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## Formulating for Sensitive Skin



Source: Euromonitor, Mintel

External factors, such as stress and pollution, have raised the prevalence of sensitive skin

- Increased consumer awareness of the negative impact of these factors on skin health & wellness
- Growing trend of products positioned as "hypoallergenic", "fragrance-free", "PEG-free", etc.
- More scrutiny on formulation composition and mildness

There is a need for formulating with ingredients that enable creating milder formulations with simplicity, while keeping required performance.



## Summary of Main Features and Key Benefits



#### Maintain The Benefits of Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers:

- Thicken and stabilize oil-in-water emulsions at low use level
- Compatibility with a broad range of oils
- No HLB calculation required
- Allows for cold or hot processing
- Refreshing light sensory with quick-break effect
- Wide variety of textures from a shiny, smooth cream to a thin, sprayable lotion
- PEG-free and preservative-free; mild emulsion stabilizer suitable for sensitive skin applications

#### Additional Benefits of Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier:

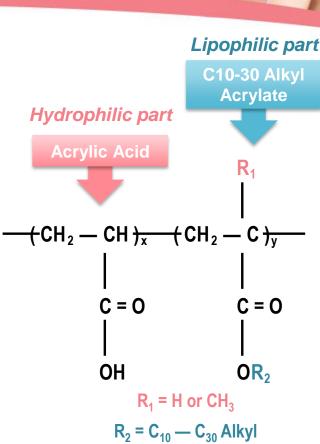
- Easier to use, faster to disperse relative to existing polymeric emulsifiers, reducing manufacturing complexity
- Greater formulation flexibility through minimized structuring over a wide pH range (4-9) leading to a smooth, appealing texture

Recommended use level in emulsion: 0.05-0.4 wt%



## Chemistry and Function

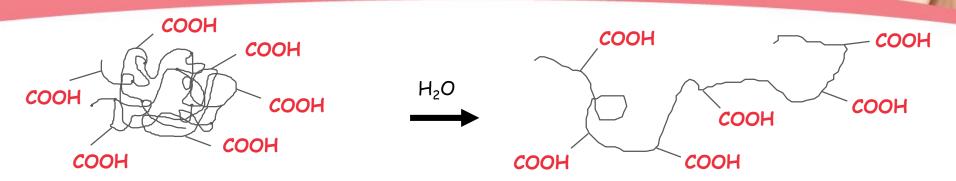
- Chemistry: High molecular weight cross-linked copolymers of acrylic acid and C10-30 alkyl acrylate
- Polymerization Method
  - Precipitation polymerization
  - Co-solvent (ethyl acetate, cyclohexane)
- Product Form: White powder
- Function:
  - Thicken, suspend and stabilize O/W emulsion
  - Primary emulsification in emulsions



INCI Name: Acrylates/C10-30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer



## Thickening Mechanism



#### I. Dry Powder

Before contact with water, crosslinked polyacrylic acid is tightly coiled

#### **II. Hydrated Polymer**

When dispersed in water, crosslinked polyacrylic acid begins uncoiling

#### **III. Neutralized Polymer**

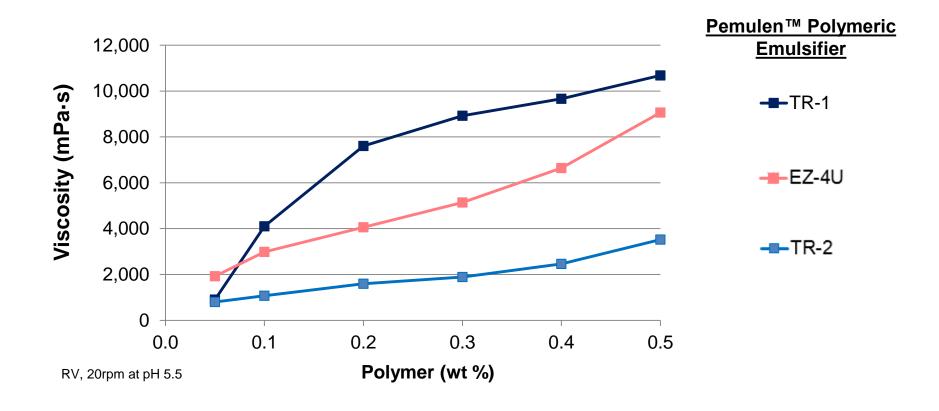
- Neutralization with a base creates negative charges along backbone
- These repulsive forces uncoil polymer into an extended structure



## Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers

Viscosity vs. Concentration Curves (mucilage gel)

