

Sample box „Product Line“

Content

CaLoSiL® E25 (lime content 25g/L)
CaLoSiL® E50 (lime content 50g/L)
CaLoSiL® IP25 (lime content 25g/L)
CaLoSiL® NP25 (lime content 25g/L)

The sample box is available in two sizes:

- a) 100 mL of each product
- b) 500 mL of each product



Characteristics of the products

All products contain colloidal particles of calcium hydroxide ($\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$, lime hydrate) stable suspended in different alcohols. The particle sizes range between 50 nm and 250 nm. Consolidation / strengthening are achieved by carbonation of the calcium hydroxide particles by atmospheric carbon dioxide after evaporation of the alcohol. All materials can be applied by dipping, spraying or injection. It is possible to combine the CaLoSiL®-products with silicic acid esters.

CaLoSiL® E25

CaLoSiL® E25 bases on ethanol as solvent. It can be used for strengthening of porous stones, mortars and plaster. Characteristics are fast evaporation and good adhesion to the surrounding stone / materials.

CaLoSiL® E50

Due to the high concentration of suspended calcium hydroxide particles CaLoSiL® E50 is suitable especially for the strengthening of highly porous and destroyed materials. It can be also used for gluing of flakes and filling of small cracks and pores. It is to regard that the high calcium hydroxide concentration can cause the formation of white hazes on treated surfaced. Please consult the Technical Leaflet "Prevention of White Haze Formation".

CaLoSiL® IP25/ CaLoSiL® NP25

CaLoSiL® IP25 and CaLoSiL® NP25 contain iso-propanol (IP) or n-propanol (NP) as solvent. Both alcohols evaporate slower than ethanol. Compared to CaLoSiL® E25 a deeper penetration can be achieved.

Mixability with other materials

All CaLoSiL®-products can be intermixed. Blending with ethanol, n-propanol or iso-propanol is possible without any difficulties. In contrast to that, the addition of water results in the formation of solutions characterised by a gel like consistency, when



amounts greater than 10 wt.-% are added. Larger water amounts results in flocculation of the calcium hydroxide particles.

Storage

All CaLoSiL[®] types have to be stored between +5 °C and +30 °C. In unopened, original containers, storage for 12 months is possible. Settled particles can be re-dispersed by shaking the closed bottle or by ultrasonic treatment. The properties remain unaffected.

Safety

CaLoSiL[®] is flammable/combustible. Keep away from oxidisers, heat, sparks and flames. Avoid spilling, skin and eye contact. Ventilate well, avoid breathing vapours. CaLoSiL[®] is strongly alkaline. Do not smoke. Keep container closed. Wash thoroughly after handling. Keep away from sources of ignition. Please store in a cool, dry place and in a tightly closed container. Further information concerning safety during transport, storage and handling as well as for disposal can be found in our latest Material Safety Data Sheet.

Before using in large scale we recommend to treat a small test field with CaLoSiL[®] in order to find out the most favourable application method and the required volumes of CaLoSiL[®].

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