

## ITCOGEL C 450

ITCOGEL C 450 Flooding Compound (Thixotropic Jelly) is a water- blocking compound used for filling of interstitial space in the core of Optical Fibre Cables. It is based on synthetic and aliphatic hydrocarbons and has been formulated to meet a wide range of processing and performance requirements especially the drip test and water penetration test.

ITCOGEL C 450 exhibits good stability in a cable core over a wide temperature range and is an excellent choice for special aerial cables used in cold climatic conditions.

Appearance	Transparent Gel without visible impurities	Visual (Erichsen Gauge 100 $\mu$ )
Flash Point COC - °C	> 230	ASTM D 92
Drop Point - °C	> 200	ASTM D 566
Viscosity at 25°C, 100 rpm - cps	14000 $\pm$ 2000	Brookfield Viscometer HADV, Spindle No. 7
Viscosity (Typical) at 25° C, D = 50 1/S, -mPas	6500	Haake Rheometer RV 1 ( DIN 53019 )
Cone Penetration - 1/10 mm at + 25°C	$\geq$ 370	ASTM D 937
Density at 25°C - g/cm <sup>3</sup>	0.84 $\pm$ 0.01	ASTM D 1217
Volatility, 24 hrs at 150°C - %	< 1	FTM 791 C
Oil Separation, 24 hrs at 150°C - %	Zero	FTM 791 C
Oxidation Induction Time, 190°C, Alu. Pan - minutes	> 30	ASTM D 3895

**Packing** In metal drums with epoxy lining : Height – 885 mm, Internal Diameter – 570 mm, 170 Kg Nett weight. Bulk Bag (Fluid Bag) with 700 / 750 Kg Nett weight.

**Storage** Minimum 3 years in original packed condition stored at room temperature.

**Safety** As per our knowledge and available information, ITCOGEL C 450 does not pose any health hazard. For further information, please refer to MSDS a copy of which is available upon request.

**Compatibility** ITCOGEL C series products have been tested and found compatible with most of the associated cable materials. Further information is available upon request.

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