# 1%x3% AR-AFFF (ALCOHOL RESISTANT AQUEOUS FILM FORMING FOAM) HD AR-AFFF 1X3-C6



#### DESCRIPTION

HD AR-AFFF 1X3-C6 is an Alcohol Resistant Aqueous Film Forming Foam concentrate, specially formulated with new generation C6 based fluorinated surfactants which are environmentally safer.

HD AR-AFFF 1X3-C6 is formulated with C6 based Fluoro surfactants, Hydrocarbon surfactants, polysaccharides and solvents. It produces thin yet strong aquous film on Hydrocarbon fuel surface, sealing the surface and preventing fuel vapour release.

The foam spreads rapidly on fuel surface due to positive spreading provided by fluoro surfactants while the foam blanket excludes oxygen from the fuel surface and provides cooling effect leading to fast flame knockdown and extinguishment.

Polysaccharide film is produced when the foam solution comes in contact with a water miscible polar solvent. This polymer film acts as raft to support the foam blanket on the surface of the polar fuel. Foam blanket cuts off oxygen from fuel surface and cools it thereby providing fast knockdown and fire extinguishment.

HD AR-AFFF 1X3-C6 is intended for use at 1% solution in fresh, sea/salt or hard water for hydrocarbon and 3% solution in fresh, sea/salt or hard water for polar solvents fires.

# **APPLICATION**

HD AR-AFFF 1X3-C6 is suitable for Class B fires of Hydrocarbons like crude oil, gasoline, diesel, aviation fuel, kerosene etc. and polar solvents like alcohols, ketones, esters, acetates etc. It is also recommended for aromatic hydrocarbon fires of benzene, xylene, toluene & their derivatives.

HD AR-AFFF 1X3-C6 can also be used as a wetting agent in combating fires in Class A materials such as wood, paper, and tyres.

## **PROPORTIONING**

HD AR-AFFF 1X3-C6 can be used with various types of Foam Proportioning & Discharge Devices such as Portable and Fixed Foam Proportioners, Branch Pipes, Foam Bladder Tanks, Ratio Controllers, Spray Fog Nozzles, Monitors, Foam Makers, Foam Chambers, Foam Pourers, Rim Seal Foam Pourers, Foam-Water Sprinklers etc.

# APPROVALS AND LISTINGS

UL Listed as per UL-162 standard

# **COMPATIBILITY**

HD AR-AFFF 1X3-C6 is compatible with dry powders and other equivalent foams.



## TYPICAL PROPERTIES

| PARAMETERS                          | VALUES                           |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Appearance                          | Viscous liquid<br>(Amber Colour) |
| Specific Gravity @20°C (68°F)       | 1.02 ± 0.02                      |
| pH @ 20°C (68°F)                    | 8.0 ± 1.0                        |
| Viscosity @ 20°C (68°F), #4, 60 rpm | 1400 ± 200 cPs                   |
| Pour Point*                         | Flows at 0°C                     |
| Expansion **                        | >7                               |
| 25% Drainage **                     | >5 min 30 secs                   |

- \* Also available in Freeze Protected Type
- \*\* Value depends on equipment used and system parameters

# STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE

It has a shelf life of 10 years when stored in its original container. Storage temperature should be below  $49^{\circ}$ C. The product can withstand intermittent short time exposure up to  $60^{\circ}$ C. Ensure that the containers are not directly exposed to sunlight and heat. It is unaffected by freeze/thaw cycles. Refer Storage Conditions for additional information on storage.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION**

Being based on C6 fluoro surfactants, HD AR-AFFF 1X3-C6 is environmentally safer and low toxic to the aquatic organisms. It is bio-degradable.

Local regulations should be complied with for discharge into common drainage/sewage systems.

Refer MSDS for additional information.

### **PACKAGING**

The product is available in 20L Jerry Cans, 200L Drums, 1000 L Tote and bulk packing.



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