





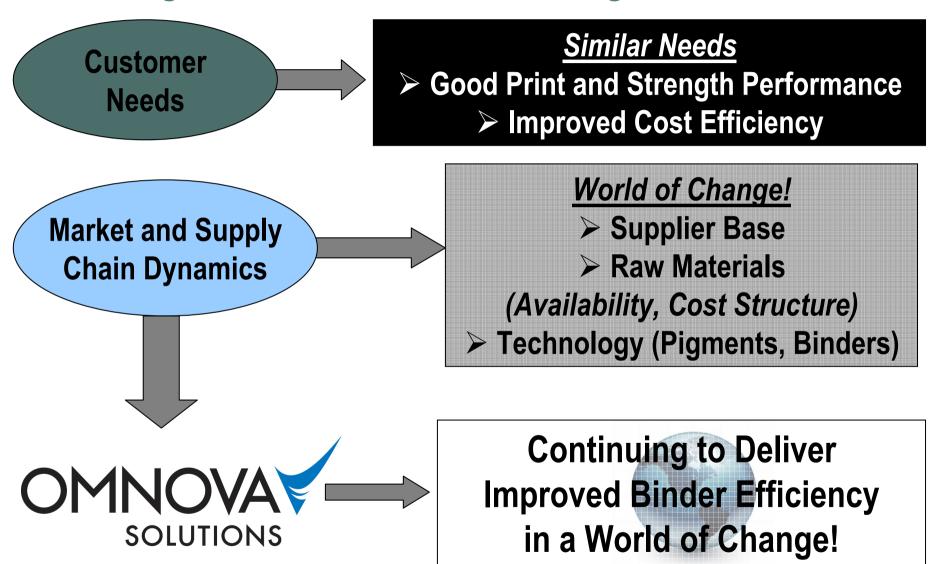
#### **Presents**

# Continuing to Deliver Binder Efficiency in a Changing Market



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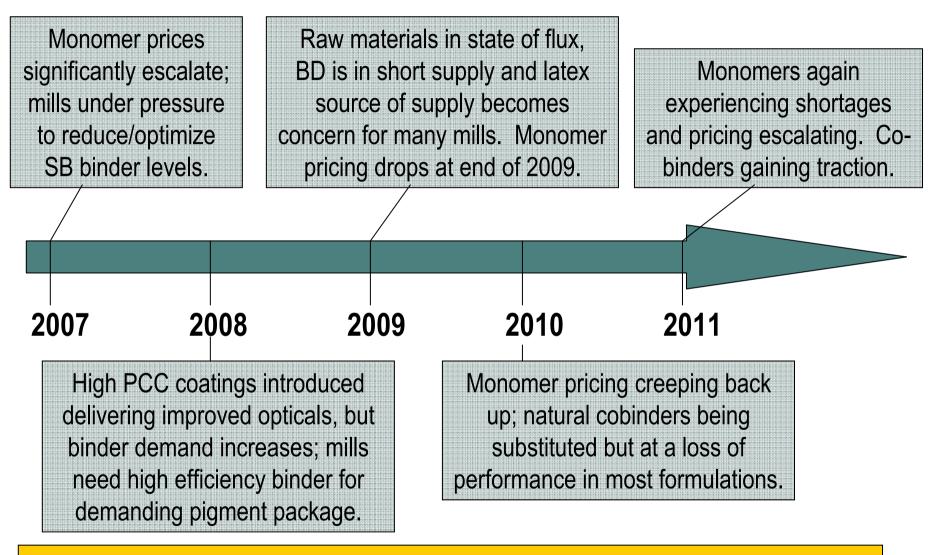
## **Delivering Solutions in a World of Change**







# **5 Years – Paper Formulation Pressures**



SYNTHETIC BINDER TECHNOLOGY MUST EVOLVE TO KEEP PACE WITH PIGMENT AND NATURAL BINDER DEVELOPMENT.



