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## **Technical Data Sheet**

MATERIAL: Poly(vinyl alcohol), 88% hydrolyzed

CATALOG NUMBER: 336

**CAS NUMBER:** 25213-24-2

**DESCRIPTION:** Partially hydrolyzed poly(vinyl alcohol)

**FORMULA:**  $(C_4H_6O_2 \cdot C_2H_4O)_x$ 

**TYPICAL PROPERTIES:** 

Appearance: Granular Approx Mw: 3,000

Viscosity: 3-4 cp (4% aqueous solution @ 20°C)

Melting point: 200°C

pH: 4.5-6.5 (4% aqueous solution)
Solubility: Glycerol (hot), glycols (hot), water

**GENERAL INFORMATION:** Prepared by polymerizing vinyl acetate and hydrolyzing the resulting

polymer. Typical application areas include adhesives, paper coatings, paper and textile sizing, ceramics and cosmetics. Partially hydrolyzed grades of polyvinyl alcohol offer increased solubility, flexibility and adhesion to hydrophobic surfaces over fully hydrolyzed grades.

**STRUCTURE:**