

BONDERITE C-AK C 72

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

BONDERITE C-AK C 72 provides the following product characteristics:

Technology	Industrial Cleaner
Product Type	Alkaline Cleaner
Application	Metal Pre-Treatment

BONDERITE C-AK C 72 is a powdered, non silicated, strongly alkaline cleaner for use in continuous strip lines. It is preferably used in spray application. BONDERITE C-AK C 72 is effective on most metals and especially suitable on cold rolled steel coil stock, galvanized steel and aluminium.

Application Areas:

BONDERITE C-AK C 72 is used for cleaning prior to a conversion coating treatment (chromating, phosphating).

TECHNICAL DATA

Density, g/L	~900
pH-value (1% in DI water 20°C)	~12.8

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Preliminary Statement:

Prior to use it is necessary to read the **Material Safety Data Sheet** for information about precautionary measures and safety recommendations. Also, for chemical products exempt from compulsory labeling, the relevant precautions should always be observed. Please also refer to the local safety instructions and contact Henkel for analytical support.

Bath Make-up:

For each 1,000 L of bath, add to the water with stirring/circulating pump:

BONDERITE C-AK C 72 7 to 15 kg

Operating Data:

Adjusting the following parameters could be necessary depending on the line conditions.

BONDERITE C-AK C 72 Titration, mL:	8 to 16
pH-value (1 %):	12.8
Temperature °C:	40 to 80
Treatment time (Spray), sec:	5 to 120
Nozzle Pressure, bar:	1 to 2
Aluminium Titration (if aluminium is processed), mL max. (= 10 g/L)	is 12

Bath Control:

The BONDERITE C-AK C 72 cleaner bath is manually controlled in the plant by a BONDERITE cleaner titration and an aluminium titration.

BONDERITE Cleaner Titration:

- Pipette a 10 mL sample of the BONDERITE C-AK C 72 cleaner bath into an Erlenmeyer flask and dilute with 50 mL of distilled water.
- Add 4 to 5 drops of Phenolphthalein indicator.
- While swirling the sample slowly run in from a 25 mL burette 0.1 N sulfuric acid. The endpoint of the titration is indicated by a colour change from red to colourless (pH 8.5).
- Record the milliliters of 0.1 N sulfuric acid used as BONDERITE cleaner titration.

Aluminium Titration:

- Add to the solution of the BONDERITE cleaner titration 0.5 teaspoonful (1g) of sodium fluoride with stirring.
- Refill the automatic burette to the zero mark.
- If the pink colour reappears, slowly run in 0.1 N sulfuric acid until the pink colour just disappears.
- Wait 1 minute and titrate, if necessary again to a colourless solution.
- Record the milliliters of 0.1 N sulfuric acid used as aluminium titration.

Aluminium titration shall not exceed 12 mL. Content of aluminium in the bath can be calculated by multiplying mL of 0.1 N sulfuric acid by factor 0.9.

Example:

Aluminium titration showed 9.6 mL of 0.1 N sulfuric acid. This is an aluminium content of $9.6 \times 0.9 = 8.64$ g/L.

Replenishing:

For each mL of 0.1 N sulfuric acid lacking add per 1000 l of cleaner bath solution:

BONDERITE C-AK C 72 0.9 kg

Classification:

Please refer to the corresponding **Material Safety Data Sheets** for details on:

Hazards identification
Transport information
Regulatory information

Storage:

Temperature, °C -5 to 50
Shelf-life, months 36
(in unopened original packaging)

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