

EPOCON SP 975

High Range Water Reducing Super Plasticizer Concrete Admixture



DESCRIPTION

EPOCON SP 975 is high range water reducing super plasticizer concrete admixture. It can provide very high level of water reduction up to 25 to 30 % without loss of initial workability or to produce high quality concrete of reduced permeability with highly early strength

CHARACTERISTICS

Owing to its binder composition of synthetic complex co-polymers **EPOCON SP 975** increases early and final strengths of the concrete. It promotes excellent dispersion of the particles in cement resulting in a major improvement of the workability.

APPLICATIONS

EPOCON SP 975 is used as super plasticizer for ready mix concrete, on site concrete and precast industry; at dams, viaducts, bridge e support, road work, prefabrication, architectonic concrete, reinforced concrete, high strength concrete, industrial slabs, lightweight concrete, pre-stressed concrete, watertight concrete, flooring and parking structures without any risks of segregation.

USAGE

Mix cement (and pozzolanic materials), sand, aggregate and 50-70% of mixing water until a homogeneous mixture is obtained. **EPOCON SP 975** is poured into the concrete mix after the addition of the first 50 – 70 %of the mixing water. It is important that the mixing period should be sufficiently extended for the complete dispersion throughout the mix. **EPOCON SP 975** is added to the remaining mixing water until required workability and homogeneous mixture are obtained.

COMPATIBILITY

EPOCON SP 975 can be used in all types of Portland cement, sulfate resisting cement and supplementary cementitious materials. **EPOCON SP 975** should be dispensed directly into the mixer and should not be pre-mixed with other admixtures.

If other admixtures are to be used in concrete containing **EPOCON SP 975**, they must be dispensed separately.

RELEVANT STANDARDS

ASTM C 494 Type F, BS 5075 Part I, BS EN 934 Part 2 (TS EN 934-2)

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Test Name	Average Result
Chemical Composition	Sulfonated naphthalene based
Form	Liquid (Homogeneous)
Colour	Dark Brown
Specific Gravity@20°C	1.230 +/- 0.01
pH	6.0 - 7.5
Chloride content (%)	< 0.1
Freeze harm	Complete Stir or agitate the container before use
Freeze temperature	0°C
Boiling point	100°C
Odor	Mild odor
Toxicity	None
Flammability	None
Clean-up	Water
Fumes during treatment	Slight
Environmental Hazards	None
Air Entrainment	Up to 2.0% depending on dosage rate and concrete proportioning.



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CONSUMPTION

EPOCON SP 975 is used in a range of 0.80 Kg to 2.4 Kg/100Kg of the cementitious material weight (Depending on climatic conditions, proportioning and other components of the concrete)

REMARKS

Usage dosages stated here under were obtained in laboratory conditions; they may change depending on the characteristics of other components, ambient conditions and water/cement ratio. Therefore, it is recommended that designs and tests should be conducted at sites using preliminary mixture ratios.

PACKING

Plastic jerry can (30Kg), Drums (250Kg), Bulk (storage tanks can be provided for Bulk use)

SHELF LIFE

12 months indoors, without opening original package. The product should be stored in a cool, dry storage. Do not store at temperatures below 10°C or in direct sunlight.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Typical Engineering Data: The following data using **EPOCON SP 975** was developed under laboratory conditions and according to ASTM C494/05A limits Type F.

Mix Design:

Cement content (OPC) 307 Kg/M³
Coarse aggregate 62 %
Fine aggregate 38 %

Compressive Strength vs. Control

1 day - up to 140%
3 days - 140 - 150%
7 days - 130 - 140%
28 days - 120 - 130%

Flexural Strength vs. Control

3 days - 110 - 130%
7 days - 110 - 120%
28 days - 100 - 110%

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

As with all construction chemical products, adequate precautions and care must be taken during usage and storage. Avoid direct contact with foodstuff, eyes, skin, and mouth. Keep away from children and animals. Any direct contact with skin, eyes, etc. should be washed thoroughly with clean running water and soap. Use proper safety wear, goggles, and mask, etc.

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

EPO GULF SPECIALITIES; technical department with its highly trained and qualified Chemicals Marketing Advisory team provides a complete service in the field. Please consult your nearest service/sales department for assistance. Field services where provided, do not constitute any supervisory responsibilities.

NOTICE

The information given in this publication is based on present state of our knowledge. Any recommendations and suggestions are made without guarantee since the conditions and procedures are beyond our control. Buyers and users should make their own assessment of our product under their own conditions and for their own requirements

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