Concrete Admixtures - Shotcrete Admixtures

EUNISET GA5

Sprayed concrete admixture





Product Description

EUNISET GA5 is a liquid, rapid set accelerator for use in sprayed concrete and gunite. EUNISET GA5 is formulated to comply with Standard Specification for Chemical Admixtures for Concrete, ASTM C 494, Type C materials.

Advantages

Promotes a fast setting action enabling the rapid application of sprayed concrete and gunite.
EUNISET GA5 is introduced into the water line at the spraying nozzle, thus avoiding the premixing which is required with powdered accelerators.
Fast build-up of multiple layers in overhead work and reduce wastage and rebound.
Economical in use, achieving short setting time at low levels of addition.

Typical Properties

Appearance: Clear liquid Specific Gravity: 1.36 at 20°C Air Entrainment: Nil Chloride Content: Nil Storage Life in Manufacturer's Drums: 12 months from date of manufacture Storage Life Bulk Storage: 12 months from date of delivery.

Compatibility

With cements: EUNISET GA5 can be used with all types of Portland cement.

With Other Admixtures: EUNISET GA5 should not be premixed with other admixtures. The performance of the material may be affected by the presence of other chemicals. Consult European Concrete Additives technical department for additional information.

Method of Use

EUNISET GA5 should be introduced into the water line to the nozzle of the spraying equipment. It should not be premixed with the cement.

Addition Rate

The performance of EUNISET GA5 is best assessed by preliminary trials on site. As a guide for these trials a dosage rate of 1.0 - 3.0% EUNI-SET GA5 by weight of cement, is recommended. For advice and assistance with trials European Concrete Additives technical department. Note: the reaction involved is temperature dependent and will proceed more slowly in cold ambient conditions. Fresh cement react more quickly than old cement. Accelerated layers applied using EUNISET GA5 should be subsequently covered with normal layers of gunite.

Effect of Overdosing

Overdosing of EUNISET GA5 will produce very fast setting of cementitious mixes, and will normally produce a lower 28 day compressive strength.

Packaging

EUNISET GA5 is supplied in 210 liter drums.

Storage

EUNISET GA5 should preferably be stored inside, away from moisture contact and protected from frost. In original unopened drums.

Health and Safety

For further information see the EUNISET GA5 Material Safety Data Sheet, or consult European Concrete Additives.

Technical Service

The Technical Department is available to assist you in the correct use of our products and its resources are at your disposal entirely without obligation.

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