



ZURAPLAST PC40

Polycarboxylic ether based high range Water reducing and long term dispersibility retention cum concrete fluidity enhancer hyperplasticiser.

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

ZURAPLAST PC40 is a new generation hyperplasticiser based on modified polycarboxylic ether. The unique mechanism of action of polycarboxylic ether present in La HYPERPLAST-S40 greatly enhances the effectiveness of cement dispersion and thereby reducing the amount of water required for mixing.

HYPERPLAST-S40 is chloride-free and compatible with all types of cement.

At the very early stage of the mixing process, the PCs are adsorbed by the cement granules, increasing their negative charge, thus causing electrostatic dispersion. But then, the side chain linked to the polymer backbone generates a steric hindrance that greatly enhances the ability of cement grains to disperse and remain separate. Steric hindrance provides a physical barrier along with the electrostatic barrier between the cement particles, resulting in flowable concrete with great reduction in water content and long term dispensability.

USES

ZURAPLAST PC40 is used to increase workability without loss of strength or to enable water reduction for the same workability resulting in dense Rheodynamic concrete with high ultimate strength. This product is very useful in producing high flowable concrete without segregation and bleeding. Suitable for pumping.

High water reduction and extended working time for long distance transportation.

Suitable for concrete in strength class of M30 grade and higher.

STANDARD

Conforms to IS:9103-1999 (reaffirmed 2004), Edition 2.2 (2007 - 2008), ASTM C494, Type D & G

ADVANTAGES

- ▶ Substantial improvements in workability and flow properties without increased water.
- ▶ The internal friction and thixotropy of mix is reduced to a minimum without the risk of segregation, thus making concrete pumping more efficient
- ▶ Very significant water reduction minimizes shrinkage cracking thereby producing close textured impervious/impermeable concrete with improved durability and surface finish. Suitable for use in most types of concrete above and below ground subjected to water pressure and aggressive atmospheric conditions.
- ▶ Reduction in concrete permeability protects against water migration and corrosion of embedded steel
- ▶ Bond strength of concrete to reinforcement steel is considerably increased

TECHNICAL DATA

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| Form | Light Yellow Liquid |
| Specific Gravity | 1.07 ± 0.02 (at 27°C ± 3°C) |
| Setting & Hardening | Sets very early with moderate dosage. There may be retarding effect on the setting time with high dosage. |
| Chloride Content | NIL. |
| Air Entrainment | May increase very marginally |
| Compatibility | Can be used with all types of Portland and Slag cements including Microsilica, fly ash, GGBFS |
| pH | 7±1 |

CONSISTENCY

ZURAPLAST PC40 is formulated from carefully selected raw materials and is manufactured under controlled strict quality condition to produce a consistent product.

DOSAGE

The optimum dosage should be determined by site trial with the particular concrete mix. As a guide the rate of addition is generally in the range of 250-600ml/50kg of cement depending on the function. Arriving at right dosage depends on water cement ratio, cement content and other desired properties as per the site condition. The plasticizing-cum-water reducing properties are improved if the admixture is added to moist concrete after adding 60-70% of mixing water. Addition of ZURAPLAST PC40 to dry cement or aggregate is not recommended.

Caution: Over dosage of ZURAPLAST PC40 may result into segregation/bleeding of mix, delayed initial/final set, increased plastic shrinkage, air entrainment, etc

METHODS OF USE

ZURAPLAST PC40 is supplied ready for use. For maximum dispersion throughout the mix, measured quantity of ZURAPLAST PC40 should be added directly into the mixer at the same time as the mixing water. On no account should be added to the dry cement.

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PACKAGING

ZURAPLAST PC40 is supplied in 250kg carboys

SHELF LIFE

ZURAPLAST PC40 has a shelf life of 18 months from the date of manufacture provided the temperature is within the range of 20°C-40°C. It is recommended that the drums be stored in shade.

HEALTH & SAFETY

ZURAPLAST PC40 is non-toxic, non-flammable and splashes to the skin should be washed with copious amounts of water.

If contact with eyes occurs, wash well with water immediately and seek medical advice.

WARNING

Although the technical details mentioned in the datasheet are recommended to the best of our experience & knowledge, information must be taken merely indications. Practical trials have to be conducted at site for arriving the optimum dosage. In every case, the user alone is fully responsible for any consequence deriving from the use of the product

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