

TECHNICAL DATA

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BETONAC®-BV

WATER REDUCING PLASTICIZING ADMIXTURE FOR CONCRETE DIN EN 934-2 (BV)

STANDARDS

BETONAC®-BV complies with ASTM C 494 - Type A and is manufactured according to DIN EN 934-2 (BV)

- Increased flexural strength and bond to steel.
- Easier pumping, lower pumping pressure; prevents clogging and reduces friction in pipeline

FIELD OF APPLICATION

To achieve increased workability without loss of strength, increased strength without loss of workability, reduction in cement without loss of strength or workability. BETONAC®-BV is used in readymix plants, jobsite plants, block and concrete products, pavers and wherever concrete is produced from normal concrete and prestressed concrete.

BETONAC®-BV is a high performance plasticiser and is used where high degree of workability is required.

DESCRIPTION

BETONAC®-BV has strong plasticising and dispersing effect on cement to produce flowing concrete without causing segregation or bleeding.

In addition setting time of concrete will not be affected. BETONAC®-BV is based on selection of stabilised, sugar reduced lignosulfonates. When added to concrete mixes it improves dispersion on cement reducing agglomerates and exposes a larger surface area. The hydration reaction can proceed more efficiently, this effect is used to either improve workability, increase strength or reduce the cement content of concrete.

ADVANTAGES

- Improved workability - easier and economical concrete placement.
- Increased early compressive strength.
- Improved quality and reduced permeability.
- High cohesion minimises segregation and
- Strength specification and workability can be maintained with less cement.

PROPERTIES

Specific gravity	:	1,17
Chloride Content	:	nil
Toxicity	:	non-toxic

PHYSICAL PERFORMANCE

1. Workability

This is achieved by the addition of BETONAC®-BV formulations without change to the mix proportions. Slight increase in strength will be obtained due to the improved conditions of cement hydration and dispersion.

2. Compressive Strength

The high performance plasticising properties of BETONAC®-BV can also be used to achieve substantial reduction in water cement whilst maintaining workability. These results increase the compressive strength of the concrete.

DOSAGE

The recommended dosages of BETONAC®-BV is between 0,2 - 0,5. However, at abnormal circumstances it may be necessary to increase the dosage. It is recommended to conduct trial test on site with the actual concrete mix, to determine the optimum dosage.

Effect of over dosage

An over dose of double the recommended amount of BETONAC®-BV can result in a slight retardation of initial set of concrete. The ultimate strength of the concrete will not be impaired and generally, be increased.

PACKING

BETONAC® -BV is delivered in bulk, in 240 kg drums and IBC containers of 1170 kg.

STORAGE

Shelf life

12 months min. when protected from extreme temperatures in excess of 40 °C.

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