# **Latex Strength Performance**

- Typical latex "levers" to influence strength performance
  - Tg
  - Particle Size
  - % Gel
  - Functional Monomer Package
  - Carboxylation Level
  - Molecular Weight
  - Crosslink Density

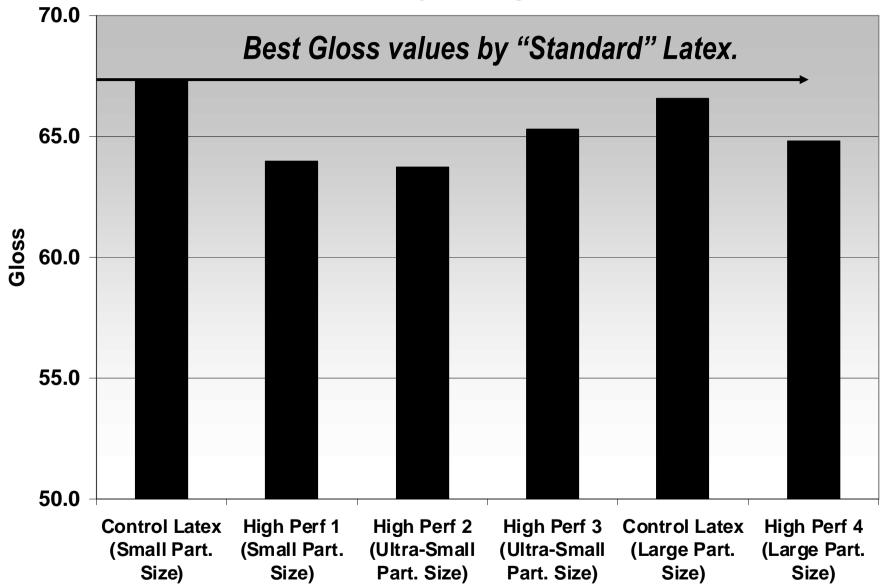


# **Generic Freesheet Case Study Using C\*Film**

- Pigment Package: Approximately 75 pts Calcium Carbonate,
  25 pts Clay pigment system
- Latex evaluated at 10 pt level
  - Latex Tg values in range of -2 deg C to +14 deg C
  - Latex Particle size range of <1000 A to >1800 A
- Cobinder: C\*Film at 3 pt level



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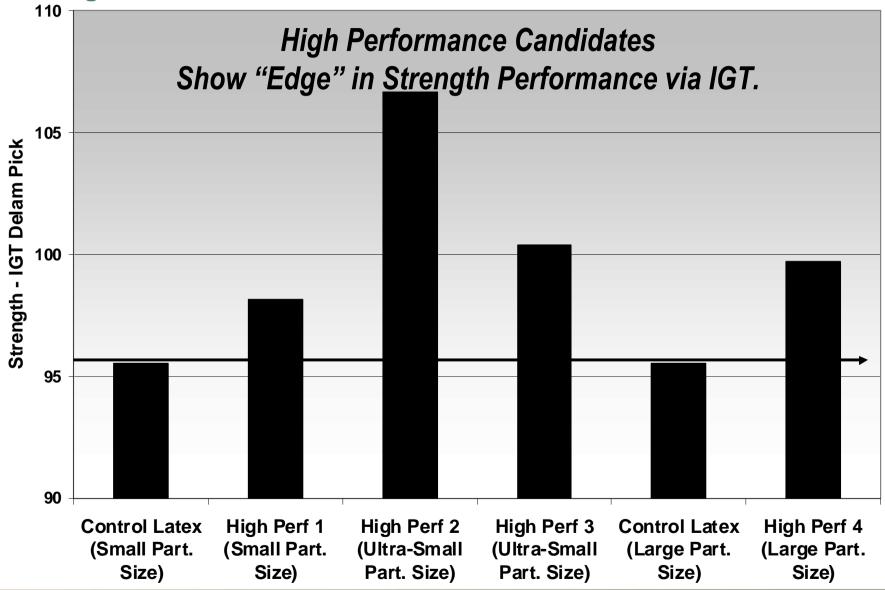