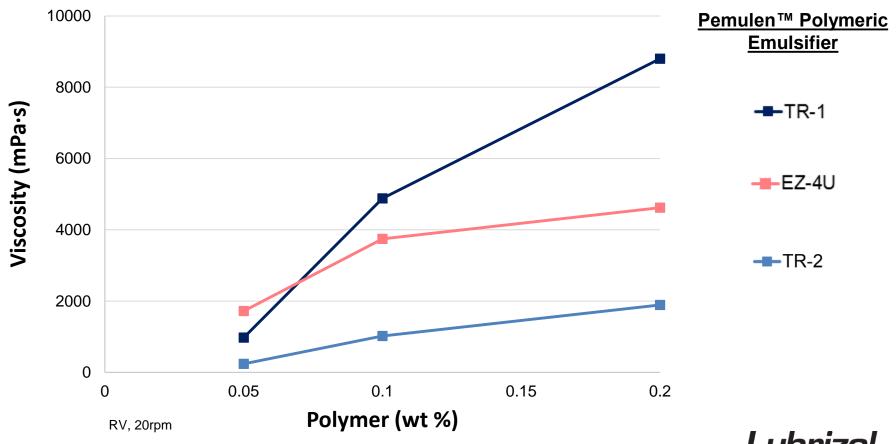






Viscosity vs. Concentration Curves (emulsion system)

#### Emulsion with 20 wt% Caprylic/Capric Triglyceride, pH 5.5





Process – Dispersion Time







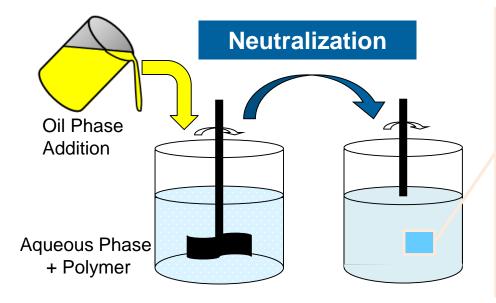
Dispersion Time: Only 5-10 minutes

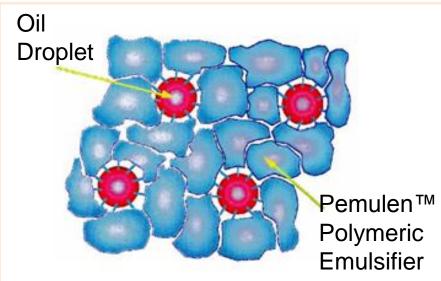
Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier is SIGNIFICANTLY easier to use

- Disperses quickly in water
- Decreases cycle time & reduces manufacturing costs



**Emulsion Stabilization Mechanism** 





#### **Before neutralization:**

Little to no emulsification

#### **Upon neutralization:**

#### **Emulsification and emulsion stabilization**

- Hydrophobic portion anchors oil phase
- Hydrophilic portion stabilizes emulsion in aqueous phase

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**Broad Oil Compatibility** 



Screening Formulation: 10% Oil phase, 0.2% Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier, 0.1% Disodium EDTA, 0.5% Phenoxyethanol, 3% Glycerin, pH 5.5

Caprylic/Capric Triglyceride
Isohexadecane Isohexad

\*Lauryl Lactate

Wide compatibility, with ability to stabilize emulsions independently from required HLB.



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**Micrographs** 

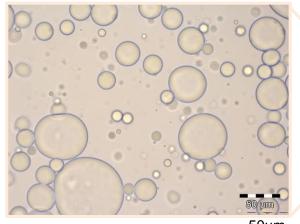
**Temperature** 

**Stability** 

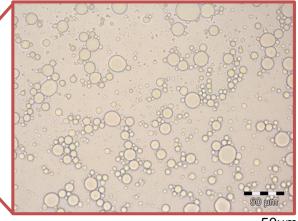
## **Performance Optimization**

Comparison to Emulsion with Co-Emulsifier - Oil Droplet Size

Due to their minimal surface activity, the use of a Pemulen<sup>™</sup> polymeric emulsifier as the sole emulsifier typically yields emulsions with an oil droplet size of 20-200µm.



50µm



50µm

0.2 wt.% Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier, 20 wt.% Schercemol™ 318 Ester, pH 5.5-6.0 0.2 wt.% Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier, 0.5 wt% Glucamate™ SSE-20 Emulsifier, 20 wt.% Schercemol™ 318 Ester, pH 5.5-6.0

Adjustment of the droplet size result in a whiter, more stable product. It is recommended to use with a co-emulsifier.







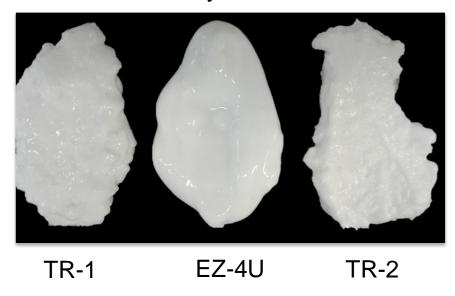
## Compatibility with Fatty Alcohols and Co-Emulsifiers



		INCI Name	Weight %
Α	1.	Deionized Water	77.20
	2.	Polymeric Emulsifier	0.20
	3.	Glycerin	3.00
	4.	Disodium EDTA	0.10
В	5.	Caprylic/Capric Triglyceride	9.00
	6.	Cetearyl Alcohol	2.00
	7.	Glyceryl Stearate	2.00
С	8.	NaOH (18 wt% Solution)	Qs pH 5
	9.	Phenoxyethanol	0.50

