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HPMC dispersion

HPMC: Hypromellose or Hydroxypropyl methylcellulose

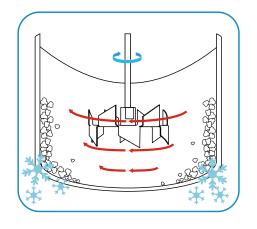


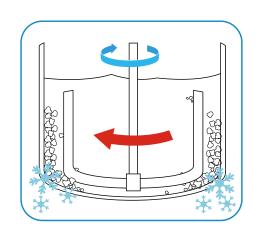
► General HPMC dispersion process

- 1) HPMC is an additive widely used in various manufacturing fields as an emulsifier and thickening stabilizer. In the pharmaceutical field, it is mainly used as a binder for tablet coatings.
- 2) However, HPMC does not dissolve or disperse well in water or alcohol at a temperature higher than room temperature.
- 3) Many companies are dissolving and dispersing HPMC using DISSOLVER or, in the case of mass production, ANCHOR MIXER.

Problems with existing processes

- 1) HPMC does not dissolve or disperse well in water or pure alcohol at a temperature higher than room temperature, so in the case of high temperature water, it is dispersed by lowering the temperature. There is a hassle to do.
- 2) Although HPMC is sometimes used alone, it is often added to components such as TiO2. However, if the dispersion or dissolution is not perfect, the coating surface becomes uneven and the quality deteriorates.
- 3) Also, although not in many cases, when HPMC is dispersed in high concentration, the viscosity increases a lot, so it is difficult to completely disperse it with DISSOLVER or ANCHOR MIXER.





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