# **KUT PLAST 210**

## **Lignosulphonate Based Plasticiser**

ADM-01-1110



#### DESCRIPTION

**KUT PLAST 210** is based on a Lignosulphonate. Supplied as a brown liquid it is instantly dispersible in water. **KUT PLAST 210** produces cohesive more workable concrete at constant water/cement ratio with slightly improved strength or can give higher strength at the same workability or can give cement saving upto 10% at the same water/cement ratio, workability and strength.

#### **USES**

**KUT PLAST 210** can provide up to 15% reduction in free water without loss of workability, resulting in reduced permeability and early strength gain. Can also be used to give cement savings.

#### **ADVANTAGES**

**Increased workability:** Reduces placing time.

**Improved strength:** Water reduction gives higher strengths without cement increase or workability loss.

**Reduced permeability:** Reduction of water reduces porosity giving improved water impermeability.

**Surface finish:** Better dispersion of cement particles and Increased cohesion minimizes segregation and bleeding and gives Improved surface finish for flat work and cast surfaces.

Chloride free: Safe in reinforced concrete.

## **STANDARDS**

**KUT PLAST 210** complies with **BS 5075**, 1982 as normal water reducing admixture and **ASTM C-494 Type A**.

### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

- Calcium Chloride content: Nil.
- Specific gravity: 1.17 to 1.19 at 20°C.

- Air entrainment: Less than 1% additional air is entrained.
- **Setting time:** Less than 1 hour retardation at normal dosage.
- **Cement compatibility:** Compatible with sulphate resisting and other Portland cements.
- **Durability:** Water reduction gives increase in density and water impermeability which improves durability.
- **Compressive strength:** Reduction in water/cement ratio will result in up to 50% increase in early age compressive strength.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE**

**Dosage:** The optimum dosage for **KUT PLAST 210** should be determined by site trials with the particular concrete mix under prevailing ambient condition.

As a guide the dosage is normally: 0.6 to 1.2 litres/100 kg cementitious material. For hot weather concreting where **KUT PLAST 210** is to be used for extended workability a dose of 1.4 litre/100 kg cement can be used.

**Overdosing:** An over dose of double the intended amount of **KUT PLAST 210** will result in increased air entrainment. The ultimate compressive strength of the concrete will not be significantly impaired.

**Curing:** As with all structural concrete, normal curing methods apply.

#### **TECHNICAL SUPPORT**

**ASPEC** provides technical support service on mix design, admixture selection, evaluation of trials, dispensing equipment etc. Please contact the Technical department in these cases.

Cleaning: Spillages of KUT PLAST 210 can be removed





with water.

**Packaging: KUT PLAST 210** is supplied in 210 litres drums and in bulk.

**Storage: KUT PLAST 210** should be protected from extremes of temperature. Should the material become frozen, it must be completely thawed and thoroughly mixed before use. **KUT PLAST 210** has a minimum shelf life of 12 months provided temperature is kept within the range 5°C to 30°C.

## **PRECAUTIONS**

## **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

**KUT PLAST 210** is non-toxic. Any splashes to the skin should be washed immediately with water. Splashes to the eyes should be washed immediately with water and medical advice should be sought.

Fire: KUT PLAST 210 is non-flammable

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