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#### Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers



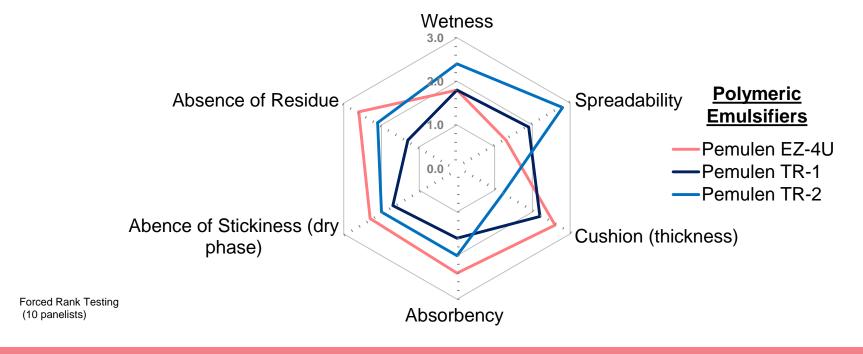
Greater formulation flexibility through significant improvement in minimizing structuring effect vs. traditional Pemulen™ polymeric emulsifiers in presence of fatty alcohols and co-emulsifiers.



# Sensory Profile of Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier (in mucilage gel)



Evaluation of Pemulen™ EZ-4U, TR-1 and TR-2 polymeric emulsifiers in mucilage gel (polymer dispersed in water)



Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier has a similar fresh initial feel with wetness, slightly more richness, and lower stickiness and residue vs. traditional Pemulen™ polymeric emulsifiers.







#### In Shower Moisturizing Body Lotion B-0097(EU)

	INCI Name	Wt %	Trade Name
Α	Deionized Water	66.49	
	Phenylpropanol, Propanediol, Caprylyl Glycol, Tocopherol	0.80	
	Carbomer	0.20	Carbopol® Ultrez 30 Polymer
	Acrylates/C10-30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer	0.20	Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier
	Glycerin	5.00	
В	Petrolatum	9.00	
	Sunflower (Helianthus Annuus) Seed Oil	5.00	
	Isostearyl Isostearate	3.00	Schercemol™ 1818 Ester
	Cetearyl Alcohol	1.50	
	Stearyl Alcohol	1.50	
С	Sodium Hydroxide (20 wt%)	0.21	
D	Water (Aqua), Xanthan Gum, Caprylyl Glycol, Phenoxyethanol, Glucose, Carrageenan (Chondrus Crispus), Ethylhexylglycerin,	5.00	Lipomoist™ 2013 Molecular Film
	Butylene Glycol, Water (Aqua), Acetyl Dipeptide-3 Aminohexanoate	2.00	Bodyfensine™ Peptide Solution
E	Fragrance (Parfum)	0.10	Baby Aloe Vera

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Stabilization of a system containing 3 wt% fatty alcohols with smooth texture.







#### Mild Moisturizing Facial Cream F-0132(EU)

	INCI Name	Wt %	Trade Name
Α	Deionized Water	64.13	
	Acrylates/C10-30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer	0.15	Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier
	Glycerin	4.00	
	Phenoxyethanol, Ethylhexylglycerin	0.43	
В	Isopropyl Isostearate	7.00	Schercemol™ 318 Ester
	Caprylic/Capric Triglyceride	7.00	
	Cyclopentasiloxane	4.50	
	Sweet Almond (Prunus Amygdalus Dulcis) Oil	4.00	
	Behenyl Alcohol	2.00	
	Methyl Glucose Sesquistearate	0.34	Glucate™ SS Emulsifier
	Tocopheryl Acetate	0.15	
С	Water (Aqua), Glycerin, Calcium Pantothenate, Xanthan Gum, Urea, Caprylyl Glycol, Glucose, Magnesium Lactate, Potassium Chloride, Potassium Lactate, Magnesium Chloride, Sodium Citrate, Citric acid, Ethylhexylglycerin	5.00	Ion-Moist™ Molecular Film
	Glycerin, Water (Aqua), Calendula Officinalis Flower Extract	1.00	Actiphyte™ Calendula GL Botanical Extract
	Fragrance (Parfum)	0.10	Allergen Free Aloe Vera
	Sodium Hydroxide (20% Solution)	0.20	

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Stabilization at low use levels of this PEG-free mild O/W emulsion containing 2 wt% behenyl alcohol and a co-emulsifier, with smooth texture.







