

## **Contite ® PUE 500/501**

2 PART RIGID POLYURETHANE FOAM FOR SOIL & ROCK CONSOLIDATION AND BELOW GRADE WATER STOPPAGE

#### **DESCRIPTION**

A new generation phthalate free high performance low viscosity hydrophobic rigid polyurethane injection grout used to increase the load bearing capacity of loose soils, void filling or underpinning. Contite PUE 500/501 reacts into either a hard foam or very hard plastic. Reaction times may be adjusted by varying the Contite PUE 500/501 ratio. Contite PUE 500/501 does not foam on its own, it needs water present to foam.

#### **USES & ADVANTAGES**

Contite PUE 500/501 may be used for soil and rock consolidation, filling of large voids, cracks and crevices, pre injection for waterproofing and consolidation in front of TBM and drill and blast, filling of fissures, gravel layers, in wet and dry conditions.

## Advantages Include:-

- · Phthalates free resins.
- · Solvent free.
- · Fast or slow reactions available.
- Easy mixing 1:1 by volume.
- · Can be applied in dry or wet conditions.
- · Environmentally friendly.
- Expands 20-30 times.
- · High strength.
- Non shrink.
- · Bonds with soil and concrete.
- · Stops repeated water erosion.
- · Suitable for long distance injection.

#### **PROPERTIES**

 Appearance:
 For Part A Yellow
 For Part B Dark brown Dark brown 170-270

 Viscosity: (mPa.s)@25°C
 70-120
 170-270

 SG:
 1.04-1.06
 1.22-1.25

 pH Value:
 5.5-6.5
 7.0-8.0

Appearance: Light brown Viscosity: 100-200 Density: 1.13-1.16 pH Value: 6.0-7.0

Foam Properties

Pot Life: 5 minutes

Reaction Time: 20-30 seconds

Expansion Time: Approx. 5 minutes

Compressive Strength: > 40 N/mm² at 7 days

ASTM C579 (with fine sand)

Tensile Strength: ASTM D638

Young's Strength: 50 MPa

ASTM D638

(Contite PUE 500/501) + 1% water: Rigid Foam

(Less Expansion)

(Contite PUE 500/501) + 5% water: Less Rigid Foam

1.5 MPa

(More Expansion)

#### **MIX RATIO**

Contite PUE 500 : Contite PU 501 = 1:1 by volume

#### **APPLICATION**

- Contite PUE500/501 is injected using a 2 component injection machine such as GRACO REACTOR E-30 (plural component proportioner) where the two hoses are connected with an injection gun before injecting into the drilled holes.
- Clean and flush all equipment with Contite PU Purge prior to the injection.
- Check the mixing ratio of Contite PUE 500 and Contite PU 501 at the GRACO REACTOR by injecting the Part A & Part B under pressure initially, to ensure this is 1:1 mix ratio by volume.
- Fill the machine & hoses with Contite PUE 500 Part
  A and Contite PU 501 Part B and first flush the liquid
  into waste drums until fresh liquid is observed from
  the hoses.
- Insert the injection head into the drilled holes.
- Adjust pressure at the GRACO Reactor for Part A and Part B and start the injection, so as to achieve 1:1 mix ratio by volume.
- The injection should be continued until the water flow stops, or until the pre-measured amount of product has been injected in each drilled hole.
- After injecting into the first hole, remove the injection gun & start injecting into adjacent drilled hole situated at 30 cm interval from the previous drilled holes
- Continue and repeat the injection steps with the adjacent drilled hole.
- When the injection has finished, clean and rinse all equipment with Contite PU Purge.
- All opened drums should be capped when not in use

## **PACKAGING**

400 litres set; available in **Contite PUE 500** 200 litres & **Contite PU 501** 200 litres in 200 litres steel drums. Other packing units are available on request.

## STORAGE CONDITIONS & SHELF LIFE

Store in the shade in dry conditions. Stored in unopened sealed drums, in a dry area, at temperatures of 5°C-35°C, the shelf life is approximately 12 months.

## **HEALTH & SAFETY**

Avoid skin and eye contact. Wear rubber gloves and safety goggles. Hands should be cleaned with cleaner, followed by soap and water. Avoid breathing of vapours; use with adequate ventilation. Please consult our MSDS for more information (available upon request).



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## **TECHNICAL SERVICE**

The Cormix International Limited Technical Service Department is available to assist you in the correct use of our products and its resources are at your disposal entirely without obligation.

## **QUALITY ASSURANCE**

ISO 9001: 2008 verified by TUV Nord.

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Concrete Injection : Injection Products for Expansive Filling of Cracks, Voids and Interstices in Concrete U(S1)(S2)(S3)W(2)(3/4)(5/35)(0) Water tightness:

2x10⁵Pa 7x10⁵Pa

Corrosion behavior : Deemed to have

No corrosive Effect

Workability:

Degree of crack filling: > 95% Moisture state of crack: Wet, F water

Suitable for use : Sensitivity to Water :

> 95% Wet, Running

5°C to 35°C
Expansion rate is
Constant when

Immersed in water

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