

# KingAdd<sup>®</sup> 55WP

Integral waterproofing admixture.

## DESCRIPTION

KingAdd 55WP is liquid concrete waterproofing admixture formulated from selected polymers specially designed to reduce the concrete water permeability by reducing capillary voids within the concrete, which will last for the life of the concrete.

## APPLICATIONS

- ☒ To produce concrete with lower permeability.
- ☒ For water retaining structures and concrete substructures.

## ADVANTAGES

- ☒ Minimizing segregation problems by improving cohesion.
- ☒ Improved workability reduces placing and compaction problems.
- ☒ More durable concrete due to lower permeability.

## COMPATIBILITY

KingAdd 55WP can be used with all types of Portland cement and cement replacement materials. KingAdd 55WP is compatible with other DCP admixtures used in the same concrete mix. If more than one type of admixture is to be used in concrete mix, they must be dispensed to the concrete separately.

## STANDARDS

KingAdd 55WP complies with ASTM C494, Type A.

## METHOD OF USE

KingAdd 55WP should be added to the concrete with the mixing water to achieve optimum performance.

Automatic dispenser should be used to dispense the correct quantity of KingAdd 55WP to the concrete mix.

## TECHNICAL PROPERTIES

Colour:	Brown liquid
Freezing point:	≈ -2°C
Specific gravity:	1.18 ± 0.01
Chloride content: BS 5075	Nil
Air entrainment:	Typically less than 2% additional air is entrained above control mix at normal dosages

## DOSAGE

The guidance dosage of KingAdd 55WP is 0.50 - 0.80 liters/100 kg of cementitious materials in the mix, including GGBFS, PFA or microsilica. Representative trials should be conducted to determine the optimum dosage of KingAdd 55WP to meet the performance requirements by using the materials and conditions in actual use.

## EFFECTS OF OVER DOSAGE

Over dosing of KingAdd 55WP will cause the following:

- ☒ Significant increase in retardation.
- ☒ Increase in workability.

Ultimate concrete strength will not be adversely affected and will generally be increased provided that proper concrete curing is maintained.

## POINTS TO BE CONSIDERED IN WATERPROOF CONCRETE

- ☒ Lower water to cement ratio gives lower permeability concrete.
- ☒ Good concrete placing and compaction are very important to produce waterproof concrete.
- ☒ Fresh concrete should be protected against rapid drying and cured properly.
- ☒ Cold joints must be avoided.

## CLEANING

KingAdd 55WP can be washed with fresh cold water.

## PACKAGING

KingAdd 55WP is available in 25 liters pails, 210 liters drums and 1000 liters bulks supply.



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## STORAGE

Shelf life is 1 year when stored under cover, out of direct sunlight and protected from extremes of temperature.

Failure to comply with the recommended storage conditions may result in premature deterioration of the product or packaging. For specific storage advice consult KingKrete's Technical Services Department.

## HEALTH AND SAFETY

As with all chemical products, care should be taken during use and storage to avoid contact with eyes, mouth, skin and foodstuffs. Treat splashes to eyes and skin immediately. If accidentally ingested, seek medical attention. Reseal containers after use. Use in well ventilated areas and avoid inhalation.

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## QUALITY AND CARE

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