

## **BOODEFOAM – DRILLING FOAMER**

**BOODEFOAM** is an aqueous solution of an anionic surfactant specially selected for its effectiveness in a wide range of applications & drilling conditions.

Appearance Density Flash point Solubility (in water) PH (as supplied) Viscosity @ 20°C Pour point Freeze/thaw stability	Clear colourless liquid SG 1.03 None Infinite 7 8 cP -5° C Good
Chemical description	The active component is an anionic surfactant of the alcohol ether sulphate type. The alkyl chain is branched.
Toxicological info.	Acute oral toxicity LD50 (Rat) = > 200mg / kg (OECD 401) Acute skin irritation (Rabbit) = Low (OECD 404) Acute eye irritation (Rabbit) = Low (OECD 405)
Ecological info.	Acute fish toxicity LC50=>10-100mg product / It. (DIN 3841T15) Acute Daphnia toxicity EC°=>1-10mg product / It. (OECD 202) Acute algae toxicity IC50=>1-10mg/It.
Biodegradability	(OECD 201) >90% over a 28 day test period (OECD 301). The Product is considered to be READILY BIODEGRADEABLE
Miscibility	In aqueous solutions the product is dispersed very rapidly in a pH range of $3-13$ . If the make up water is

	expected to be outside the range pre-treatment may be necessary.
Resistance to salinity	The product's performance is reduced by approx. 5% in highly saline conditions
Addition qty's	<ol> <li>Mist Drilling: 0.25 - 0.5% in injection water.</li> <li>Stable column foam drilling: 0.5 - 0.75% in injection water</li> <li>Modified stable foam drilling: 0.5 - 1.0% in injection water after polymer mixed.</li> <li>Core drilling: 0.5 - 0.7% in injection water</li> </ol>
Calculation of injection qty's:	

A "rule of thumb" 1000lts of injection fluid is required per cubic meter of ground removed.

Calculation method used to estimate qty of foamer required in borehole.