Company, Calcofluor White LD The Hilton-Davis Chemical Co., Hiltamine Artic White N

# Designation C-2 Chemical structure

$$C_{2}H_{5}$$
 $C_{2}H_{5}$ 
 $C_{2}H_{5}$ 
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 $C_{2}H_{5}$ 
 $C_{2}H_{5}$ 

Chemical Abstracts name: 7-Diethylamino-4-methylcoumarin
Suppliers and brand names
American Cyanamid Company, Calcofluor White SD
Ciba-Geigy Corporation, Uvitex SWN Conc
Sandoz Inc., Colors and Chemicals Division, Aclarat 8678

The Hilton-Davis Chemical Co., Hiltamine Arctic White SOL

DASC Type

# Designation DASC-1 Chemical structure

Chemical Abstracts name: 4,4'-Bis[(4,6-dianilino-s-triazin-2-yl)amino]-2,2'-stilbenedisulfonic Acid

#### Designation DASC-2

Chemical structure

Chemical Abstracts name: 4,4'-Bis{{4-anilino-6-[bis(2-hydroxyethyl)amino]-s-triazin-2-yl}amino}-2,2'-stilbenedisulfonic Acid

#### Suppliers and brand names

American Cyanamid Company, Calcofluor White M2R New

American Cyanamid Company, Calcofluor White CG Conc. (free sulfonic acid form)

Ciba-Geigy Corporation, Tinopal UNPA

Ciba-Geigy Corporation, Tinopal UNPS (disodium salt)

GAF Corporation, Blancophor®RG

The Hilton-Davis Chemical Co., Hiltamine Arctic White CWD

Verona Dyestuff Div. Mobay Chemical Corp., Phorwite BBH Pure 766

#### Designation DASC-3

Chemical structure

$$C - N$$

$$C -$$

Chemical Abstracts name: 4,4'-Bis[(4-anilino-6-morpholino-s-triazin-2-yl)amino]-2,2'-stilbenedisulfonic Acid

#### Suppliers and brand names

American Cyanamid Company, Calcofluor White RCX Super Conc.

Ciba-Geigy Corporation, Tinopal AMS

Ciba-Geigy Corporation, Tinopal AMS Pure

GAF Corporation, Blancophor®DS

The Hilton-Davis Chemical Co., Hiltamine Arctic White DML

The Hilton-Davis Chemical Co., Hiltamine Arctic White DML Ex. Conc.

The Hilton-Davis Chemical Co., Hiltamine Arctic White MSO

Verona Dyestuff Div. Mobay Chemical Corp., Phorwite MBBH 766

#### Designation DASC-4

Chemical structure

Chemical Abstracts name: 4,4'-Bis[[4-anilino-6[N-2-hydroxyethyl-N-methylamino]-s-triazin-2-yl]amino]-2,2'-stilbenedisulfonic acid disodium salt

Suppliers and brand names

Ciba-Geigy Corporation, Tinopal 4 BM Conc.

Ciba-Geigy Corporation, Tinopal 5BM

#### Designation DASC-5

Chemical structure

Chemical Abstracts name: 4,4'-Bis[[4-anilino-6-[(2-hydroxylpropyl) amino]-s-triazin-2-yl]amino]-2,2'-stilbenedisulfonic acid disodium salt

Suppliers and brand names

Sandoz Inc., Colors and Chemicals Division, Sandoz TH-40

#### **DSBP** Type

### Designation DSBP-1 Chemical structure

Chemical Abstracts name: 2,2-(4,4'-Biphenylene divinylene)-dibenzenesulfonic acid, disodium salt

#### NTS Type

Designation NTS-1
Chemical structure

Chemical Abstracts name: 4-(2H-Naphtho[1,2-d]triazol-2-yl)-2-stilbenesulfonic acid, sodium salt Suppliers and brand names

Ciba-Geigy Corporation, Tinopal RBS 200%

#### P Type

Designation P-1
Chemical structure

$$C1 \xrightarrow{\qquad \qquad C} C \xrightarrow{\qquad \qquad N} SO_2NH_2$$

$$CH_2 \xrightarrow{\qquad \qquad CH_2} CH_2$$

Chemical Abstracts name: p-[3-(p-Chlorophenyl)-2-pyrazolin-1-yl]-benzenesulfonamide Suppliers and brand names

Verona Dyestuff Div. Mobay Chemical Corp., Phorwite FB 766

#### Names and Addresses of FWA Suppliers

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#### **GAF** Corporation

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#### Sandoz Inc.

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#### The Hilton-Davis Chemical Co.

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#### Verona Dyestuff Div.

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