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DIAMOND SEAL®

Absorbent Polymer for Lost Circulation

Description

DIAMOND SEAL® lost circulation material is a 100% active, water-swellable, synthetic polymer. DIAMOND SEAL polymer LCM absorbs hundreds of times its own weight in water. It is intended for use primarily as a lost circulation material for horizontal directional drilling (HDD).

Applications/Functions

The use of DIAMOND SEAL absorbent polymer can assist the following:

- Lost circulation material for horizontal directional drilling
- Prevent inadvertent returns in river crossing applications
- Stabilize borehole in cobble and gravel
- Stabilize unconsolidated formations

Advantages

- Rapid water absorption
- Effective in mitigating lost circulation
- Economical small quantity yields large volume
- Easy to use
- Non-fermenting

Typical Properties

	Appearance	off-white crystals
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Specific gravity 0.75

Dry screen analysis
 96% through 5 mesh (4.0 mm)

Swelling capacity in fresh water
 3.5 ft³/lb (0.22 m³/kg)

Recommended Treatment

For slug treatment:

• Add 0.5 to 1 pound (0.25-0.5 kg) DIAMOND SEAL polymer LCM per joint

As a pill:

- Add DIAMOND SEAL polymer LCM at 10 20 lb/100 gallons of drilling fluid
- Add DIAMOND SEAL polymer LCM at 12 24 kg/m³ of drilling fluid

Treatment for Loss of Circulation or Inadvertent Returns in HDD Operations:

(Prior to pumping remove all in-line screens in circulating system) Add the following to existing drilling fluid and displace:

BAROLIFT® - 0.25 - 0.5 lb/100 gallons (0.3 - 0.6 kg/m³) N-SEALTM - 3 - 5 lb/100 gallons (3.6 - 6.0 kg/m³)

DIAMOND SEAL - 10 - 20 lb/100 gallons (12 - 24 kg/m³)

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Packaging

DIAMOND SEAL® absorbent polymer is packaged in 10-lb (4.5-kg) resealable plastic containers.

Availability

DIAMOND SEAL absorbent polymer can be purchased through any Baroid Industrial Drilling Products Retailer. To locate the Baroid IDP retailer nearest you contact the Customer Service Department in Houston or your area IDP Sales Representative.

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