Product Data Sheet

Durastran[®] Synthetic Macro-Fiber Reinforcement



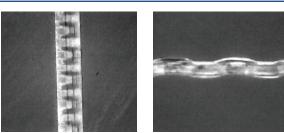
Durastran® Synthetic Macro-Fiber is an engineered solution for managing the crack-causing stresses that develop from temperature and drying shrinkage over time. The Durastran® Fibers work to increase the concrete's toughness and its ability to absorb more energy and control post-crack forces. As a field-proven replacement for conventional steel when used as secondary reinforcement, the Durastran® Fibers bond with the matrix to help dissipate the energy and carry the load beyond the concrete's original design strength and capability.

Enhanced Performance

As Built-In Reinforcement, Durastran[®] is Positioned Three Dimensionally - providing isotropic performance and added toughness throughout the entire concrete structure. This flexural toughness and residual strength can be increased with higher Fiber volume fractions.

Key Benefits of Use

- For Increased Durability and Flexural Toughness in both Precast Structures and SOG applications
- Special packaging provides excellent dispersion in the mix eliminating balling and clumping when mixed according to ASTM C94
- Unique geometry delivers superior crack control
- Safe and Easy to use non-corrosive
- Eliminates the higher costs and hassles associated with using conventional steel, or steel fiber reinforcement
- Reduces labor and time on EVERY job tand project.



Top View (24X)

Side View (24X)

The unique design and bonding elements of the Durastran[®] Fibers can be easily seen under magnification. This engineered shape creates the micro-mechanics that resist the post-crack pullout forces; and dissipates more energy, causing ductile behavior. **The result is more durability & longer life.**

Product Characteristics

Specific Gravity Fiber Configuration Fiber Length Color Absorption Alkali Resistance Chemical Resistance Melting Point Ignition Point

0.91 Rigid; Crimped 38 & 51 mm (1.5 & 2.0") Natural - White Nil Excellent Excellent 160° C (320° F) 590° C (1094° F)



Typical Applications

Precast Structures

- Cemetery Products; Burial Vaults
- Sanitary & Stormwater Products; Septic Tanks
- Building and Site Amenities; Wall Systems
- Agriculture Products; Bunks, Guards, Slats
- Blast & Hazardous Materials Containment

Slabs on Grade

- Elevated Slabs and Composite Metal Decks
- Industrial, Commercial and Residential
- Engineered Cementicious Composites (ECC)
- Pavements: Overlays and White-toppings

Engineering Specifications

Durastran® Synthetic Macro-Fiber is a safe easy to finish, QA/QC alternative for traditional reinforcement practices.

Do specify Durastran[®] for enhanced concrete properties; with improved ductility & flexural performance.

Do specify Durastran[®] for economic benefits: Reduced project costs in materials and labor.

Do specify Durastran[®] as a sustainable, noncorrosive reinforcement alternative for steel fibers or conventional steel reinforcement.



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