Product Information

Potassium Silicate

Product Description:

Potassium silicate is the name for a family of inorganic compounds composed of potassium oxide and silica. This product is manufactured from potassium silicate glass. It is available in various grades depending on the K_2O and SiO_2 mass ratio.

Applications:

Potassium silicate is used in wood treatment for protection against fire, horticulture as a source of potassium and silicon, metal cleaning products as a corrosion inhibitor. It is also used in detergents, papermaking, catalyst production and water treatment.

CAS No.:

1312-76-1

Specifications:

Parameters (units)	Specifications				
Grades	PS1	PS2	PS3	PS4	PS5
WT Ratio SiO ₂ :K ₂ O (± 0.05)	2.2 - 2.3	2.48 - 2.52	2.1 - 2.2	2.0 - 2.1	1.8 - 1.9
WT $K_2O \pm 0.50$, approx. (%)	9	8.25	11.5	13	14.5
WT SiO ₂ ± 0.10, approx. (%)	20	20.6	24	27	26.5
Density (kg/m³)	1.25 - 1.30	1.24 - 1.27	1.30 - 1.35	1.35 - 1.40	1.38 - 1.40
Solid content (%)	29 - 30	29.0 - 30.0	36 -37	40 - 41	40.5 - 41.5
Viscosity, B4 (s)	12 - 13	14 - 16	15 -16	14.5 - 15.5	19 - 20

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Packaging:

Material is available in 250 kg or 280 kg HDPE drums, 1300 kg IBCs and bulk flexi tanks. Further packaging options may be available upon enquiry.

Storage:

Product should be stored in a dry place away from direct sunlight in sealed, original packaging.

Safety:

For further safety information refer to product SDS available from your Bisley International contact.

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