# **Technical Bulletin**



# Orco Leveler LW-470™

**Orco Leveler LW-470™** is a high-efficiency leveler / retarder for wool and various blends.

## **Physical Properties**

Appearance	Amber yellow pourable liquid
Odor	Pleasant
Chemical Type	Ethoxylated cationic fatty amine
Ionic Class	Mildly cationic
Solubility	All proportions in warm water
Specific Gravity	1.06 @ 70°F
pH (10% Solution)	8.0 - 9.5

### Advantages

- Compatible with most other nonionic and cationic agents and auxiliaries.
- Excellent for reworking shaded goods.

### **Procedures**

#### Wool and wool/nylon-

- 0.5 1.5% **Orco Leveler LW-470™** on weight of goods for **Orcoacid™** dyes. These percents may vary due to dyeing conditions and whether goods are acid or alkaline fulled.
- 1.0 1.5% owg Orco Leveler LW-470™ for Orcolan Neutral™ / Orcolan Fast™ dyes
- 1.0 2.0% owg Orco Leveler LW-470™ for Orco Milling™ dyes

#### Stripping/Repairing work

- 1. In the dyebath add:
  - X% owg Soda Ash / or Ammonia to pH of 8.0-8.5
  - 2.0% owg Orco Leveler LW-470™
- 2. Raise bath temperature to 195-210°F(91-99°C) and hold for 45 minutes.
- 3. Re-exhaust dye with the addition of either Acetic, Formic, or Sulfuric Acid.