Breaking the rules

Defoamers for waterborne inks and varnishes work via a controlled incompatibility mechanism. An increase in defoaming strength typically correlates with a stronger tendency to create surface defects.

With our new defoamer technology we break this rule.

Compared to existing defoamers, TEGO® Foamex 852 can be
- more effective with similar compatibility
- or more compatible with similar effectiveness
TEGO® Foamex 852 – Effective foam prevention and destruction in waterborne flexographic and gravure inks, as well as overprint varnishes

TEGO® Foamex 852 has been developed for the most demanding needs in modern printing inks. Its excellent regulatory profile makes it the first choice for packaging inks. (patent pending)

Performance At a glance

**Superior performance**
- Unique effectiveness compatibility balance
- Excellent shear stability
- Very good long term defoaming

**Versatile**
- Usable at the grind and let-down stage
- For inks as well as varnishes
- Also for coatings and pigment concentrates

**Safe and Sustainable**
- Brodest global food contact compliances
- Solvent-free, 100% active
- Minimal amount of migratables and SVHC

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