# **SLOW PHOS**

## SLOWLY SOLUBLE POLYPHOSPHATE BEADS

#### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

SLOW PHOS products are a form of slowly soluble polyphosphate available in small, glassy beads. As their name implies, SLOW PHOS products are engineered to dissolve at a controlled concentration to prevent scale formation and corrosion.

### **NSF Certified**

SLOW PHOS has been certified under ANSI/NSF Standard 42 Drinking Water Treatment Units – Aesthetic Effects, and ANSI/NSF Standard 60 Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals – Health Effects, for use in potable water systems at concentrations up to 10 ppm. Typical dissolution rate: 90-180 days.



requirements only.



#### **RoHS Compliant**

SLOW PHOS has been certified by NSF as compliant with EU Directive 2002/95 EC on the Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS). SLOW PHOS does not contain prohibited substances listed in Article 4 of EU Directive 2002/95 EC on the restriction in the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment.

### EN 1208:2005 Compliant

SLOW PHOS has been certified by NSF as compliant with European Standard EN 1208:2005 for chemicals used for treatment of water intended for human consumption.

### **PRINCIPLE BENEFITS**

#### Scale Prevention

Used to sequester hardness, inhibit precipitation, and formation of deposits.

## > Corrosion Inhibition

Used to form a protective coating on metal surfaces and provide corrosion protection against acidity, alkalinity, and many other mineral salts which may lead to the "rusting out" of water system pipes and equipment.

#### ➢ Iron Control

Used to sequester dissolved iron up to 10 ppm and prevent the iron from precipitating, staining, discoloring, and distasteful flavor.

# Convenience

Offers operator convenience in feeding; only requiring addition of the product at monthly or quarterly intervals; expensive proportioning and feeding equipment is not required.

## **APPLICATION**

SLOW PHOS can be fed at different concentrations in order to fit particular treatment situations or requirements. Normally a concentration of SLOW PHOS at threshold levels of 0.5-5.0 ppm polyphosphate will inhibit scale and corrosion.

Industrial Cooling Towers Refrigeration Equipment Vending Machines Air Conditioning Equipment Water Purifying Equipment Water Coolers Pre-filter for RO Equipment

Evaporative Coolers Coffee Machines Food Service Equipment Water Wells Ice Machines Domestic Water Systems

- 1. Start with a clean system. Drain and flush the entire system and remove any scale or debris present.
- Determine the amount and type of SLOW PHOS required. For most water, 0.5 to 1.0 pounds per ton of refrigeration is sufficient. Use 5.0 to 10.0 pounds of beads per feeder. The feeder should be placed in an area where there is good water flow.
- A proper bleed off system is absolutely essential for proper maintenance of concentrating recirculating water systems. This prevents the build up of mineral salts on equipment surfaces.
- 4. To increase polyphosphate levels and feed rate, use multiple phosphate cartridges or larger feeder.

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