Diacel[®] LWL Powder Cement Fluid-Loss / Retarder Additive



Diacel[®] LWL Powder Cement Fluid-Loss / Retarder Additive is wide-temperature range additive that is dry blended with the cement powder prior to preparation of the cement slurry. Diacel[®] LWL Powder Cement Fluid-Loss / Retarder Additive is a bi-functional additive that is effective both as a retarder and fluid-loss control agent.

It can be used as a retarder on wells with bottom hole circulating temperatures (BHCT) of 150°F to 225°F. When used as a retarder, Diacel[®] LWL Powder Cement Fluid-Loss / Retarder Additive provides the additional benefit of improving the performance of other fluidloss control agents. It can be used at BHCT less than 150°F by the addition of accelerators. At BHCT between 175°F to 225°F, Diacel[®] LWL Powder Cement Fluid-Loss / Retarder Additive can be used both as a retarder and fluid-loss control agent. Above 225°F, Diacel[®] LWL Powder Cement Fluid-Loss / Retarder Additive is used primarily as a fluid-loss control agent. The fluid-loss control performance of Diacel[®] LWL Powder Cement Fluid-Loss / Retarder Additive is improved when used in conjunction with dispersants and most retarders.

Application Areas

- All API classes of cement
- Freshwater, saltwater or seawater slurries

Typical Range of Use

Temperature	70°F - 350°F (21°C - 177°C) BHCT
Concentration	0.25% - 1.5% BWOC
Density	12 - 20 lb/US gal (1.44 - 2.4 g/cm ³)

Physical Properties

- Light tan powder
- Specific gravity = 1.35 g/cm³
- Complete water solubility

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