### Technical data sheet

# **CHRYSO® CI**

## **Corrosion Inhibiting Concrete Admixture**



#### Description

CHRYSO® CI is based on Calcium Nitrite, which interacts with the structural steel in concrete to prevent chloride attack.

CHRYSO® CI reacts chemically with steel to maintain a passivating layer when chlorides penetrate the concrete, significantly delaying the rate of corrosion.

### **Advantages**

- Ready to use.
- Compatible with all portland and pozzolanic cements.
- Compatible with CHRYSO plasticisers, retarders, superplasticisers, air enraining agents and other admixtures.

## Application guidelines

#### Use

- Concrete structures
- Below ground structures where saline water is present
- Bridge decks
- Pre-stressed concrete

#### Dosage

The optimum dosage of CHRYSO® CI can only be established by using trial tests, taking into account local conditions affecting the workability of the fresh mix and the mechanical properties required of the concrete.

#### Physical and chemical properties

Physical state: liquid

Colour: light yellow

Specific gravity (25°C): 1.240 (±0.01)

■ pH: 10

Viscosity: 10 secs (ford # 4 cup)

■ Typical range: 10-30 ℓ/m³

#### Dispensing/mixing

- CHRYSO® CI should be added to the mix during the batching process via an automated dispensing system.
- The concrete mix design should take into consideration the water available in CHRYSO®
  CI.
- To obtain the best results all admixtures should be dispensed separately.

#### **Precautions**

 Overdosing may result in increased workability and possible reduction in setting time.

#### Storage

- CHRYSO® ZA 1251 has a shelf life of 12 months starting from the manufacturing date provided no other chemicals are added to it.
- The product should be stored away from the rain and frost in clean, dry tanks.



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## **Packaging**

- 25 ℓ jerry can
- **200** ℓ drum
- 1000 ℓ flow bin
- Bulk tanker loads
- Delivery on request

### Health and safety

- CHRYSO® CI is classified as harmless.
- For more information, please refer to the material safety data sheet.

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