Who refines feel and water resistance? We do.



Antaron™ (Ganex™) sensory polymer

Skin care polymer providing non-greasy feel and improved water resistance

Description

Antaron (Ganex) Sensory is a water dispersible polymer that has a unique hydrophobic character, and is capable of forming a mesh over the sunscreen film that will lay on the skin. The mesh protects the film, giving it great water resistance and imparting a superior sensory feel when the formulation dries. This functionality enhances the homogenous distribution of UV filters in the formulation. Consumer data generated on formulations containing the polymer confirmed the breakthrough sensory feel it imparts on formulations with and without sun filters.

Formulation to inspire

SUNsory active fluid SPF 50+ (#200-10058)

- The fluid applies very softly on the skin and absorbs very nicely, leaving the skin feeling moisturized and protected.
- It applies very smoothly on the entire body for maximum protection at the beach or during outdoor sport activity.

SUNsory light daily cream-in-gel SPF 20 (#200-10059)

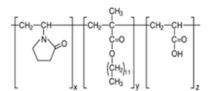
- This gel cream is a very light and fresh texture that quickly absorbs into the skin, leaving behind a soft, powdery feel.
- The low emulsifier polymer-stabilized formulation relies on the combination of UltraThixTM P-100 polymer, RapiThixTM A-60 polymer and Antaron/Ganex Sensory to provide the formulation with stability and unique sensory experience.

SUNsory rebound balm-in-gel SPF 20 (#200-10060)

- This distinctive bouncy texture takes sun care textures to an entirely different level. The buttery formulation applies very easily leaving the skin soft and conditioned.
- This unique emulsifier-free formulation was achieved by combining Ganex/Antaron Sensory with FlexiThix[™] and RapiThix polymers that provided enhanced cushion and elasticity to the texture.

Chemistry of Antaron (Ganex) sensory polymer

INCI name: VP/Acrylates/Lauryl Methacrylate Copolymer



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KEY FEATURES:

Sensory feel:

Consumers prefer the non-greasy feel and skin comfort, even in high SPF formulations. This can help increase the user's confidence in end use product effectiveness and help meet active outdoor consumer needs.

Water resistance:

The polymer architecture provides high performance water resistance, which helps sunscreen formulators develop products with substantial water resistance.

Emulsion stability:

It is the first choice of formulators as it's cold processable, water dispersible and easy to formulate with - which helps achieve improved emulsion stability.



Formulation guidelines

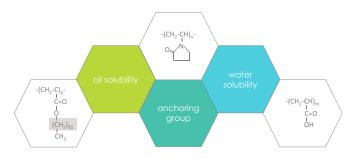
Formulator Benefits	Improves stability of emulsions, is easy to formulate with, provides high performance water resistant claims and reduced sand-stickiness, and enhances the development of high oil phase emulsions without negative aesthetics
Tips	 Add to water phase pre- or postemulsion Can also be directly added to the oil phase Neutralization required, optimum at pH 5.5 – 6.5 Cold processable, heat not required
Applications	Sunscreen emulsions and anhydrousFace and body careColor cosmetics
Use Level	0.5-3.0%

Film former texturizer

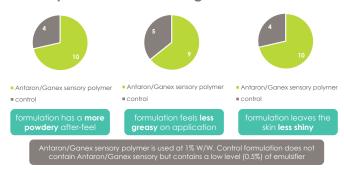


Antaron (Ganex) Sensory (#200-10062 – EM 3D picture)

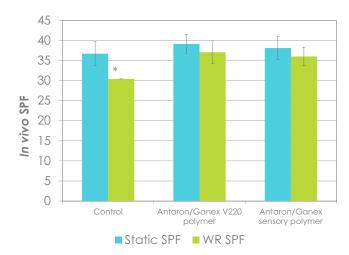
How to design such a polymer?



Sensory comparison in SPF formulation SUNsory rebound balm-in-gel SPF20



In vivo water resistance – nonionic base SPF 35



Sensory comparison in non-SPF emulsion



Antaron/Ganex sensory polymer is used at 1% W/W. Control formulation contains 1% of aluminum starch octenylsuccinate

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