# BreezeBond<sup>™</sup> Product Bulletin Decorative Paper

#### Features and Performance

BreezeBond<sup>™</sup> is a low viscosity, soy-based adhesive made up of water, modified soy flour, and low environmental-impact inorganic additives for decorative hot-press/roller/laminator applications with the following characteristics:

- Single component adhesive
- Suitable for indoor applications
- > High Solids
- Low Viscosity
- Strong wet bond strength
- > No detectable formaldehyde
- Competitive with current overlay adhesives in the market
- Compostable

#### **General Usage Instructions**

## **Physical Properties**

Adhesive capabilities: Average wet strength 896 psi (6.18 MPa) Color: Light yellow to beige when wet, almost white when dry. Viscosity: 2.02-3.36 lb<sub>m</sub>/ft-second (3000-5000 mPa-s, centipoise) Density: 8.3 lb/gal (1.00 g/cm<sup>3</sup>), pH: 8.0-8.5 Solids Content: Can be provided at up to 50% VOC Content: Less than 0.008 ppm VHAP Content: Not Applicable Hot Press Time: 20-50 sec @ 30 psi (.186 MPa) minimum Spreader Rate: 0.7-0.8 oz/ft<sup>2</sup> (21.4–24.4 mg/cm<sup>2</sup>)

To be stored at near room temperature (68-77 °F, 20-25 °C). Prolonged exposure to elevated temperatures (140 °F, 50 °C) can lead to partial degradation.

For maximum wet adhesion strength and higher viscosity, an additive can be mixed into the adhesive prior to application. Contact the BreezeBond<sup>™</sup> team at Specialty Organics, Inc. for more information.

### **Application**

- 1) Mix the adhesive to give it a homogenous consistency before application.
- 2) Apply the adhesive to the substrate (spray, roller, rubber blade / squeegee).
- 3) Bring the paper and substrate together with your preferred heated roller/laminator technique.
- 4) Slowly apply paper at 257 °F (125 °C) minimum. Rougher surfaces require longer time/slower roll rate.

Storage/Shelf Life	<u>Clean-up/Disposal</u>
<ul> <li>Expected shelf life of up to three months when stored in a sealed container at room temperature. Keep away from direct sunlight. Avoid elevated temperatures.</li> <li>Keep container tightly sealed to prevent moisture from leaving the mixture.</li> <li>After long periods of storage, stirring is recommended prior to use.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use hot water while the adhesive residue is still wet in the container/mixer/holding tank.</li> <li>Removal of dried adhesive requires a water soak followed by a high-pressure water jet.</li> <li>This adhesive is compatible with most local sewage treatment methods, however, check with local authorities for proper waste disposal.</li> </ul>



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