



# **TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES (Concentrate)**

Specific gravity @ 68° F (20° C)	1.1
рН	8.5 ± .05
Viscosity	25 cps
Lowest temperature for use	0° F
Freezing point	~-4º F

## **TYPICAL PROPERTIES (Solution)**

Dilution rate	1%
Surface tension at @ 68° F (20° C)	17.5 ± 0.5
Interfacial tension with cyclohexane at @ 68° F (20° C)	3.5 ± 0.5
25% drain time (minutes)	2:10

## PACKAGING

# ORDERING

INFORMATION (LBS./kg.)	LBS	KG	PRODUCT #
5 gallon pails (19 liters)	46	21	10004061
55 gallon drums (208 liters)	503	228	10004060
265 gallon reusable tote tank (984 liters)	2425	1100	10004059

Approximate weight

For more information, contact any of our worldwide Perimeter Solutions Fire Safety offices or visit us at www.Phos-Chek.com or Perimeter-Solutions.com



# DESCRIPTION

PhosChek<sup>®</sup> 1×1 AR-AFFF Low Viscosity foam concentrate is proportioned at 1% concentration, compatible in both fresh and sea water, for both fixed foam systems and manual application. PhosChek 1% AFFF foam is effective on hydrocarbon fuels like gasoline, heptane, crude oil, and other fuels that are not soluble in water. Our 1% AR-AFFF concentrate is ideal for use on fixed foam systems in space constrained areas and is compatible with standard proportioning and foam making devices. Manual firefighting operations are labor intensive and the 1% concentrate requires less time to stage and takes up less room at the scene.



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# HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

- FOR DETAILED SAFETY INFORMATION, please refer to the SDS.
- Precautionary Measure and First Aid: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practices. These practices include avoiding unnecessary contact and removal of the material from the eyes, skin and clothing.
- Eye Protection: As a good industrial practice, the use of chemical goggles is recommended. If in the eyes, flush immediately with water. Eye flushing equipment should also be available.
- Skin Protection: Wear protective gloves when handling concentrate to minimize skin contact. Wash hands and contaminated skin after handling.
- Respiratory Protection: None required. The location for public viewing of the SDS is on www.phos-chek.com

## **APPLICATIONS**

Phos-Chek 1x1 AR-AFFF Low Viscosity is used in fire suppression systems and manual applications to fight a broad range of Class B flammable liquid fires including hydrocarbon fuels such as gasoline and diesel, and on polar solvent fuels such ketones and alcohols. Typical applications include storage tanks, loading racks, docks, process areas, warehouses, and is an excellent vapor suppressor for flammable liquid spills.

## SHELF LIFE, INSPECTION AND TESTING

The shelf life of any foam concentrate is maximized by proper storage conditions and maintenance. Factors affecting shelf life are wide temperature changes, extreme high or low temperatures, evaporation, dilution, and contamination by foreign materials. Properly stored Phos-Chek AR-AFFF Class B foam concentrates should have no significant loss of firefighting performance for 20+ years. However, the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) recommends annual testing of all firefighting foams.

### **STORAGE AND HANDLING**

The concentrate should be stored at temperatures between 0°F (-18°C) and 122°F (+50°C), preferably in the original containers, approved bladder tanks, stainless steel, high density polyethylene, fiberglass or epoxy lined tanks. Concentrate piping acceptable materials of construction include stainless steel (either 304 or 316), some plastic piping including fiberglass and PVC, red brass, and black iron as long as the system is completely flooded eliminating the air/foam concentrate/carbon steel interface. Avoid permanent contact with carbon steel, iron, some copper alloys, & aluminum when the piping material and concentrate will be exposed to air. Galvanized piping is not recommended for AFFF piping systems. Foam concentrates are subject to evaporation, which accelerates when the product is exposed to air. Storage tanks should be sealed and fitted with a pressure vacuum vent to prevent free exchange of air.

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