MAGMA FIBER

LOST CIRCULATION MATERIALS



Description

MAGMA FIBER is a specially formulated extrusion of spun mineral fibre. The long, flexible fibres will reduce seepage and lost circulation by bridging and plugging off voids, fractures and all types of permeable formation.

Application

MAGMA FIBER is compatible with all oil and water based drilling fluids. The strong fibres interlock to provide the framework for a low permeability wall cake, the result of which is the reduction in drilling fluid loss. It can also provide extra strength to the filter cake enabling a reduction in caving. MAGMA FIBER is coated with a mono-molecular film of a specially formulated surfactant which speeds up the separation of the fibres.

Typical Physical Properties

Appearance: Light to dark grey fibres

pH: 7.0 - 7.5Specific gravity: 2.6

Recommended Treatment

MAGMA FIBER can be added directly to the mud system or via the hopper.

APPLICATION	KG / M³	LB / BBL
To regain circulation	25 – 75	8.5 – 26
To control seepage on porous formations	5 – 28	1.75 –10
To stabilise a formation	5 – 28	1.75 –10
To sweep the hole	5 – 28	1.75 -10

NOTE: MAGMA FIBER can be used in concentrations of up to 90 kg / m^3 (32 lb /bbl) in slug treatments. Before using MAGMA FIBER the suction screen and any internal pump screens should be removed. To maintain MAGMA FIBER in the circulating system the shaker screen and all solids control equipment should be bypassed until circulation is restored.

Advantages

- MAGMA FIBER is over 95 % acid soluble
- Non-corrosive
- Non-fermenting
- · Inorganic
- Non-combustible
- · Non-polluting
- Non-toxic
- · Very temperature stable
- Contains no asbestos.

Please Note: Several factors will dictate the most appropriate concentration rate. Please contact your nearest AMC representative for optimum results.

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