## Microgel Thickening Mechanism





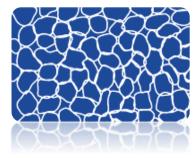
→ Dilute

Particles are swollen to equilibrium ( $c < c^*$ )



→ Transition Regime

Particles are swollen to equilibrium  $(c = c^*)$ 



→ Concentrated

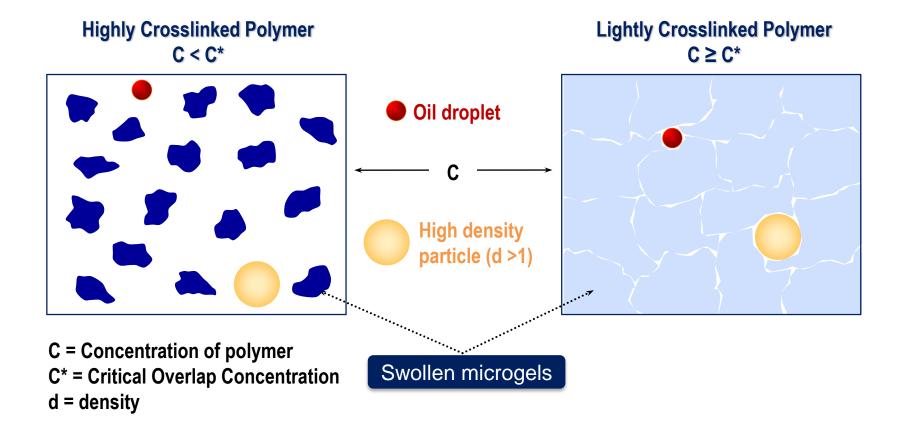
Particles are swollen to less than equilibrium  $(c > c^*)$ 

c = Concentration of Carbopol® polymer or Pemulen™ polymeric emulsifier c\* = Critical overlap concentration © 2017 The Lubrizol Corporation, all rights reserved.



# Stabilization Capability of Lightly and Highly Crosslinked Polymers at Low Use Levels







## Efficiency at Low Use levels



Polymeric Emulsifier	Pemulen™ TR-1	Pemulen™ TR-2	Pemulen™ EZ-4U
24hr Viscosity (mPa⋅s)	977	237	1,722
24hr Yield Value (dyn/cm²)	61	5	79
1 month 50°C Viscosity (mPa⋅s)	Creaming (1 wk)	Creaming (1 wk)	1,284
1 month 50°C Yield Value (dyn/cm²)	0	0	52
Stability	Failed	Failed	OK
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Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier offers efficient stabilization at 0.05% with low viscosity, enabling formulation of thin lotions, sprays or wipes.



## Benefits in Low Viscosity Emulsions



- Low viscosity emulsification and rheology modification at low use levels
- Easy processing with fast dispersion in water, at cold / hot temperature
- Excellent suspending capability
  - Offers visually appealing aesthetics
  - Suspends/stabilizes emollients or particles in the system
- Efficient cost-in-use
- Refreshing watery quick-break effect with aesthetics evoking enhanced benefits
- Light sensory and low residue compared to traditional emulsifiers
  - No negative sensory impact on formulations



## Suspension at Low Use Levels



#### Gentle Lotion with Oil Pearls for Sensitive Skin F-0131(EU)

	INCI Name	Wt %	Trade Name
Α	Deionized Water	Qsp 100	
	Acrylates/C10-30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer	0.0500	Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier
	Sodium Chloride	0.0012	
	Glycerin	2.0000	
	Phenylpropanol, Propanediol, Caprylyl Glycol, Tocopherol	0.8000	
	Glycerin, Water (Aqua), Chamomilla Recutita (Matricaria) Flower Extract	1.0000	Actiphyte™ Chamomile <i>Botanical Extract</i>
В	Sodium Hydroxide (20 wt% Solution)	0.0160	
С	Sesame (Sesamum Indicum) Seed Oil	5.0000	
	Fragrance (Parfum)	0.0500	Sweet Almond Chamomille



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Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier enables the stability and suspension of oil droplets in low viscosity systems at only 0.05 wt%.



Suspension at Low Use Levels

#### **Diaper Lotion Protective Spray O-0085(EU)**

	INCI Name	Wt %	Trade Name
Α	Deionized Water	64.60	
	Glycerin	3.00	
	Phenylpropanol, Propanediol, Caprylyl Glycol, Tocopherol	0.80	
	Acrylates/C10-30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer	0.20	Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier
В	Sweet Almond (Prunus Amygdalus Dulcis) Oil	6.00	
	Diisostearyl Dimer Dilinoleate	2.00	Schercemol™ DISD Ester
	Methyl Glucose Dioleate	1.00	Glucate™ DO Emulsifier
	Tocopherol	0.50	
С	Sodium Hydroxide (20 wt%)	0.30	
D	Tapioca Starch	11.00	
	Water (Aqua), Glycerin, Calcium Pantothenate, Xanthan Gum, Urea, Caprylyl Glycol, Glucose, Magnesium Lactate, Potassium Chloride, Potassium Lactate, Magnesium Chloride, Sodium Citrate, Citric acid, Ethylhexylglycerin	5.00	Ion-Moist™ Molecular Film
	Microcrystalline Cellulose	4.00	Acticel™ 12
	Calendula Officinalis Flower Extract	1.00	Actiphyte™ Calendula GL Botanical Extract
	Panthenol	0.55	
	Fragrance (Parfum)	0.05	

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Emulsion stabilization and suspension in an electrolytes-containing system.

