

DESCRIPTION	Tyzor [®] 212 is a zirconium chelate with approximately 52% active ingredient in 1-propanol solution. It is a clear, slightly viscous yellow liquid that is not affected by freezing and thawing.	
	Tyzor [®] 212 reacts with water by hydrolysis to form a reactive hydroxy zirconium chelate that is stable in water for extended periods. The original or hydrated chelate bonds with organic -OH or -COOH groups to form strong gels by cross-linking many polymeric materials and carbohydrates such as cellulose, starch and guar. Tyzor [®] 212 reacts similarly as an adhesion promoter on -OH functionalized surfaces.	
APPLICATIONS	OIL WELL FRACTURING FLUIDS Tyzor® 212 is an effective cross-linker that forms high-viscosity aqueous gels in dispersions of guar and its derivatives used in oil and gas well fracturing applications.	
	INKS, PAINTS & COATINGS Tyzor® 212 cross-links polymers and binders in solvent-borne and water-borne coatings and printing inks, improving film strength, adhesion promotion and rheology control. Surface modification of pigments may also be achieved. Tyzor® 212 is compatible with water, offers low color generation and works well over a wide pH range.	
HOW TO USE	Tyzor [®] 212 typically is the last ingredient added to the polymer or binder in cross-linking reactions. Gel formation time depends on polymer type, temperature, pH, brine strength, zirconate concentration and other variables. Temperature curing may be required for activation.	
TYPICAL PROPERTIES		
	PROPERTY	TYPICAL VALUE
	ZrO ₂ , wt %	16.75
	Zr, wt %	12.4
	Active content, wt % approximate	52
	Color	Yellow
	Solvent	n-Propanol
	Specific gravity @ at 25 °C (77 °F)	1.06
	Freezing point, °C (°F)	< -25 (-13)
	Flash point °C (°F)	22 (71.6)
	Solubility	Miscible in water and most organic solvents
PACKAGING AND SHIPPING	Not regulated for transportation by US DOT	
SAFETY and HANDLING	Please refer to the current Material Safety Data Sheet for detailed safety, handling and toxicity information.	
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