



CA-43 CHEMICAL RESISTANCE GUIDE

Chemical and Acid-Resistant Suit

A Excellent — No attack
B Very Good — Slight attack, no penetration
C Not recommended — Severe attack and or/penetration

INORGANIC ACIDS & ACID SOLUTIONS			MISCELLANEOUS COMPOUNDS			ALKALIES AND BASES		
	23°C	66°C		23°C	66°C		23°C	66°C
Aqua Regia	C	C	Alums	A	C	Ammonium Hydroxide (10%)	A	A
Arsenic Acid Solutions	A	C	Beer	A	-	Chromium Solutions	B	C
Boric Acid Solution	A	A	Beet (Sugar Liquor)	A	A	Barium Hydroxide	A	A
Bromic Acid	A	C	Brine	A	B	Calcium Hydroxide	A	A
Chromic Acid (40%)	B	C	Bleach (16% Chlorine)	B	C	Magnesium Hydroxide	A	A
Fluoboric Acid	B	B	Castor Oil	B	B	Potassium Hydroxide (50%)	A	C
Fluosillicic Acid	A	B	Corn Syrup	A	C	Potassium Hydroxide (10%)	A	A
Hydrobromic Acid (20%)	B	C	Cottonseed Oil	B	C	Sodium Hydroxide (50%)	A	C
Hydrochloric Acid (35%)	B	C	Fruit Pulp & Juice	A	A	Sodium Hydroxide (10%)	A	A
Hydrochloric Acid (10%)	A	B	Gasoline	B	C	PLATING SOLUTIONS AND SALTS		
Hydrofluoric Acid (48%)	B	C	Milk	A	A	Cadmium, Copper, Gold, Lead,		
Hydrofluoric Acid (10%)	A	C	Mineral Oil	B	C	Nickel, Rhodium, Silver, Tin,		
Nitric Acid (68%)	B	C	Molasses	A	A	Zinc Solutions	B	B
Nitric Acid (25%)	A	C	Photographic Chemicals	A	A	Chromium Solutions	B	C
Nitric Acid (10%)	A	B	Tanning Liquors	B	C			
Oleum	C	C	Water (Deminerlized)	A	A			
Perchloric Acid (70%)	C	C	Water (Sea)	A	A			
Perchloric Acid (10%)	A	C	Wines	A	-			
Phosphoric Acid (75%)	A	C						
Phosphoric Acid (10%)	A	A	Catenex T 129	A	B			
Selenic Acid	A	C	Orfom F 2 Frother	B	C			
Sulfuric Acid (99%)	B	C	Armeen HT 97	A	B			
Sulfuric Acid (50%)	B	C	Armeen T	A	B			
Sulfuric Acid (10%)	A	A						

ORGANIC COMPOUNDS								
	23°C	66°C		23°C	66°C		23°C	66°C
Acetic Acid (Glacial)	C	C	Ethyl Acetate	B	C	Oxalic Acid	B	C
Acetic Acid (10%)	A	C	Ethylene Glycol	B	C	Phenol	B	C
Allyl alcohol	B	C	Fatty Acids	B	C	Phenones	A	B
Aliphatic Hydrocarbons	A	B	Formaldehyde	B	C	Cyclohexanone	C	C
Amines	A	B	Formic Acid	A	A	Picric Acid	B	C
Benzaldehyde	C	C	Glucose	A	A	Dextrose	A	A
Benzoic Acid	A	A	Glycerine	A	C	Propyl Alcohol	B	C
Butyl Alcohol	B	C	Glycol	B	C	Stearic Acid	B	C
Butyric Acid	C	C	Kerosene	B	C	Ethyl Alcohol	B	C
Carbon Disulfide	C	C	Lactic Acid (28%)	A	C	Tannic Acid	A	C
Carbon Tetrachloride	C	C	Maleic Acid	B	C	Tartaric Acid	A	C
Chloroacetic Acid	C	C	Methyl Alcohol	B	C	Tetraethyl Lead	C	C
Citric Acid	A	C	M.E.K.	C	C	Turpentine	B	C
Cresylic Acid (50%)	A	C	M.I.B.K.	C	C	Urea	A	A
			Oleic Acid	B	C	Xylene	B	C

INORGANIC SALTS & COMPOUNDS								
	23°C	66°C		23°C	66°C		23°C	66°C
Aluminum Chloride	A	A	Copper Nitrate	A	A	Potassium Nitrate	A	A
Aluminum Fluoride	A	C	Ferric Chloride	A	A	Bromine (Water)	A	C
Aluminum Sulfate	A	A	Ferric Nitrate	A	A	Potassium Permanganate (10%)	A	B
Ammonia (Liquid)	C	C	Ferric Sulfate	A	A	Potassium Sulfate	A	A
Ammonium Bifluoride	A	A	Ferrous Chloride	A	A	Silver Nitrate	A	A
Ammonium Chloride	A	A	Ferrous Sulfate	A	A	Sodium Bisulfite	A	A
Ammonium Fluoride (25%)	A	A	Hydrogen Peroxide (10%)	A	C	Sodium Chlorate	A	A
Ammonium Nitrate	A	A	Hydrogen Peroxide (30-50%)	C	C	Sodium Fluoride	A	A
Ammonium Sulfate	A	A	Iodine	C	C	Sodium Hypochlorite (10%)	B	C
Ammonium Sulfide	A	A	Magnesium Chloride	A	A	Sodium Hypochlorite (1%)	A	B
Antimony Trichloride	A	A	Magnesium Sulfate	A	A	Sodium Nitrate	A	A
Barium Chloride	A	A	Nitrous Oxide	C	C	Sodium Sulfate	A	A
Barium Sulfate	A	A	Ozone	A	C	Sodium Sulfide	A	B
Barium Sulfide	A	C	Phosphorous (Yellow)	C	C	Sodium Sulfite	A	A
Bromine (Liquid)	C	C	Phosphorous (Pentoxide)	C	C	Stannic Chloride	A	A
Calcium Chloride	A	A	Phosphorous Trichloride	C	C	Stannous Chloride (25%)	A	C
Calcium Hypochlorite (10%)	B	C	Potassium Bromate	A	A	Sulfur Dioxide (Gas)	A	C
Calcium Hypochlorite (1%)	A	B	Potassium Bromide	A	A	Trisodium Phosphate	A	A
Calcium Nitrate	A	A	Potassium Chlorate	A	A	Zinc Chloride	A	A
Calcium Sulfate	A	A	Potassium Cyanide	A	A	Zinc Sulfate	A	A
Chlorine, Water	A	A	Potassium Ferricyanide	A	A			
Chlorine Dioxide(15%)	A	C	Potassium Fluoride	A	A			