

# INFORMATION

# **OILAID-WX-16**

WATER GELLANT CROSSLINKER

## **DESCRIPTION**

OILAID-WX-16 is a crosslinker for OILAID-WG-41 solutions. Its properties are:

Form Clear, Yellow Liquid
Specific Gravity at 70° F
Flash Point, (PMCC) None
Pour Point < -13° F
pH 7.3

#### **APPLICATION**

OILAID-WX-16 will crosslink solutions of OILAID-WG-41 in the pH range of 6.5-9.0. The product provides firm, homogenous gels in fracturing fluids which are stable for 5-6 hours.

## RECOMMENDED TREATMENT

OILAID-WX-16 should be pilot tested with the proper concentrations of gelling agent and other additives prior to mixing on site.

Normal concentrations are 1-1.3 gal per 1000 gal of fluid added on-the-fly. Crosslinking time is dependent on polymer concentrations, base gel pH, temperature and other additives. At pH 8.5 and 80 $^{\circ}$  F, crosslinking will begin after 5-10 seconds with full viscosity after 60-90 seconds. At pH 7.0 and 80 $^{\circ}$  F, crosslinking begins after 40-50 seconds with full viscosity after 4-5 minutes.

#### **HANDLING**

Goggles and rubber gloves should be worn while handling OILAID-WX-16. May cause mild skin and eye irritation. In case of eye contact, flush with water for 15 minutes and call a physician. Wash exposed skin with soap and water. Wash clothing before reuse.

#### **PACKAGING**

OILAID-WX-16 is packaged in 55-gal steel drums.

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