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### **ALFAPLAST SP 350 (FD)**

#### High performance water reducing admixture

#### **DESCRIPTION**

ALFAPLAST SP 350 (FD) is a high range water reducing admixture formulated specifically to extend the working time of flowing concrete.

ALFAPLAST SP 350 (FD) disperses by electro kinetic action in the concrete mix, enabling the water phase of the concrete to perform more effectively.

#### **USES**

- To significantly improves the workability of concrete without increasing water demand.
- Improves cohesion, minimizing segregation and improving surface finish.
- To significantly reduce the water demand of concrete mix without reducing workability, allowing greatly increased early and ultimate strengths without additional cement.
- Chloride free, safe for use in prestressed and reinforced concrete.

#### **ADVANTAGES**

- High range water reducer designed to obtain rheoplastic concrete without Segregation.
- The increase in strength, especially evident at early ages remains at later ages, both in air cured and steam cured processes.
- Reduces thermal peaks.
- Increases ultimate compressive strength and other strength developing properties.
- Effects economies of concrete mix thereby saving cement.
- Compatible with all type of cement including sulphate resisting.
- Improves pump-ability of the material.
- Improves cohesive properties concrete to reduce segregation & bleeding.
- Reduce the placing problems in hot weather concrete.
- Improve trowel ability & surface finish.
- Reduces the incidence of honeycombing and cold joints during vibratio.
- Reduce water contents would be of benefit to reduce permeability.

#### **TECHNICAL SUPPORT**

Al Falah Chemicals provides a technical advisory service for on-site assistance and advice on mix design, product selection, evaluation trials and dispensing equipment.

#### **DOSAGE**

The optimum dosage of ALFAPLAST SP 350 (FD) to meet specific requirements should always be determined by trials using the materials and conditions that will be experienced in use. The normal dosage range is between 0.50 to 1.50 liters / 100 kg of cementitious material.

TECHNICAL DATA	
Appearance	Brown Liquid
Specific gravity	1.12 - 1.13 ± 0.005
Chloride content	Nil to BS 5075 & BS:EN934-2
Air entrainment	Typically less than 2% additional air is entrained at normal dosages.
Alkali content	Typically less than 7g. Na2O Equivalent / liter of admixture

#### **STANDARDS**

ASTM C494	Type A & F
BS 5075	Part 1 & 3
WRC	Used in portable water

#### **PACKAGING**

Supplied in	Drum / IBC Tank
Storage	Dry, Frost free, out of direct sunlight
Shelf life	12 months, when stores as above
Hazard class	No dangerous goods. Observe Material Safety datasheet

#### **COMPATIBILITY**

ALFAPLAST SP 350 (FD) is compatible with all types of cement complying with international standards. It can be used in combination with the following admixtures and additives

- Air entraining admixtures
- Anti freezing admixture
- Pozzolanz (Micro silica, flyash, GGBFS)
- ◆ Synthetic fibers
- Alkali silica reaction control admixture
- Waterproofing admixture



#### STORAGE / SHELF LIFE

This Product must be stored where temperatures do not drop below +5°C, If product has frozen, thaw at +5°C or above and completely reconstitute using mild mechanical agitation. Do not use pressurized air for agitation. Store under cover, out of direct sunlight and protect from extremes of temperature.

Shelf life is 12 months when stored as above.

Failure to comply with the recommended storage conditions may result in premature deterioration of the product or packaging. For specific storage consult your local Alfalah representative.

## PRECAUTIONS Health and Safety

This product does not fall into the hazard classifications of current regulations. However, it should not be swallowed or allowed to come into contact with skin and eyes.

Suitable protective gloves and goggles should be worn. Splashes on the skin should be removed with water. In case of contact with eyes rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. If swallowed seek medical attention immediately - do not induce vomiting.

For further information consult the Material Safety Data Sheet available for this product.

#### **FIRE**

This product is water based and non-flammable

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