

## Water reducing/plasticizing admixture

### Description of Product

Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 is a ready to use liquid admixture for making better, more durable concrete. It significantly reduces the water content of concrete of a given slump. Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 is extremely versatile in application and is effective over a wide range of mix designs and cement contents. Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 is formulated from a carefully selected blend of synthetic and naturally derived raw materials.

Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 complies with:

- BS 5075, Part 1
- EN 934 - 2

### Application

Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 is supplied ready for use. The admixture should be added to the concrete mix at the same time as the water. Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 should never be added directly to the cement.

Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 should not be used in conjunction with other admixtures without prior consultation with the BASF IBC Admixture Systems Technical Department.

### Technical Data/Typical Properties

Appearance	Dark Brown Liquid
Specific gravity @ 20°C	1.18 - 1.19 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Chloride Ion content	Nil
Equivalent Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.4%
Sulphate content as SO <sub>3</sub>	0.07%

### Application Procedure

#### Dosage Rate

As a water reducing agent 0.20 to 0.60 litres per 100kg of cement. Trials may necessary to determine the most suitable dosage to suit specific requirements.

The manufacturer would advise that trial mixes should be undertaken, using job materials, in simulated job conditions to determine suitable dosage rates and performance.

#### Over Dosage

Over-dosing using Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 can cause the following effects:

### Features and Benefits

Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 aids in the production of concrete, in both the plastic and hardened state.

#### In Plastic Concrete

- Reduced water/cement ratio for given workability.
- Better cohesion, reduces risk of segregation and bleeding.
- Helps prevent plastic shrinkage cracking.

#### In Hardened Concrete

- Increased compressive strength.
- Reduced permeability.
- Increased durability.
- Superior finished appearance.
- Reduced cracking and crazing.

### Fields of Applications

Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 is suitable for use in the following applications:

- Readymix Concrete.
- Pumped Concrete.

- Considerable increases in workability.
- Increased air entrainment.
- Retardation of initial and final set.

If over-dosing does occur please consult the BASF IBC Admixture Systems Technical Department for recommendations.

### Packaging

Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 admixture is supplied in 25 Litre, 210 Litre, 1000 litre containers and Bulk.



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# Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360

(Formerly Conplas 404)

## Storage

Store away from direct sunlight in ambient temperatures and in dry conditions.

## Shelf life

12 months in manufacturers sealed drums.

## Watchpoints

If Pozzolith<sup>®</sup> 360 admixture has frozen, thaw at temperatures above 2°C and completely reconstitute by mild agitation. Do not use pressurised air for agitation.

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## Health and Safety

\*For full information on Health and Safety matters regarding this product the relevant Health and Safety Data Sheet should be consulted.

The following general comments apply to all products.

As with all chemical products, care should be taken during use and storage to avoid contact with eyes, mouth, skin and foodstuffs, (which may also be tainted with vapour until the product is fully cured and dried). Treat splashes to eyes and skin immediately. If accidentally ingested, seek medical attention. Keep away from children and animals. Reseal containers after use.

## Spillage

Chemical products can cause damage; clean spillage immediately.

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