

## TECHNICAL BULLETIN

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To: All POLYGLASS Users  
CC: POLYGLASS Sales & Technical Services Personnel  
Date: October 3, 2018  
From: Armando Rodriguez  
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#### **RE: Silicone Coating Pails**

It has been brought to our attention that some silicone pails seem to be short on material based on visual inspections prior to opening the pail. When put to a light source, you can see where the solid material stops and then what seems to be a lot of airspace inside the plastic pail. What is actually being seen here is that, over time, a separation of liquid raw material and powder raw material has occurred. The translucent fluid rises to the top and gives the appearance of additional airspace. These pails are filled by weight (10.35 lbs. per gallon) and the separation is a natural occurrence. As per our product data sheets, these products need to be mixed well with a mechanical drill. Once properly mixed, it will be clear that the pails are not short on material.

Should a project have a specific or special circumstance where the above is not the case, please contact the POLYGLASS Technical Services Department.

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