



## SP-505 AGE

*Ashphaltum Gum Plate Etch and Finisher*

### Description

SP-505 AGE is an Ashphaltum Gum plate etch and finisher. It is a unique, multi-purpose product that desensitizes the nonimage area while greasing the image surface. It facilitates faster rollups and prevents surface oxidation of the nonprinting aluminium background.

### Product Need and Usage

SP-505 AGE is designed to be used for long-term plate storage or to restore the lithographic properties of plates on press. It can be used either by hand or in a plate processor. It is easy to apply, eliminating the incidence of plate streaking and gum binding.

### Directions

Shake well before using. SP-505 AGE is not water-soluble and should never be added to fountain solution.

Hand Application: After the plate has been developed and fully rinsed, sponge off excess water and transfer to gumming table. Buff plate well with a generous amount of SP-505 AGE. When the image becomes greasy, sponge off excess material. Buff plate dry with a lint-free wipe. The plate is now ready for immediate pressrun or storage.

Processor Application: Ensure system is clear of previously used plate finisher. Follow the processor manufacturer's instructions.

### Features

- \* Desensitizes the non-image area while greasing image.
- \* Prevents surface oxidation.
- \* Wipes on easily and uniformly.
- \* Can be applied automatically or by hand.
- \* Promotes short and long-term storage of plates.
- \* Restores the lithographic properties of plates on press.

### Technical Specifications

Flash Point (°F TCC)	>200
VOC (lb/gal method 24)	1.74
Specific Gravity	1.04
Water-Miscible	No
Color	Dark Brown
Odor/Fragrance	Mild Solvent

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