

GEATAN VGP

Chemical Nature:	condensation of acid synthetic tannins
Active Substance:	approx. 96%
pH (10%):	approx. 2,0
Ionic Charge:	slightly anionic
Light Fastness:	medium
Aspect:	beige powder
Utilization:	pre-tanning of vegetable tanned leather

PROPERTIES

GEATAN VGP is a synthetic tannin with excellent pre-tanning action and optimal vegetable tannin dispersion power. Employed in pickle floats in pre-tanning processes, it prepares the hides for the shaving operation or the addition of tanning tannins. It is recommended to add between 2 and 4% GEATAN VGP calculated on the weight of the shaved pelts (tripe). Its chemical nature makes it possible to impart light, clean shades to leather. Together with GEATAN VGP, you may add GEOFAT GSN that helps lubricate the fibres of leather as well as protecting the hides during the shaving operation. In leather that has already been pre-tanned and shaved, it is recommended to add 2-3% and let the drum run for 60 minutes before adding the vegetable tannins. Its action will help distribute and absorb the vegetable tannins.