

SWCNT Slurry

– High-Conductivity CNT Dispersion

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1. Product Overview

What it is

SWCNT Slurry is a pre-dispersed single-walled carbon nanotube (SWCNT) conductive additive, supplied as a stable liquid dispersion for industrial formulations.

What it does

It forms a long-range conductive network at ultra-low loading, enabling high electrical conductivity with minimal impact on formulation viscosity and mechanical properties.

Typical use cases

- Battery electrodes and energy-storage materials
- Conductive and ESD polymers
- Functional coatings and inks
- Flexible and printed electronics

2. Key Benefits

- Ultra-low percolation threshold, enabling conductivity at very low CNT loading
- Long-range conductive pathways, superior to conventional carbon black at low dosage
- Stable dispersion in aqueous and NMP-based systems
- Process-friendly rheology, minimizing viscosity increase
- Ready-to-use slurry, non-dusting and easy to handle
- Broad formulation compatibility across polymers, coatings, and electrodes

3. Typical Applications

3.1 Energy & Electrochemical Systems

- Lithium-ion and sodium-ion battery electrodes
- Lead-acid battery conductive networks
- Supercapacitors and current collectors

3.2 Polymers & Composites

- Conductive and ESD plastics
- Elastomer and resin reinforcement
- Conductive or functional 3D-printing filaments

3.3 Coatings & Inks

- Conductive coatings
- Transparent conductive films
- Functional printing inks

3.4 Electronics & Flexible Devices

- Flexible and wearable electronics
- Sensors and RFID components
- EMI shielding and antistatic layers

4. Technical Specifications

Parameter	Specification
CNT Type	Single-Walled Carbon Nanotubes (SWCNT)
CNT Purity	≥ 90–99% (typ.)
Tube Diameter	~1.2–2.0 nm
Tube Length	2–10 μm (typ.)
Solid / CNT Content	0.05–0.8 wt% (customisable)
Solvent System	Aqueous or NMP-based
Dispersant	Proprietary
Appearance	Black, homogeneous slurry
Viscosity	Tunable, process-friendly
Dispersion Stability	No visible sedimentation ≥ 3–6 months
Shelf Life	6–12 months (sealed)
Packaging	25 kg standard (other options available)
Storage Conditions	Room temperature, avoid freezing and direct sunlight

5. Product Grades

Model	CNT Content	Dispersion Medium	CNT Diameter	Typical Package
YXL-DL	0.05 wt%	Water	1.5–2.5 nm	1000 mL / 25 kg
YXL-DH	0.2 wt%	NMP / organic	1.5–2.5 nm	1000 mL / 25 kg
YXL-PB	0.4 wt%	Water	2–3 nm	1000 mL / 25 kg
YXL-PBN	0.4 wt%	NMP / organic	2–3 nm	

Grade selection depends on solvent system, formulation viscosity window, and target conductivity.

6. Processing Guidelines

- Recommended addition sequence:

Add SWCNT slurry after resin or binder pre-dissolution.

- Mixing conditions:

Low-to-medium shear mixing is generally sufficient; excessive high-energy dispersion is not required.

- Formulation compatibility:

Compatible with common polymers, resins, and binders (e.g. PVDF, SBR, CMC, PU, epoxy, acrylic systems).

- Handling notes:

Stir gently before use; avoid freezing.

(Processing parameters should be optimized by the user according to equipment and formulation.)

7. Safety & Handling

- Supplied as a non-dusting slurry, reducing airborne CNT exposure
- Use standard industrial PPE (gloves, protective eyewear)
- Avoid freezing and prolonged exposure to elevated temperatures
- Safety Data Sheet (SDS): available upon request

8. Revision History

Version	Description
v2.1	General-grade restructuring, improved processing guidance and application clarity

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