

## **DECOMET**

Citric acid based liquid product for the passivation of all grades of stainless steel. Removes iron oxides and accelerates the formation of a chromium passivation film.

# WATCH INDUSTRY

FUNCTION	APPLICATION/POLLUTION
Soaking passivation process	Iron oxides

### COMPATIBILITY

Stainless steel

### **COMPONENTS**

- Citric acid, surfactants
- No CMR compounds, REACH compliant

### PHYSICOCHEMICAL DATA

■ pH concentrated: 1

■ Density: 1.17

■ Surface tension: 31.2 mN/m

# Surface cleaning: water + Galvex 20.02 Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> removal with Decomet Passivation: Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE\***

• Concentration: 10 to 20%

■ Temperature: 20 to 70°C (68-158°F)

■ Time: 4 to 20 minutes

### **STORAGE CONDITIONS**

**PASSIVATION STEPS** 

- Keep the recipient hermetically sealed between 5°C and 40°C (41°F and 104°F) in a dry place.
- Always keep in packaging made from the same material as the original packaging (HDPE).

### **PROCESS EXAMPLE**

Surface preparation before passivation

CLEANING
GALVEX 20.02

Tap water Conc.: 2-5% Temp.: 40-70°C 104-158°F Time: 2-3 min

### TAP WATER RINSE

Temp.: 20-30°C 68-86°F Time: 2-3 min

### **PASSIVATION**

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### DI WATER RINSE

Temp.: 20-30°C 68-86°F Time: 1-2 min DI WATER

Temp.: 20-30°C 68-86°F Time: 1-2 min HOT AIR



If you have any questions, please contact our Application Centre on: +41 22 365 46 66







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<sup>\*</sup>Dependent on the quality of the water and the nature and quantity of contaminants.