

LIGHTEN YOUR BATTERY!



TBLS+®

TBLS+® FOR ALL TYPES OF AUTOMOTIVE AND INDUSTRIAL BATTERIES

PENOX GmbH developed tetra-basic lead sulphate seeding material (with a particle size of 0.5 micron) enabling the battery manufacturer to produce tetra-basic cured positive active materials with control of the porosity and the crystal size of positive active material. Due to the fact that TBLS+® is delivered as a slurry it is possible to distribute the seeds very homogeneously within the paste by adding 0.5% up to 2% of the product.

Industrial battery manufacturers are using TBLS+® successfully to increase the initial capacity of the battery without losing any performance in deep cycle tests.

For Advanced Batteries EFB/AGM, TBLS+® can replace expensive advanced carbons in the negative plate to improve high current and dynamic charge acceptance.

ADVANTAGES

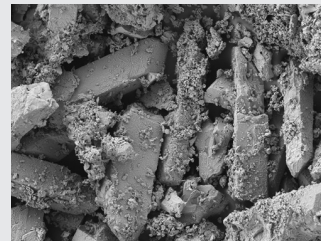
- › Formation of a porous PAM structure during charging operations to support acid exchange and battery operation
- › Formation of smaller lead sulphate crystal structures during discharge operations
- › Formation of conductive areas close to the wires during deep discharge operations or longer periods without battery operation, that improves high current acceptance during charging operations
- › Increase in service life due to stable crystalline structures during discharge/charge operations
- › TBLS+® reduces water consumption
- › TBLS+® is supplied as a slurry which supports the homogenous distribution of the seeds in the paste

SIGNIFICANT PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT OF LAB

Tetrabasic (4-basic) lead sulphate

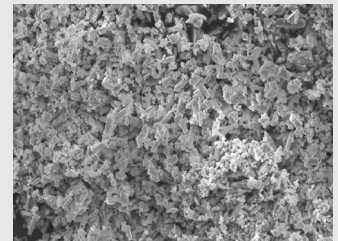
- › Gives more stable capacity C20 in discharge and recharge applications
- › Limits passivation after deep discharge (Sb free effect)
- › Improves cycling performance under partial state of charge
- › Avoids softening of the active material in lifetime tests (hot cycling tests at 60 °C and more)
 - › **Longer lifetime batteries**
 - › **Less variation for battery performance during lifetime**

WHY TETRA BASIC WITH TBLS+®?



without TBLS+®

→ 10 µm



with 1% TBLS+®

→ 10 µm

SAVE MONEY – INCREASE PERFORMANCE

AUTOMOTIVE AND INDUSTRIAL:

- › Curing/drying – time savings
- › Formation – time and energy savings
- › Increase of cycle life performance

AUTOMOTIVE:

- › TBLS+® improves porosity in the PAM, direct AM savings of up to 6.5%
- › With 1% TBLS+® porosity improves in the PAM, direct AM savings of up to 6.5%
- › With 1% TBLS+® and battery redesign, total savings of up to 10%
- › TBLS+® balances the battery »electrical system«, improves NAM performance

COMPOSITION

TBLS+® is a tetra basic lead sulphate produced by the reaction of lead oxide with sulphuric acid, chemical formula PbSO_4 , 4 PbO .

TBLS+® has a very small particle size and is specially treated for applications in the battery industry (lead accumulator). The product is supplied as a slurry, suspended in water.

The minimum content of tetrabasic seed crystals in the slurry is 32%. A special additive avoids the formation of agglomerates in the slurry and increases the shelf life of the material.

HOW MUCH TBLS+®? ¹⁾

› SLI batteries for standard/flooded applications:

0.8 to 1 % TBLS+® results in a 4 basic PbSO_4 crystal 10 -12 μm

› AGM / Gel / EFB batteries:

1 to 1.5 % TBLS+® results in a 4 basic PbSO_4 crystal <10 μm

› Batteries for deep cycling applications:

0.3 to 0.8% TBLS+® results in 4 basic PbSO_4 crystals <20 μm

¹⁾ The final crystal size is also dependent upon the acid:oxide ratio in the paste mix

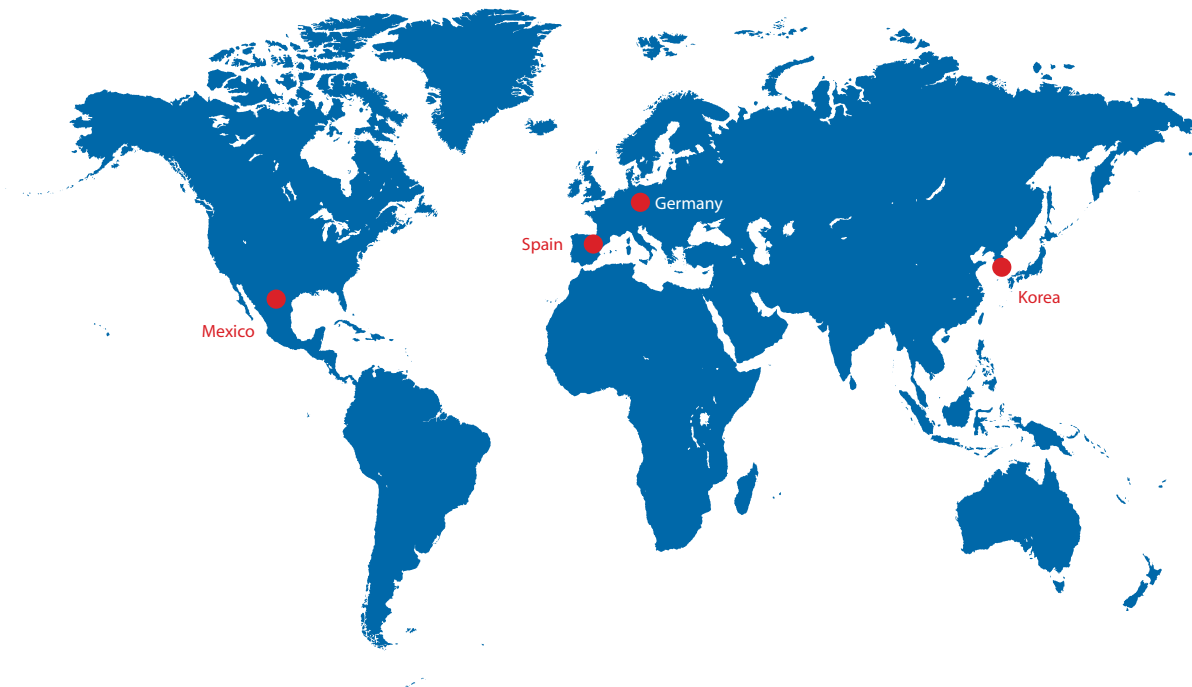
TECHNICAL DATA

Solids	content	%	39 - 45	DIN ISO 787-2
Particle Size	d99	μm	< 3.6	PV109, Laser Diffraction
	d50	μm	< 0.6	PV109, Laser Diffraction
Density of the slurry ²⁾	type	g/cm^3	1.45 - 1.75	DIN EN ISO 787-10
Content of seeds	content	%	> 32	PV261, FTIR Spectroscopy
Pb (total) of the lead compound	content	%	83 - 85	PV265, EDTA Titration
Iron	max.	%	0.002	PV 450, ICP

TBLS+® is free of carbon compounds and other components that can affect the battery.

²⁾ depends on the content of tetra basic seed crystals of the raw material

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