

# Bermocoll CCM 879A

Methyl ethyl hydroxyethyl cellulose

Bermocoll® CCM 879A is a highly modified non-ionic, water soluble cellulose ether, intended as a water retaining and consistency improving additive to gypsum based mortars.

## Specifications

Appearance	Whitish powder
Particle size	98 % ≤ 450 µm
Water content	≤ 4 %

## Characteristics

Surface activity	Weak
Viscosity at 20 °C (Brookfield LV), 1% solution	~ 12000 mPa.s

### Notes:

Bermocoll® CCM 879A is a modified high viscosity grade of methyl ethyl hydroxyethyl cellulose.

## Applications

Bermocoll® CCM 879A is used in gypsum based mortars to improve the workability, consistency and water retention. Bermocoll® CCM 879A prolongs the open time and provides high sag resistance.

## Storage

In unopened bags, Bermocoll® CCM 879A can be stored for several years. In opened bags, the moisture content of Bermocoll® CCM 879A will be influenced by the air humidity.

## Packaging and transport

Like many industrial powdery materials, cellulose ether dusts are combustible and can cause dust explosions. Dust formation must be avoided or kept to a minimum. Care should be taken to prevent ignition from heat, spark, open flames or hot surface. Bermocoll® CCM 879A is packed in polyethylene bag. Net weight 20 kg. The empty bags can be recycled or burned. In unopened bags, Bermocoll® CCM 879A can be stored for several years. In opened bags, the moisture content of Bermocoll® CCM 879A will be influenced by the air humidity.

## Safety and handling

Bermocoll® CCM 879A should be admixed in dry form before the water is added. Due to its particle size Bermocoll® CCM 879A will dissolve rapidly after addition of water to the dry mix. At the temperatures above 250°C (480°F), charring of Bermocoll® CCM 879A will occur. At high temperatures and in contact with an open flame, Bermocoll® CCM 879A will burn slowly with the characteristics of cellulose.

## Certifications

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