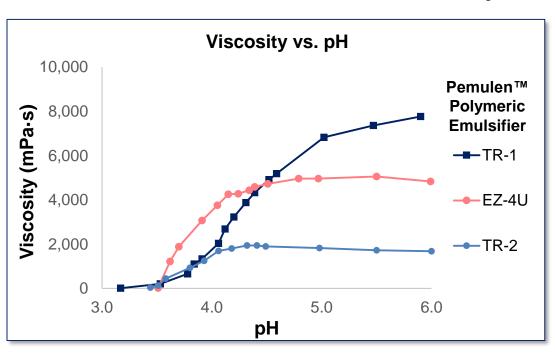


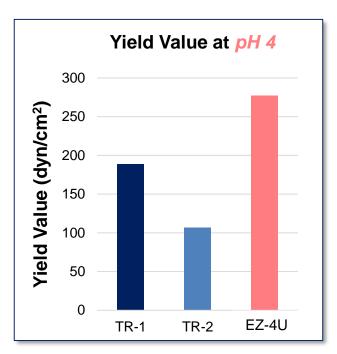


Broader Range of Use - Lower pH



#### **Gels of 0.2% Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers**





Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier shows improved viscosity and yield value at lower pH ranges enabling for better emulsion stability.



## Broader Range of Use – Lower pH



Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifier	EZ-4U	TR-1	TR-2
24hr Viscosity (mPa·s)	3,760	2,140	1,000
24hr Yield Value (dyn/cm²)	256	154	51
Stability	Passed	Failed	Failed
1 month 50°C, Viscosity (mPa·s)	3,880	Creaming after 3 weeks	Creaming after 3 weeks
1month 50°C, Yield Value (dyn/cm²)	200	0	0







Clear aqueous phase at the bottom

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# Suncare Benefits and Applications of Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers



- Increase the stability of the emulsion.
- Eliminate the need for HLB calculations in formulations.
- Suitable for low to high viscosity formulations with good aesthetics.
- Low skin irritation profile due to low concentration or elimination of surfactants.
- Reduce rubbing, soapy feel and reapplication of the product.
- Offer film-forming properties.



Screening Formulation (SPF 30, Emulsifier-free O/W Emulsion)

	INCI Name (Trade Name)	Wt%	Ingredient Function
PART A	Deionized Water	Qsp.	Diluent
	Disodium EDTA	0.10	Chelating Agent
	Polymeric Emulsifier	0.20	Primary Emulsifier
PART B	Glycerin	6.00	Humectant
PART C	Octocrylene (Parsol® 340)	10.00	UV Absorber
	Ethylhexyl Methoxycinnamate (Parsol® MCX)	7.50	UV Absorber
	Ethylhexyl Salicylate (Parsol® EHS)	4.50	UV Absorber
	Butyl Methoxydibenzoylmethane (Parsol® 1789)	3.00	UV Absorber
	C12-15 Alkyl Benzoate	6.00	Solubilizer
PART D	Sodium Hydroxide (18% solution)	qs pH 6	Neutralizer
PART E	Phenoxyethanol	0.50	Preservative

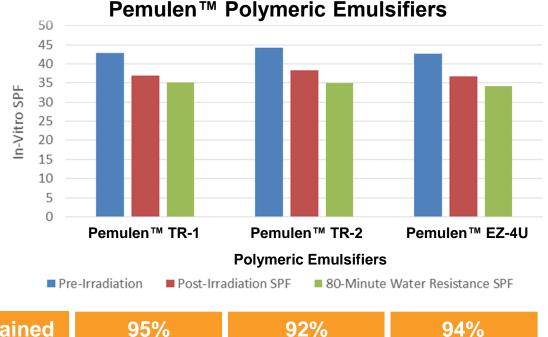
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Water-resistance in Screening Formulation



# In-Vitro SPF of a SPF 30 Emulsifier-Free O/W Emulsion Containing



% SPF Retained

Similar to Pemulen™ TR-1 and TR-2 polymeric emulsifiers, very water resistant formulations are also easily prepared with Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier.



# **Lubrizol Rheology Modifiers in Sun Care**

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Benefits	Carbopol <sup>®</sup> Aqua SF-1 OS Polymer	Novemer™ EC-2 Polymer	Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier	Pemulen™ TR-1 Polymeric Emulsifier	Pemulen™ TR-2 Polymeric Emulsifier	Avalure™ Flex-6 Polymer	Novethix <sup>™</sup> L-10 Polymer
Viscosity	Low to Medium	Medium to High	Low to Medium	Medium	Low to Medium	Medium to High	Low to Medium
Suspension	•	•	•	•	•		
Efficiency*			Δ	•	•		
Electrolyte Tolerant	•	•				Δ	
Emulsion Stabilization	•	•	Δ	Δ	Δ	•	•
Compatibility with Fatty Alcohols	•	•	•			•	•
Compatibility with Pigments	$\Delta$ but TiO <sub>2</sub> only		<ul><li>but</li><li>TiO<sub>2</sub> only</li></ul>		<ul><li>but</li><li>TiO<sub>2</sub> only</li></ul>	$\Delta$ (TiO $_{\rm 2}$ and ZnO)	$\Delta$ but TiO <sub>2</sub> only
Sensorial	Light, Soft	Cushiony	Light, Fresh	Light, Fresh	Light, Fresh	Cushiony	Light, Fresh
Water-resistance			•**	•**	•**	Δ	

