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#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

C2	Spirosilicate product (having two carbons)
C3	Aminospirosilicate product (having three carbons)
C4	Aminospirosilicate product (having four carbons)
EG	Ethylene Glycol
TETA	Triethylenetetramine