

3%

AFFF

CLASS B FOAM CONCENTRATE



TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES (Concentrate)

Specific gravity @ 68° F (20° C)	1.02
pH	8.0 ± .05
Viscosity	2-10 cps
Lowest temperature for use	23° F
Freezing point	23° F

TYPICAL PROPERTIES (Solution)

Dilution rate	3%
Surface tension at @ 68° F (20° C)	16.5 ± 0.5
Interfacial tension with cyclohexane at @ 68° F (20° C)	3.5 ± 1.0
25% drain time (minutes)	3:30

PACKAGING

ORDERING INFORMATION (LBS./kg.)

	LBS	KG	PRODUCT #
5 gallon pails (19 liters)	43	19	10003964
55 gallon drums (208 liters)	468	212	10003963
265 gallon reusable tote tank (984 liters)	2255	1023	10003962

Approximate weight

DESCRIPTION

Phos-Chek® 3% AFFF foam concentrate is proportioned at 3% concentration, compatible with fresh and sea water, for both fixed foam systems and manual application. Phos-Chek 3% AFFF foam is effective on hydrocarbon fuels like gasoline, heptane, crude oil, and other fuels that are not soluble in water. Our 3% AFFF concentrate is ideal for use on fixed foam systems in industrial facilities and is compatible with standard proportioning and foam making devices including bladder tank with proportioning devices, foam chambers, foam makers, sprinklers, self-inducting type nozzles, and in-line proportioners. Phos-Chek 3% AFFF is our systems level foam with our most extensive third party listings to address hydrocarbon fuel fires in industrial facilities. Phos-Chek 3% AFFF is also an excellent choice for manual firefighting operations including monitor and hand-line applications.



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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 3% AFFF MilSpec may be used with low expansion foam equipment (nozzles and monitors), non-aspirating devices (water spray nozzles and standard sprinklers) and medium expansion foam devices to fight fires involving Class B hydrocarbon fuel fires such as aviation fuels, hydraulic oil, and diesel fuels. It is not suitable for use on polar solvents or water miscible fuels such as alcohols, ketones, esters, and ethers.

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 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 30°F (-1°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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APPROVAL CERTIFICATIONS

UL 162 and EN 1568-3 (Class IB)