Recommended ∆ Highly recommended \*Lower use level



<sup>\*\*</sup>Non re-emulsifiable film

#### Conclusions



## Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier features 4 benefits

- Universal (broad pH and oil compatibility; pH 4-9)
- Ultra-smooth reduced cheese cake effect with fatty alcohols
- Use levels as low as 0.05-0.4% with high emulsion stability and ease of processing
- Ultimate fresh sensory with light skin feel



## Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers Selector Guide

	Pemulen™ TR-1 Polymeric Emulsifier	Pemulen™ TR-2 Polymeric Emulsifier	Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier		
INCI Designation	Acrylate	s/C10-30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer			
PROPERTIES					
Emulsification*	Yes	Yes	Yes		
Dispersion Time in Water	Long	Long	Fast		
Oil Loading**	Medium	High	High		
Emulsion Viscosity (0.2%, pH 5.5) - RV, 20 rpm	medium (8,000 mPa·s)	low (2,000 mPa·s)	medium (5,000 mPa·s)		
Effective pH Range	5 - 9	5 - 9	4 - 9		
Typical Use Concentration	0.2 - 0.4 wt%***	0.1 - 0.3 wt%***	0.05 - 0.4 wt%***		
Compatibility With Fatty Alcohols	Low	Low	High		
APPLICATIONS					
Creams, Lotions (moderate oil loading)	•	•	•		
Milks, Sprayable Emulsions, Wipes		•	•		
Creams, Lotions (high oil loading)		•	•		

<sup>\*</sup> Need to be used with a co-emulsifier for optimal stability and aesthetics

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> In high electrolyte systems, combination with carbomer (Carbopol® homopolymers) is recommended



<sup>\*\*</sup> In presence of co-emulsifier; the actual maximum obtainable is formulation dependent



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### General Definition of Polymeric Emulsifiers

 A polymeric O/W emulsifier is an amphiphilic high Mw polymer consisting of a large number of hydrophilic monomers and hydrophobic co-monomers. Emulsion stabilization is achieved at low use level of polymeric emulsifier by effective anchoring of the hydrophobic entities into the oil phase and steric stabilization in the aqueous phase.

#### Main criteria:

- Material has to be polymeric (based on molecular weight)
- 2. Has to reduce interfacial tension (amphiphilic)
- 3. Has to provide (steric) stabilization

### **Definition of Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers**

- Water-dispersible amphiphilic molecules enabling O/W emulsion stabilization upon neutralization by mechanical stabilization through space filling of the swollen microgel network and the associative interactions of polymer hydrophobic portions with nonpolar and polar lipophilic materials.
- Pemulen™ polymeric emulsifiers are also high molecular weight crosslinked polymers that modify the rheology and texture of an emulsion.

# Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers Mechanism Microscopic View

# **Neutralized Polymer Hydrated Polymer Dry Polymer** 2 - 7µm (Agglomerates) pH = 3.020 - 70 μm pH = 7.0

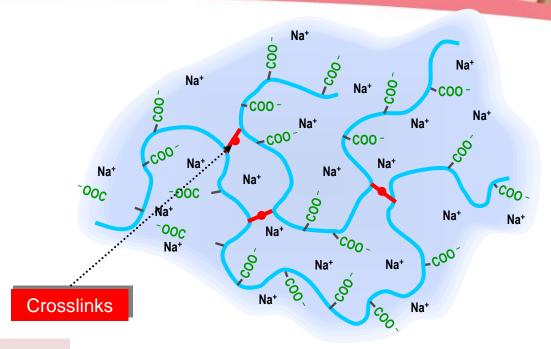
When neutralized in water, Pemulen™ polymeric emulsifiers swell to approximately 1000x their initial volume.



### **Crosslink Density**

### Molecular View after Dispersion and Neutralization

Crosslink density helps dictate gel particle structure



### Lightly Crosslinked Polymer

- Large soft particles
- Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers



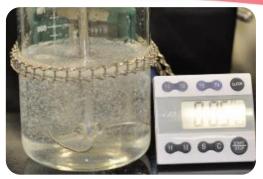
### **Dispersion Time Comparisons**



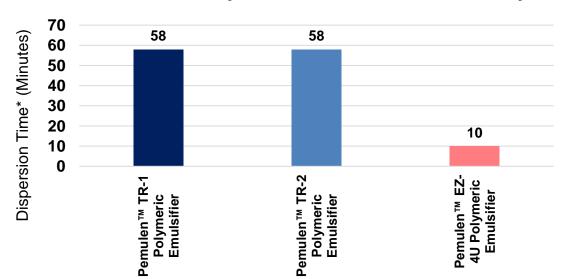
Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier



