

## PU High Foaming Injection Resin

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### **DESCRIPTION**

AREDX CE 330 is a low viscosity high foaming polyurethane injection resin. Mixed with ARDEX CE 330 Accelerator to form a high foaming fast setting water reactive injection resin. Being a hydrophobic formulation, when reacted with minimal amounts of water, the resulting foam will maintain its physical form and not be subject to shrinkage due to wet/dry cycles. ARDEX CE 330 is designed for the sealing/grouting and elastic connection of concrete cracks, rock fissures, structures etc.

### **FEATURES**

- 100% solids
- Controllable reaction times
- Excellent resistance and durability
- · Cures inert, non-toxic permanent seal
- Expands up to 25 times initial volume

### **USES**

- Tunnels
- Basements
- Retaining walls
- Ground anchors
- · Ground stabilisation
- Concrete foundations

For other types of environments please contact ARDEX Technical Services (technicalservices@ardexaustralia.com).

### SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

Dust, debris, loose material, and any other contaminants must be removed from the surface of the crack or fissure to evaluate the full extent of the crack or joint for injection and assist in proper hole drilling.

#### PACKER PREPARATION

The spacing of the high pressure injection packers should match the thickness of the concrete substrate i.e., 300mm thickness / 300mm spacing. Spacing can be reduced to provide more spread of ARDEX CE 330 if required.

Starting at the lowest point, drill appropriate size holes at a 45° angle to intersect the prepared crack or fissure. The intersection of the crack or fissure should be at half the thickness of the concrete substrate. Repeat this step on alternate sides of the crack or fissure, and continue to repeat along the entire length of the crack or fissure.

### **INJECTION METHOD**

A single component pump designed for high pressure injection can be used.

### MIXING ACCELERATOR

Calculate the required volume of ARDEX CE 330 Accelerator to be combined with ARDEX CE 330 within the range specified below.

Thoroughly stir the ARDEX CE 330, add ARDEX CE 330 Accelerator, and mix using a slow speed mixer (400 rpm) for minimum 1 - 2 minutes (until mixed material is homogeneous) Do not use a high speed mixer.

Reaction times - 5% ARDEX CE 330 Accelerator dosage						
Temperature	5°C	10°C	15°C	25°C		
Start Foaming	10 secs	9 - 10 secs	9 - 10 secs	8 - 9 secs		
End Foaming	56 secs	58 secs	47 secs	45 secs		
Foaming Factor	35% - 50%	35% - 50%	35% - 50%	35% - 50%		

Reaction times - 10% ARDEX CE 330 Accelerator dosage						
Temperature	5°C	10°C	15°C	25°C		
Start Foaming	10 - 11 secs	10 - 11 secs	9 secs	8 secs		
End Foaming	47 secs	45 secs	38 secs	32 secs		
Foaming Factor	35% - 50%	35% - 50%	35% - 50%	35% - 50%		

### **APPLICATION**

Commence from the widest part of the crack and proceed injecting outwards along the crack or fissure in each direction. Turn on pump and slowly increase pressure to a maximum of 30 bar - amount of pressure may vary depending on crack width and depth. Stop pumping for every one litre injected and allow 1 - 2 minutes for reaction. Start and stop injection until the packer will no longer accept material or if the specified pressure has been reached. Move to the next packer and repeat process. Continue until crack is full and has been adequately sealed.

Monitor the effectiveness of the work and allow to settle for at least 48 hours before returning to site and completing additional injection if required.

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#### **TECHNICAL DATA**

CHARACTERISTIC	TEST METHOD	NOMINAL VALUES				
Physical properties - ARDEX CE 330						
Colour		Amber				
Viscosity	ASTM D-4016	100 cps				
Specific Gravity	ASTM D-1475	1.17				
Flash Point	ASTM D-93	>200°F >93°C				
Physical properties - Cured						
Elongation	ASTM D-3574	100%				
Tensile Strength	ASTM D-3574	42 psi				
Shear Strength	ASTM C-273	20 psi				

CHARACTERISTIC	TEST METHOD	NOMINAL VALUES			
Physical properties - ARDEX CE 330 Accelerator					
Colour		Pale Yellow			
Viscosity	ASTM D-4016	35 cps			
Specific Gravity	ASTM D-1475	0.95			
Flash Point	ASTM D-93	216°F 102°C			

### **PACKAGING**

ARDEX CE 330 - 20L steel drum

ARDEX CE 330 Accelerator - 1L steel tin

### **CLEANING**

Immediately clean tools, mixers, and any other equipment with solvent. Failing to do so may damage or reduce the service life on equipment. Cured product may require removal by mechanical methods.

### SHELF LIFE

ARDEX CE 330 has a shelf life of 12 months when stored in original unopened packaging, in a dry place at  $23^{\circ}$ C and 50% R.H.

### **LIMITATIONS**

Careful consideration when applying product at  $10^{\circ}$ C and falling temperature must be considered as product may crystalise. The product will react if moisture is absorbed into an open container - containers must be sealed tightly when not in use.

### **SAFETY DATA**

Causes skin irritation. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eye irritation. Harmful if inhaled. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation. Suspected of causing cancer. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Do not breathe mist/ vapours/spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection. IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/ physician/first aider. IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/ first aider/if you feel unwell. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention. Store locked up. Store in a wellventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Dispose of contents/container to authorised hazardous or special waste collection point in accordance with any local regulation. To ensure you have the most current technical and safety information please consult the latest data sheets found on the product page at www.ardexaustralia.com

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