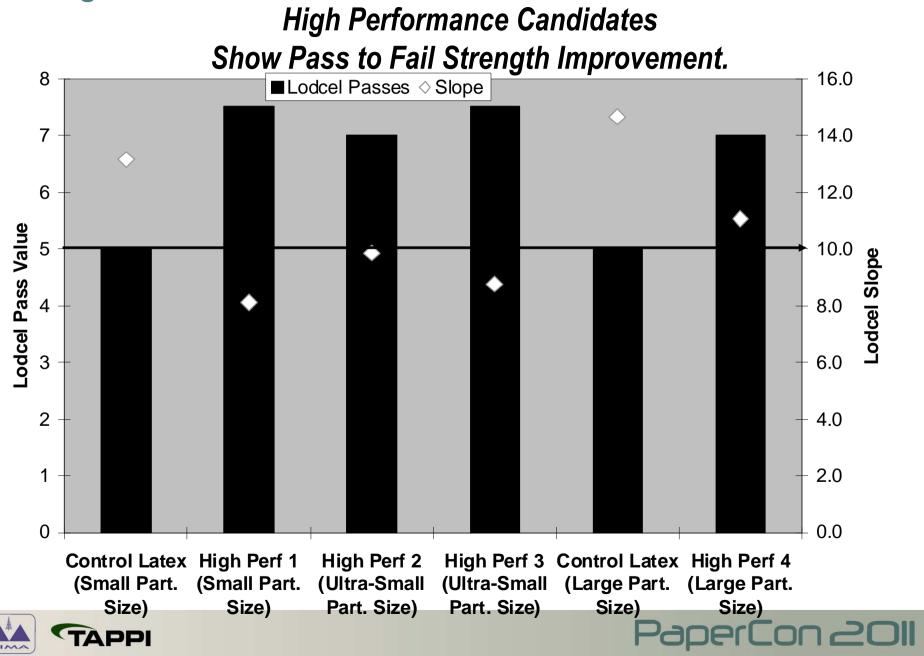
#### **Strength – IGT Delam Pick**



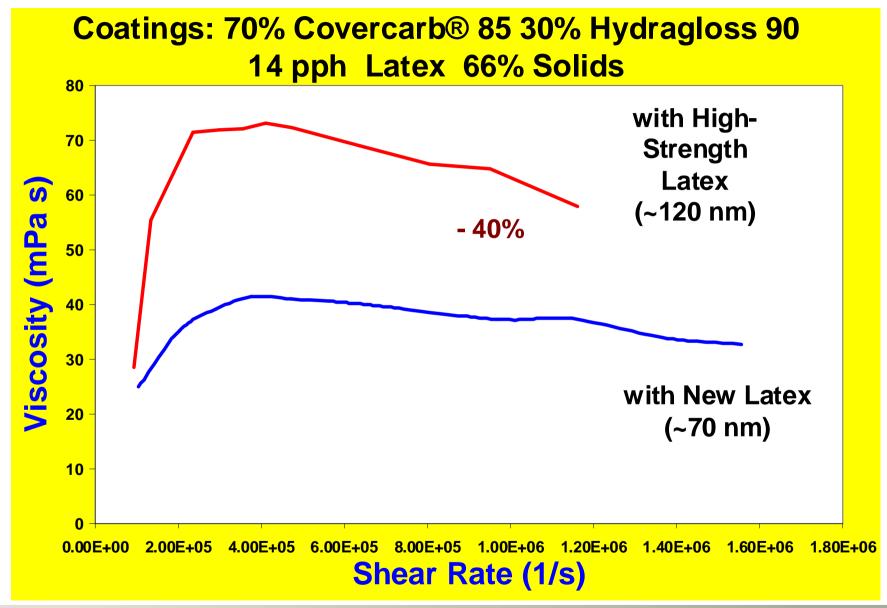




#### Strength – Lodcel Pass to Fail



# **Coating Rheology Advantage**







## **Runnability and Blade Pressure**



# **Continuing to Drive Latex Performance**

- ➤ Designed Polymer Microstructure (Blockiness, Randomness)
- > Controlled Molecular Weight Distribution
- > Chain Length Between Crosslinks



#### **Delivers Latexes capable of providing:**

- ✓ Superior control of Ink Setting
- ✓ High IGT Strength
- ✓ Uniform Prints

Over a broad particle size range....