Pemulen™ TR-1 Polymeric Emulsifier



Pemulen™ TR-2 Polymeric Emulsifier



\* 0.25% polymer dispersion using propeller mixing at 400-600rpm



### **Processing Guidelines**



#### Order of Addition

- There is no significant differences between direct or indirect method. When using indirect method (Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier added first in the oil phase) the viscosity is a little bit higher (around 10% higher)
- Stability is good in all cases, and the sensory is very similar

#### **Neutralization Before or After Emulsification**

- There is no significant differences between neutralization before or after emulsification.
- Stability is good in all cases and the sensory is very similar.

#### **Processing Temperature**

- There is no significant differences between cold and hot processes.
- Stability is good in all cases and the sensory is very similar.

#### **Shear Forces**

- Ultra-Turrax<sup>®\*</sup> homogenizer is recommended to reduce the oil droplet size to optimize emulsion aesthetics.
- Used homogenizer preferably before neutralization.
- Rotation speed and timing should be carefully adjusted to minimize viscosity decrease.
- Stability is good in all cases when using Ultra-Turrax at 5,000 10,000 15,000 rpm.



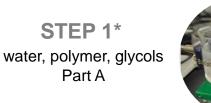
### Cold Processing of Simple Emulsion



## **Traditional Polymeric Emulsifiers**

71 min. process time

Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric Emulsifier 21 min. process time



Mixing Time 60 minutes



Time saving **-70%** 

STEP 2

Oil phase components

**STEP 1\*** 

Part A



Mixing Time 1 minutes

Mixing Time 1 minutes

STEP 3

Neutralization and preservatives



Mixing Time 10 minutes.

Mixing Time 10 minutes

**RESULT** 



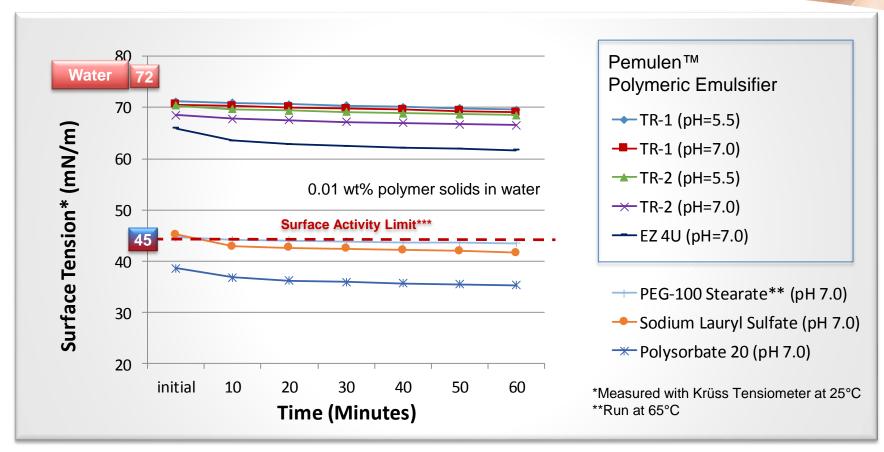
\*propeller mixing at 400-600rpm



### **Surface Activity**

Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifiers vs. Traditional Emulsifiers



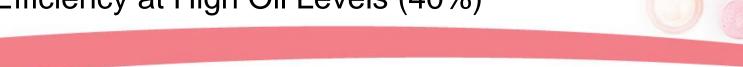


Pemulen™ polymeric emulsifiers show minimal surface activity.

\*\*\*Definition as stated in the World Customs Organization- Explanatory Notes (chapter 34)



Efficiency at High Oil Levels (40%)



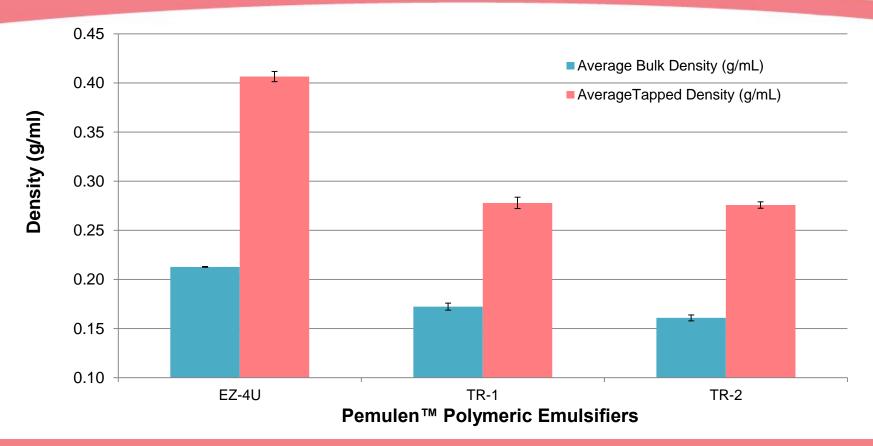
Screening Formulation: 0.20 wt% polymeric emulsifier, 40% Oil at pH 5.50

