AMBERLITE™ FPC22 H
Food Grade Strong Acid Cation Exchanger

For Sweetener Deashing Applications and Biopharmaceutical Applications

FOOD PROCESSING
AMBERLITE FPC22 H has been specially designed for the deashing of liquid sweeteners streams. It has been designed with an optimized crosslinking content to offer superior balance of stability, operating capacity and protein removal. AMBERLITE FPC22 H has been used successfully worldwide for the deashing of sweeteners from a variety of starch sources including corn and wheat starches. AMBERLITE FPC22 H has been sized such that it can be fixed in both fixed beds, moving bed and mixed bed equipment. When used in combination with AMBERLITE FP weakly basic anionic exchange resins, it yields a superior quality sweetener in both ash content and color. AMBERLITE FPC22 H is also recommended for use with AMBERLITE FPA91 Cl in polishing mixed bed applications to removes trace contaminants that can cause odors, off-flavors and color stability problems with stored syrups. These include weak organic acids, nitrogen containing compounds and the removal of HMF.

BIOPHARMACEUTICAL PROCESSING
AMBERLITE FPC22 H is a macroreticular, strong acid, cation exchange resin well adapted to the capture of semi synthetic peptides.

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PROPERTIES AND SUGGESTED OPERATING CONDITIONS
AMBERLITE FPC22 H is a premium grade, macroreticular, strong acid, cation exchange resin composed of sulfonic acid exchange sites on a crosslinked polystyrene matrix. Its optimum degree of crosslinking imparts superior stability to the macroreticular structure of the resin giving it excellent resistance to chemical oxidation and to breakdown from mechanical, thermal or osmotic shock.

PROPERTIES
Matrix __________________________________________  Crosslinked polystyrene
Functional groups ________________________________  Sulfonic acid
Physical form ____________________________________  Light grey beads
Ionic form as shipped _____________________________  H +
Total exchange capacity[1] __________________________  ≥ 1.7 eq/L (H+ form)
Moisture holding capacity[1] ________________________  52 to 58 % (H+ form)
Shipping weight__________________________________  780 g/L
Harmonic mean size ______________________________  0.600 - 0.800 mm
Fines content[2] __________________________________  < 0.300 mm : 1.0 % max
Maximum reversible swelling ________________________  Na+ → H+ : 10 %

[1] Contractual value
[2] Test methods available upon request

SUGGESTED OPERATING CONDITIONS
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<td>Minimum bed depth</td>
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<td>Service flow rate</td>
<td>5 to 20 BV* / h</td>
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* 1 BV (Bed Volume) = 1 m³ solution per m³ resin
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As governmental regulations vary from country to country, it is recommended that potential users seek advice from their Rohm and Haas representative in order to determine the best resin choice, optimum operating and regeneration conditions.

**HYDRAULIC CHARACTERISTICS**

Figure 1 shows the bed expansion of AMBERLITE FPC22 H as a function of backwash flow rate and water temperature.

![Figure 1: Bed Expansion](image1)

Figure 2 shows the pressure drop data for AMBERLITE FPC22 H as a function of service flow rate and viscosity of the solution to be treated.

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