





# TABSAFE En A

Tab safe en h is a ready mix enteric coating system reconstituted using organic solvents. Different reconstitution levels can be achieved using a blend of organic solvents.



### Recomended Solvent System

- 1. 100% IPA or Ethanol (10% Reconstitution)
- 2. 60% IPA and 40% Acetone (10% Reconstitution)

### Equipment

- Stainless steel vessel with a capacity that is 25% higher than the total dispersion volume.
- The height of the vessel should be nearly 25% more than its diameter.
- The speed of the propeller of stirrer should be variable and its blade diameter should be nearly 1/3rd of the vessel diameter

### Reconstitution procedure

## IPA or Ethanol

Weigh the required quantity of IPA or ethanol.

Stir to form a vortex

Add the weighed quantity of TAB SAFE EN A to the vortex

Reduce the speed to remove vortex

stir for further 150 minutes

position the stirrer centrally to prevent air entrapment

Filter the solution through #80

Continue stirring throughout the coating process

# Using IPA + Acetone

Weigh the required quantity of IPA or ethanol.

Stir to form a vortex

Add the weighed quantity of TAB SAFE EN A to the vortex

Stir for further 5 minutes

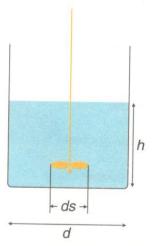
Add required quantity of acetone

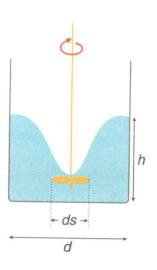
Reduce the speed to remove vortex

Continue stirring for 40 minutes

Position the stirrer centrally to prevent air entrapment.

Filter the solution through # 80 continue stirring throughout the coating process







# Coating Parameters for TABSAFE En A: Organic Solvent Sytstem







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|-------------------------------|--|-------------|-------------|--------------|------------|
| Pan diameter                  | 24"  | 48"         | 60"         | 12"          | 36"        |
| Solvent                       | Organic  | Organic     | Organic     | Organic      | Organic    |
| Solids content (% w/w)        | 6 - 10   | 6 - 10      | 6 - 10      | 6 - 10       | 6 - 10     |
| Pan Speed* (rpm)              | 10 - 14  | 3 - 5       | 1.5 - 3     | 18 - 20      | 8 - 12     |
| Baffles                       | 4 - 6  | 6 - 8       | 6 - 10      | 3            | 4          |
| Tablet charge** (kg)          | 10 - 15  | 100 - 130   | 250 - 300   | 0.5 - 1      | 40 - 50    |
| Tablet bed temperature (°C)   | 30 - 33  | 30 - 33     | 30 - 33     | 30 - 33      | 30 - 33    |
| Spray nozzle (mm)             | 1  | 1.2-1.5     | 1.2-1.5     | 1            | 1.2        |
| Number of spray guns          | 1  | 2-3         | 4-6         | 1            | 1          |
| Atomizing air pressure (bars) | 2.5 - 3  | 2.5 - 3     | 2.5 - 3     | 2.5 - 3      | 2.5 - 3    |
| Spray procedure               | Continuous   | Continuous  | Continuous  | Continuous   | Continuous |
| Spray rate (g/min)            | 25 - 35  | 200 - 250   | 350 - 400   | 8 - 12       | 60 - 75    |
| Inlet air temperature (°C)    | 40 - 45  | 40 - 45     | 40 - 45     | 40 - 45      | 40 - 45    |
|                               | 250 - 300  | 1500 - 2000 | 4500 - 5000 | 50           | 400 - 500  |
| Drying air volume (cfm)       | 8 - 9  | 8 - 9       | 8 - 9       | 8 - 9        | 8 - 9      |
| Weight gain (%)               | the hand size frightlity and the number of baffles, so as to effect proper n |             |             |              |            |

<sup>\*</sup> Pan speed would depend upon the tablet shape, size, friability and the number of baffles, so as to effect proper mixing during the coating process.