	Caprylic/Capric Triglyceride				Isohexadecane			
Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifier	24hr Viscosity (mPa·s)	24hr Yield Value (dyn/cm²)	1 month 50°C Viscosity (mPa·s)	1 month 50°C Yield Value (dyn/cm²)	24hr Viscosity (mPa·s)	24hr Yield Value (dyn/cm²)	1 month 50°C Viscosity (mPa·s)	1 month 50°C Yield Value (dyn/cm²)
TR-1	13,140	992	10,920	824	12,160	884	10,260	760
TR-2	3,010	115	2,685	109	2,815	134	2,840	124
EZ-4U	8,320	590	7,520	352	8,700	560	7,760	424

Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier shows comparable stabilization of emulsions with high oil loading relative to benchmarks.



Bulk Density/Tapped Density



Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier has higher bulk density than traditional Pemulen™ polymeric emulsifiers, resulting in improved handling and packaging.



**Bulk Density/Dusting** 

15 g of Polymer



Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifier

EZ-4U

TR-1 TR-2

Bulk Density (g/ml):

0.213

0.172

0.161

Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier has higher bulk density than traditional Pemulen™ polymeric emulsifiers, resulting in improved handling and packaging.



### Texture – Reduction of Structuring Effect



"CHEESECAKE" EFFECT EMULSIONS	Wt%
Water	Qs 100
Pemulen™ Polymeric Emulsifier	0.4
Schercemol™ NGDO Ester	20
PEG-7 Glyceryl Cocoate	1.0
Promulgen™ D Emulsifier (Cetearyl Alcohol (and) Ceteareth-20)	2.0
Phenoxyethanol	0.5
NaOH (18% Solution)	QS pH 5

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Greater formulation flexibility through significant improvement in minimizing cheesecake effect vs. traditional Pemulen™ polymeric emulsifiers in presence of fatty alcohols.

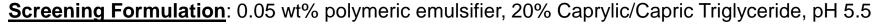








Efficiency at Low Use Levels vs. Commercial Benchmarks



Polymeric Emulsifier	Pemulen™ TR-1	Pemulen™ TR-2	Pemulen™ EZ-4U	Commercial A	Commercial C
24hr Viscosity (mPa⋅s)	977	237	1,722	3,075	439
24hr Yield Value (dyn/cm²)	61	5	79	263	17
1 month 50°C Viscosity (mPa·s)	Creaming (1wk)	Creaming (1 wk)	1,284	2,555	Creaming (1 wk)
1month 50°C Yield Value (dyn/cm²)	0	0	52	165	0
Stability	Failed	Failed	OK	OK	Failed
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Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier offers efficient stabilization at 0.05% with low viscosity, enabling formulation of thin milk and lotions.

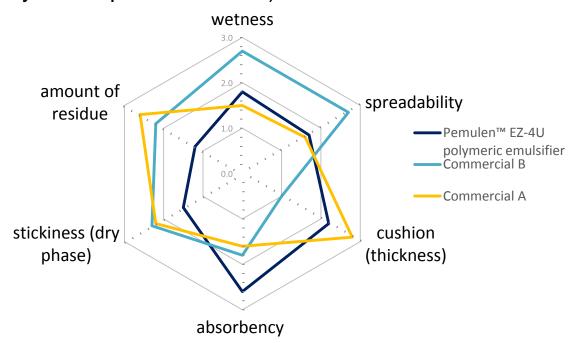


### Sensory Profile of Pemulen™ EZ-4U Polymeric

Emulsifier vs. Commercial Benchmarks (In mucilage gels)



Evaluation of Pemulen™ EZ-4U, commercial product polymeric emulsifiers in mucilage gel (polymer dispersed in water)



Forced Rank Testing (10 panelists)

Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier has a fresh initial feel with lower stickiness and amount of residue vs. commercial benchmarks.



### **Competitive Advantage**

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	Dispersion Time	Structuring Reduction	Refreshing Sensory	Universal Emulsification	Efficiency
Pemulen™ EZ-4U polymeric emulsifier Acrylates/C10-C30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer	+++	+++	+++	+++	+++
Commercial A Acrylates/Vinyl Isodecanoate Crosspolymer	_	+++	+++	+++	+++
Commercial B Ammonium Acryloyldimethyltaurate/VP Copolymer	~~	+++	+++	_	_
Commercial C Acrylates/C10-C30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer	~~	+++	+++	~~	~~
Commercial D Acrylates/C10-C30 Alkyl Acrylate Crosspolymer	~~	+++	+++	~~	~~
Commercial E Sodium Polyacrylate	+++	+++	+++	_	_

+++ Excellent ~~ Fair - Poor

Easier to use, more efficient, universal and flexible.



### **Miscellaneous**



- Regulatory:
  - CFDA, JSQI (Japan), and TGA (Australia) compliant





