

ROHMIN™ 4792

Dispersion and Stabilization Enhancer Polymer

Description

ROHMIN™ 4792 dispersion and stabilization enhancer polymer is high performance acrylic water-soluble copolymer. It was specially designed to be used as additive in the selective separation of sulphides minerals. Anionic copolymer ROHMIN™ 4792 is suitable for improving the cleaner froth flotation process. Associate with usual flotation chemicals as collector, frothers and depressors it enhances the metallurgical recovery grades in copper, molybdenum, iron and zinc ores.

Typical Properties

ROHMIN™ 4792	Result	
Appearance	Clear*, light amber solution	
Chemical nature	Anionic polymer, sodium salt	
Total solids (%)	40-44	
pH as is (at 25°C)	7.0	
Density (at 25°C)	1.3 g/cm3	

These properties are typical but do not constitute specifications.

Benefits

The use of ROHMIN™ 4792 in copper, iron and molybdenum circuits results in:

- Improve concentrate grades and recovery of value ores
- Lower viscosity pulp which help increase solids content in the cleaner flotation
- Enhance collectors performance with better results when associates with amine and azepine collectors type reducing the consumption of lime
- Rapid separation of value minerals

Applications

ROHMIN™ 4792 is recommended to be added into conditioning stages of cleaning and recleaning flotation cells. The polymer should be used in combination with conventional anionic collectors as xanthates, dithiophosphates and low pH range ammoniac collectors base such as amines and azepines. These results are improving the rate of separation for sulfides ore as resulting an increase from 6% to 9% of copper recovery and 2% of copper, where molybdenum and iron recoveries are also favorable. The copolymer helps increase the pulp concentration from typical values to maximum 30% at column and 50% at mechanical flotation cells with lower viscosities. Additional benefits are saving of water and energy by operating at concentration pulps in whole separation system. It does not interfere in the sedimentation rates of tails.

Dosage

ROHMIN™ 4792 is effective at dosage between 100 g/ton to 400 g/ton depending on the nature of the minerals and operating conditions being use. For more technical details, contact your local Dow sales representative.

Regional Availability

ROHMIN™ 4792 is available only in selected geographical regions. Check with your local Dow representative for availability in your area.

^{*} A slight haze may appear; this does not affect the intrinsic properties of the product or its performance.

Storage

Freezing or long-term cold storage of ROHMIN™ 4792 dispersion and stabilization enhancer polymer may cause some separation of the components. Although product performance is not impaired as long as the whole container is heated and well mixed, it is recommended to keep ROHMIN™ 4792 from freezing.

Handling Precautions

Before using this product, consult the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)/Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for details on product hazards, recommended handling precautions and product storage.

Disposal Considerations

Dispose in accordance with all local, state (provincial) and federal regulations. Empty containers may contain hazardous residues. This material and its container must be disposed in a safe and legal manner.

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