

ORCHIDEX AFFF 6% ECO AQUEOUS FILM FORMING CONCENTRATE

Scope

Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO is a synthetic firefighting foam concentrate designed for use on non-polar, hydrocarbon hazards. When proportioned with water and applied with conventional foam or water/fog equipment, **Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO** provides excellent control and extinguishments of Class B fires by spreading a vapour sealing film over the liquid fuel. This vapour seal inhibits re-flash even the foam blanket is ruptured and also allows the product to be used to secure non-ignited spills.

Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO provides excellent penetrating and wetting qualities when used on Class A fires. This is important when extinguishing deep-seated fires in wood, paper, rubber tires and other ordinary combustibles.

Typical Properties (not for specification purpose)

Fire Classes Recommended Use Concentration Specific Gravity at 20°C Freezing point (Solidification Temperature) pH at 20°C A and B 6% on hydrocarbons 1.01 <u>+</u>0.02g/ml -2°C 6.0 – 9.5

We reserve the right to improve our products within the tolerances being compliant to approvals without prior notice.

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Applications

Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO can be used with conventional foam equipment with fresh, sea or brackish water.

Self-inducting foam nozzles and foam nozzles with in-line inductors are among the most common types of hardware for application. In addition to its use in aspirating foam equipment **Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO** can be dispensed effectively through non-aspirating equipment including fog nozzles, water spray devices and standard sprinklers.

Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO may be applied to fires simultaneously with dry chemical firefighting agents as the two are compatible.

Features

Effectiveness : Rapid extinguishment reduces the chances of dangerous incidents and reduces the risk to property and equipment.

Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO also prevents re-flash and burnback, which are major causes of injuries.

The securing action of **Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO** minimizes re-flash and re-ignition during clean-up of flammable liquid spills. **Reliability : Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO** can be stored for virtually an indefinite period of time in approved equipment and systems. NFPA recommends annual inspection of all foam systems.

Tested and Approved according: EN 1568 – Part 3

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Usage:

- ✓ Class A fires: Wood, Paper, Textile, Fibers, Rubber etc..
- ✓ Class B fires: Oil, Fuels, Gasoline, etc...



Economics : Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO offers fast extinguishment, so less agent is required in training and actual fire emergencies.

<u>Storage & Design</u>: Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO provides maximum economies in storage space and design of fixed systems.

Environmental & Toxicity

Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO is considered as biodegradable material with minimal environmental impact. More than 90% is expected to be biologically degradable within 28 days. The material is non- toxic to Humans, Fish or Animals.

Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO complies with EN regulations relating to PFOS & PFOA.

Storage

It is recommended to store **Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO** in its original containers at a temperature between 1°C and 40°C with suitable covers and protected from sunlight in order to maintain its original physical and chemical characteristics and to reach a shelf life of 20 years and even more. The foam should be tested for its physical properties and specifications after 5 years from the production date, and thereafter retested each year. Freezing and thawing have no adverse effect on the product performance, though a slight stratification may result; in such case, a moderate mixing before use is advisable.

Packaging

Orchidex AFFF 6% ECO is available in cans (20 l/kg and 25 l/kg), in 200 l/kg drums or in 1000 l/kg IBC containers. Shipments can also be made in bulk. **Important Notice to Purchaser – Disclaimer**

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- Orchidex AFFF 3% F-HP
- Orchidex AFFF 6% F-TP
- > Orchidex ARC 3x3 F-TPL
- Orchidex ARC 1x1 F-HPL
- > Orchidex ARC 1x1 FL-ECO
- > Orchidex A