

Armix HP 20

(Formerly known as MYK REMICRETE PC 20)

High Performance concrete superplasticiser,
based on polycarboxylic technology



Product Description

Armix HP 20 is a combination of the latest generation super plasticisers, based on a Polycarboxylic ether with long lateral chains. It is different from conventional super plasticisers. It greatly improves cement dispersion allowing production of consistent concrete properties around the required dosage. Its mechanism considerably reduces the water demand in flow able concrete.

Armix HP 20 has combined properties of water reduction and workability retention. It allows the production of high performance concrete and/or high concrete workability.

Uses

Armix HP 20 is a high performance super-plasticizer intended for applications where very high early and ultimate compressive strengths are required, and it has been developed for use in:

- Self-compacting concrete
- Pumped concrete
- Concrete requiring long workability retention
- High performance concrete
- Pre-cast industries
- Water reduction of 25% or more is possible.

Advantages

- Very high early and ultimate compressive strengths
- Increased flexural strength
- Higher E modulus
- Improved adhesion to reinforcing and pre-stressing steel
- Resistant to Carbonation
- Lower permeability
- Better resistance to aggressive atmospheric condition reduced shrinkage and creep
- Increased durability
- High workability for long period

Application Method

Dosage:

Trials need to be carried out at site to determine the exact dosage of the admixture for the particular mix. However, for normal grades of concrete a dosage from 0.3 - 1.25 % for 50 Kg cement is recommended.

Use at Other Dosages:

Dosages outside the typical ranges quoted above can be used to meet particular requirements. Contact MYK Arment Technical cell for advice.

Over Dosage:

Over dosage may cause delay in the setting time.

Dispensing:

Measured quantity of Armix HP 20 should be added along with the gauging water. For best results, add Armix HP 20 in the last phase after prewetting the mix with 80% of the total water required.

Technical Service:

MYK Arment has an advisory service, who can be Contacted if assistance is required.

Technical Data

Appearance	Clear to Brown liquid
pH @ 27°C	Min 6.0
Specific Gravity @ 27°C	1.10 kg/liter \pm 0.05
Chloride content	Nil

Standards

Complies with IS 9103-2009, ASTM C494 Type G

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Additional Information

Compatibility: Can be used with all types of cements except high alumina cement. Armix HP 20 is compatible with other types of MYK Arment admixtures when added separately to the mix. Site trials should be carried out to optimize dosages.

Workability:

Can be used to produce good workable and self compacting concrete.

Cohesion:

Cohesion is improved due to dispersion of cement particles thus minimizing segregation and improving surface finish.

Compressive Strength: Early strength is increased up to 40 to 50% if water reduction is taken advantage of. Generally, there is improvement in strength upto 20% depending upon W/C ratio and other mix parameters.

Durability: Reduction in W/C ratio enables increase in density and impermeability thus enhancing durability of concrete.

Packaging

Armix HP 20 is available in 20, and 225 Kg drums.

Storage and Shelf Life

Armix HP 20 has a shelf life of 12 months provided it is covered under cool and dry place.

Health & Safety

Armix HP 20 does not fall into 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.

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

Fire:

Armix HP 20 is water based and non- flammable.

Cleaning & Disposal

Spillages of Armix HP 20 should absorb onto sand, earth or vermiculite and transferred to suitable containers. Remnants should be hosed down with large quantities of water.

The disposal of excess or waste material should be carried out in accordance with local legislation under the guidance of the local waste regulatory authority.

Product Categories Available



Legal Note

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