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The product is a liquid concrete admixture that interacts with various active chemicals present in its content. These chemicals react with by-products of hydration in fresh concrete, forming a crystalline structure in the pores and capillary voids of the concrete. This process enhances the waterproofing properties of the concrete.

Fields of Application

- Foundations, basement, and underground floors
- Water reservoirs and treatment plants
- Swimming pools and sewage systems
- Dams and irrigation channels
- Tunnels, canals, and ports
- Elevator shafts
- Underground parking structures
- Concrete pipes and precast concrete elements

Advantages

- Fills capillary voids and micro-cracks up to 0.4 mm within the concrete structure.
- Provides permanent and structural waterproofing effects in concrete.
- Reduces the passage of water and other liquids.
- Suitable for concrete pouring in all weather conditions.
- Resistant to both positive and negative water pressure.
- Non-toxic.
- Easy application, ensuring no disruption to work schedules.

Preparation

M17 MX Liquid should be added to the concrete mixer just before the concrete is poured. Approximately 1% of the total cement content in the concrete mix should be added. Then, mix for at least 10 minutes at high speed using a concrete mixer to ensure thorough distribution and activation.

Consumption

M17 MX Liquid should be used at a maximum of 1% of the cement weight in the concrete. The typical usage rate is 3-5 kg per cubic meter of concrete.

Health and Safety

During use and storage, ensure the product is not in the same environment as food items. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and mouth; if contact occurs, wash thoroughly with plenty of water and soap. Keep out of reach of children. For detailed information, refer to the MSDS form.

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- Shake the container well before use.
- To avoid issues with homogeneity in low slump concrete, ensure the slump in the mixer is not low (minimum 14-15 cm).
- To maintain the designed water/cement ratio for the concrete, reduce the concrete mix water by 0.8 kg for every 1 kg of M17 MX Liquid added.
- For homogeneous mixing of M17 MX Liquid in the concrete, it must be added to the transmix and mechanically mixed.
- Aggregates used in the concrete to which M17 MX Liquid will be applied must be clean and within the correct sieve ranges.

Packaging

10 kg plastic can 30 kg plastic can

Storage Life

Must be protected from freezing and can be stored in a dry environment at temperatures above +5°C for up to 12 months in unopened packaging.



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Notes

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