DonFiber PP-M



High-performance monofilament polypropylene fibers (Formerly known as PP Fiber)

DESCRIPTION

DonFiber PP-M is a monofilament micro fiber reinforcement, manufactured of 100% polypropylene fibers containing no polyamide, nylon or reprocessed olefin materials. It is designed for use with all cementitious mixes.

The inclusion of DonFiber PP-M within a concrete mix or cementitious mixes will reduce and control plastic shrinkage cracks and early age cracks.

APPLICATIONS

DonFiber PP-M is ideally designed to decrease the plastic shrinkage cracking and plastic settlement cracking in the following applications:

- » Slab on grade.
- » Elevated slabs.
- » Parking areas.
- » Precast concrete.
- » Coatings and screed concrete.
- » Shotcrete.
- » Highway, railway, bridge decks.
- » Industrial and residential floors.

ADVANTAGES

- Controls and inhibits crack formation caused by plastic shrinkage, settlement or other internal stresses in concrete.
- » Reduces shotcrete rebound.
- » Improves fresh mix properties (homogeneity & cohesiveness).
- » Increases concrete durability.
- » Easily distributed throughout the cementitious mix.
- » Compatible with all types of cement and concrete admixtures.
- » Rust-free.
- » Reduces bleeding.

STANDARDS

DonFiber PP-M complies with the requirements of ASTM C1116, Type III and EN 14889 Part II, Type 1A.



TECHNICAL PROPERTIES:

Composition: 100% virgin polypropylene

Form: Monofilament micro fiber

Specific gravity: 0.91

Tensile strength: 465 - 540 MPa

Modulus of elasticity: 4045 - 5670 MPa

Equivalent diameter: 30 - 32 microns

Elongation: 20 - 25%

Melting point: 160°C

Absorption: Nil/Hydrophobic

Chloride content: Chloride-free
Sulphate content: Sulphate-free

Alkali content: Alkali-free

Alkali and acid

resistant:

Excellent

Oxidant resistance: Excellent

Biological resistance: Excellent



METHOD OF USE

MIXING

DonFiber PP-M is added to the mixer before, during or after batching of concrete. Mix for 5 - 6 minutes at high speed after the addition of the final dosage to ensure uniform distribution of fibers.

DOSAGE

Dosage of DonFiber PP-M will vary depending on the area of application and the required properties of concrete mixes. Typical dosage is between 0.6 - 0.9 kg/m³ of concrete.

LENGTH

DonFiber PP-M is available in two grades:

» Single length: 6,12,18 mm.

» Graded: 6,12,18 mm mixture.

Other lengths are available upon request.

PACKAGING

- » 600 g or 900 g water soluble packs.
- 5 kg plastic bags.

Other packaging is available upon request.

STORAGE

Store in original unopened packaging in dry and shaded areas at tempratures between 5°C and 30°C, protected from moisture and direct sunlight.

If these conditions are exceeded, DCP Technical Department should be contacted for advice.

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CAUTIONS

HEALTH AND SAFETY

There are no health risks associated with proper use of the product.

For further information refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet.

FIRE

DonFiber PP-M is combustible and will burn if exposed to flame or other sources of ignition.

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A wide range of construction chemical products are manufactured by DCP which include:

- » Concrete admixtures.
- » Surface treatments
- » Grouts and anchors.
- » Concrete repair.
- » Flooring systems.
- » Protective coatings.
- » Sealants.
- » Waterproofing.
- » Adhesives.
- » Tile adhesives and grouts.
- » Building products.
- » Structural strengthening.