

## News

detergent base developed for the manufacture of cosmetic, toilet and medicated bars. Since the level of active surfactants is high, the moisture content low and the pH 6.0, the company claims that Finebase is an ideal carrier for a variety of skin care additives.

The Color and Chemicals Division of Sandoz Inc., and Sodeyco Inc., both wholly owned subsidiaries of Sandoz United States Inc., have combined operations under the name of Sandoz Chemicals Corporation, based in Charlotte, North Carolina.

Sodeyco is the largest U.S. manufacturer of sulfur dyes, used to add dark colors to polyester, rayon, cotton and denim. Sandoz Colors and Chemicals supplies dyes, pigments, specialty chemicals, additives and intermediates to a variety of end-users.

Pennwalt Corporation has entered discussions with the Chemical Products Division of Henkel Corporation to sell its U.S. line of B-K specialty chemicals, for cleaning and sanitizing in the dairy and food processing industries. If acquired by Henkel, the B-K business will be made a part of the Bonewitz business unit of its Chemical Products Division.

Four adhesion promoters used in Europe for rust-protective coatings in automobiles are to be produced and sold in the United States by Sherex Chemical Co.

Produced in Europe by Schering A.G., the parent company of Sherex, the adhesion promoters help bind PVC plastisols to metal. The Sherex products are used to improve adhesion of plastisols or paints at critical points such as the undercarriage, rocker panels and welded seams.

Technical data sheets are available from Sherex, PO Box 646, Dublin, OH 43017.

Bertram Cohen, retired technical director of C.B. Dolge Co. of Westport, Connecticut, is a 1984 recipient of ASTM's Award of Merit. Cohen was cited for 25 years of service on ASTM Committee D-12 on Soaps and Other Detergents. He has served as chairman of the subcommittee on specification for soaps and synthetic detergents since 1978.

## Calendar

### AOCS SHORT COURSES

AOCS Short Course on Processing and Quality Control of Fats and Oils, April 28-May 1, 1985, Hershey Poconos, PA. Contact: Meetings Coordinator, AOCS, 508 S. Sixth St., Champaign, IL 61820.

AOCS Short Course on Application of Analytical Methodology to Fats and Oils Processing, May 1-4, 1985, Hershey Poconos, PA. Contact: Meetings Coordinator, AOCS, 508 S. Sixth St., Champaign, IL 61820.

AOCS Short Course on Fat Requirements in Health and Disease, May 1-4, 1985, Hershey Poconos, PA. Contact: Meetings Coordinator, AOCS, 508 S. Sixth St., Champaign, IL 61820.

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