Matrix-FP Geopolymer Concrete

Technical Data Sheet

ZAH Technologies is proud to introduce our Patented "Eco-Friendly" Fireproofing Technology, for use where extreme durability and chemical resistance is desired. The **M.250.FP** is a spray applied, fiber reinforced, variable aggregate, Geopolymer Concrete.

M-250-FP is a 42 – 48 pounds per cubic foot (pcf) density material, infused with proprietary, FRC reinforcement to resist cracking caused from external stresses. Stresses are caused by anything from handling and transportation, excessive loading, to seismic events. This FRC benefit, combined with early and final compressive strengths greater than that in <u>any</u> other cementicious fireproofing material available, clearly makes M-250-FP the material of choice!



M-250-FP

As part of the **Matrix Series**, **M-250-FP** contains no Portland Cement, and therefore has none of the weaknesses of conventional cementicious fireproofing materials. It's resistant to acids, solvents, chlorides and sulfates. And, due to its reduced permeability, harsh environmental conditions including extreme heat, cold, and salt water spray has no detrimental effect.

Physical Performance				
Physical Property	Test Method	Recommended Specification	Tested Value (> 21 Days)	
Dry Density	ASTM E605	MIN 42 PCF	43.5 PCF	
Compressive Strength @ 10% Deformation	ASTM E761	MIN 2000 PSI	> 2500 PSI ¹	
Bond Strength	ASTM E736	MIN 10,000 PSF	$> 24,770 \text{ PSF}^2$	
Hardness (Shore DO)	ASTM D2240	MIN 50	> 75	
Deflection	ASTM E759	PASS	PASS	
Bond Impact	ASTM E760	PASS	PASS	
Flame Spread	ASTM E84	0	0	
Smoke Development	ASTM E84	0	0	
1. > 2000 PSI w/in 5 Days 2. > 6000 PSF w/in 5 Days				

QUALTIY STATEMENT

M-250-FP has been tested in accordance with Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL) standards using UL263and UL1709 time-temperature burn curves. Our manufacturing facility has been observed by UL, and they have provided a Manufacturer's Classification. ZAH Technologies is unaware of any other commercially available, high-density fireproofing material which is Portland cement free.

M-250-FP complies with ASTM C1157 Standard Performance Specification for Hydraulic Cement, and all applicable building code requirements for interaction with conventional reinforcing steel, strength and modulus properties. M-250-FP does not comply with typical industrial Portland Cement specifications due to the absence of Portland Cement.

APPLICATIONS

The ability to apply **M-250-FP** to any size steel up to a 4-Hour rating in a single – one pass layer means the economics of Matrix are second to none. M-250-FP should be specified where long lasting Fireproofing with high abrasion, impact and chemical resistance is required. M-250-FP is ideal for use in a wide variety of commercial, institutional and industrial environments where sufficiently rugged Fireproofing is needed.

M-250-FP withstands weathering and chemical exposure and is highly recommended for use on offshore drilling platforms, petrochemical plants, power plants, military and dock facilities based on its projected life-span at 10 times that of traditional Portland cement concrete!

Matrix M-250-FP Specifications		RECOMMENDATIONS: Mixing, Placing and Finishing		
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Pumping

M-250-FP is suitable for pumping in any rotor stator, squeeze, or piston type pump. Application delays of greater than 30 minutes should not occur without emptying the pump and pump lines, or adjusting the water content. The water content should be calibrated for extended pump lines or substantial elevation increases – but the sprayed wet density should be maintained as described above.

Normal Safety Precautions

Just like Portland, batching procedures for Matrix are critical. Employees should be protected from inhaling dry materials and any materials making contact with skin or clothing, and should be cleaned immediately. Matrix has a higher pH than Portland in its dry state, however after batching, and in its plastic phase, Matrix has a similar pH as Portland.

Typical Shelf-Life and Storage

The shelf-life of stored Matrix Geopolymer Concrete materials are approximately 3 years in unopened Pails and Plastic Bags; when stored in a humidity and temperature controlled environment.