

Technical data

MOLYSLIP CU30

Production Thread Compound

Description

MOLYSLIP CU30 is a high performance, lead and zinc free production thread compound that can replace API Modified for casing, tubing and line pipe applications. The product is based on highly refined low sulphur, low pour point mineral oil thickened with a soap matrix. The product contains both copper flake and graphite as solid lubricants coupled with high levels of corrosion inhibitors, anti-oxidant and anti-wear additives that make it particularly suitable for use under the most aggressive conditions in corrosive wet/humid, dirty or chemical environments where a high degree of water washout resistance is required.

MOLYSLIP CU30 has excellent lubricating and anti-wear properties to reduce friction during assembly preventing 'pick-up', galling and seizure facilitating easier breakout for routine maintenance. The product has been independently tested and proven to exceed the requirements of *API RP 5A3 / ISO 137678:2010

MOLYSLIP CU30 is effective over a wide temperature range and is specifically designed to prevent seizure of threaded connections on oilfield equipment such as casings and tubing etc. The specially formulated blend of additives provides enhanced adhesion to cold/wet tooling and a high resistance to wash off whilst being thermally stable making it suitable for use in applications where high temperatures are encountered.

**API RP 5A3/ISO13678:2010 – "Petroleum and natural gas industries-evaluation and testing of thread compounds for use with casing, tubing, line pipe and drill stem elements".*

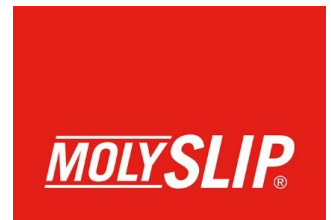
Features and benefits

- Low sulphur content
- Brushable at low temperature (down to -18°C)
- Excellent load carrying and anti-wear properties
- Allows consistent joint make up
- Highly effective protection against corrosion
- Outstanding resistance to water washout
- Can be applied to cold damp equipment
- Effective over a wide temperature range

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Instructions for use

MOLYSLIP CU30 should be used as supplied. Apply manually by brush to clean, degreased and dry (where possible) tool joint threads and shoulders. For best results apply to both mating surfaces.

Storage

MOLYSLIP CU30 should be stored in original, unopened packaging, out of direct sunlight at temperatures between 5°C and 35°C. The most up to date shelf life information for Moly slip products can be found on the certificate of analysis issued at the time of manufacture.

Packaging and product code

Code	Pack
M804020	20kg pail

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Property	Test method	Result
Appearance	-	Dark copper coloured paste
NLGI Classification	-	1
Thickener	-	Anhydrous calcium
Drop point	IP 396	>140°C
4-ball weld load	IP 239	500kg
Density (kg/l)	IP 530	1.20
Solids content	-	> 40%
Friction factor*	API MOD	1.1
Service rating	-	-20°C up to +140°C

Note: These values are typical only and do not constitute a specification

*The Friction Factor is a 'relative' number, many operational variables such as pipe size, thread type / geometry, drilling muds and extraneous contamination, etc. affect the friction factor. In all instances experience and prior application knowledge should be used to adjust make-up torque accordingly. If in doubt, contact the drill pipe manufacturer for torque and friction- related specifications.

Limited warranty information

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