# Vitec<sup>™</sup> 4000 Antiscalant / Dispersant

## **APPLICATION**

Vitec<sup>™</sup> 4000 is a liquid antiscalant and dispersant that offers excellent silica scale inhibition and allows increased system recoveries in high silica feedwaters. Vitec 4000 prevents silica scale up to 2.8 times saturation, without the addition of acid. It also prevents clay formation (aluminum silicates) in the second stage of systems as well as calcium phosphate. Vitec 4000 is effective in water containing high metals such as iron, aluminum, and manganese. It is highly successful in many different industries and applications including, but not limited to, mining, well water, high recovery applications, wastewater, and in regions with high volcanic silica. Vitec 4000 is NSF certified.

#### INJECTING

Best results are achieved when Vitec 4000 is injected downstream of multimedia filters and upstream of cartridge filters.

## DOSING

A typical Vitec 4000 dose ranges from 2 to 5 mg/l. A sitespecific dose can be determined using the Avista™ Advisor™Ci software program.

#### DILUTION

Vitec 4000 is formulated to be injected neat. However, if dilution is required, use deionized water or reverse osmosis (RO) permeate. If neither of these is available, softened water may be substituted. The dilution for Vitec 4000 should not result in a solution strength of less than 10%. This guideline protects the effectiveness of the internal bacteriostat, which inhibits bacterial growth in the product packaging and feed tank.

# CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

| CHARACTERISTICS          | DATA                  |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| Appearance               | Clear to amber liquid |
| pH (as supplied)         | 4.5 - 6.5             |
| Specific gravity (@25°C) | 1.1 – 1.2             |

### **PERFORMANCE BENEFITS**

• Powerful against these and other types of scale:

| Silica             | SiO2                               |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| Aluminum silicates | Al <sub>2</sub> , SiO <sub>5</sub> |
| Calcium phosphate  | CaPO <sub>4</sub>                  |
| Calcium carbonate  | CaCO <sub>3</sub>                  |
| Calcium fluoride   | CaF <sub>2</sub>                   |

- Effective antiscalant to inhibit silica scale, aluminum silicate scaling, and calcium phosphate.
- Effective on waters contaning high metals such as iron, aluminum, and manganese.
- Compatible with polyamide membranes from all major manufacturers.
- Highly effective in a wide variety of feedwaters pH ranges.

# PACKAGING

Standard regional pack sizes are listed below. Information on bulk delivery options is available on request.

| PACKAGING<br>FORMAT | NORTH<br>AMERICA | SOUTH<br>America | ASIA     |
|---------------------|------------------|------------------|----------|
| Pail                | 45 lb            | 20 kg            | 20 kg    |
| Carboy              | 500 lb           | 220 kg           | 220 kg   |
| Drum                | 2,500 lb         | 1,100 kg         | 1,000 kg |



Please consult your sales representative for further technical or logistical details, and always review the SDS before use to ensure suitable safety precautions are followed.

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