

## Ionac<sup>®</sup> C 249

**IONAC C 249** is a premium grade strongly acidic, gel-type cation exchange resin which meets the most exacting requirements of the industrial water treatment industry. **C 249** is a bead form, standard crosslinked, styrene divinylbenzene resin, which has excellent stability and operating characteristics. C 249 assures compliance with FDA regulation CFR21 173.25 and is also available in the hydrogen form ( **IONAC C 267** ).

### Ionac C 249 applications\*:

softening, demineralization, condensate polishing

### Typical physical and chemical properties\*\*

		US Units		International Units	
Ionic form as shipped			Na <sup>+</sup>		Na <sup>+</sup>
Bead size		US mesh	16 - 40	mm	0.35 - 1.0
Effective Size		mm	0.47 +- 0.06	mm	0.47 +- 0.06
Shipping weight		lbs/ft <sup>3</sup>	52	g/l	832
Density				ca. g/l	1.28
Water retention		% weight	45 - 48	%	45 - 48
Total capacity, min.		kgr CaCO <sub>3</sub> / ft <sup>3</sup>	44	eq/l	2
Volume change	Na <sup>+</sup> >> H <sup>+</sup>	max. %	5	max. %	5
Stability	temperature range	°F	14 - 280	°C	-10 - 140
	pH range		0 - 14		0 - 14
Storability	of product	min years	2	min. years	2
	temperature range	°F	34 - 104	°C	1 - 40

Appropriate literature has been assembled which provides information concerning the health and safety precautions that must be observed when handling Ionac C249. Before working with this product, you must read and become familiar with the available information on its hazards, proper use, and handling. This cannot be overemphasized. Information is available in several forms, e.g., material safety data sheets and product labels. Consult your Sybron Chemicals Inc. representative or contact Bayer's Product Safety and Regulatory Affairs Department in Pittsburgh, PA.

\*As with any product, use of the products mentioned in this publication in a given application must be tested (including field testing, etc.) in advance by the user to determine suitability.

\*\*These items are provided as general information only. They are approximate values and are not part of the product specifications.

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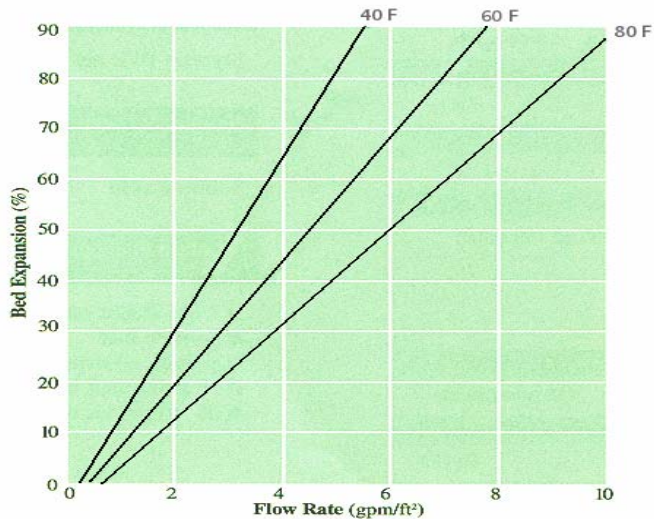
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## Recommended Operating Parameters

		US Units		International Units	
Operating Temperature		max. °F	280	max. °C	140
Operating pH-range			0 - 14		0 - 14
Bed Depths		min. ft	2	min. mm	610
Pressure Drop			see chart		see chart
Max. adm. Pressure drop		psi	40	kPa	280
Surface Flow Rate	exhaustion	gpm/ft <sup>2</sup>	2 - 20	m/h	5 - 50
	backwash	gpm/ft <sup>2</sup>	see chart	m/h	see chart
Bulk Flow Rate	exhaustion	gpm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1 - 6	BV/h	8 - 48
Bed Expansion		%	50 - 65	%	50 - 65
Freeboard	% of bed depth	%	65 - 75	%	65 - 75
Regenerant	type		NaCl    KCl		NaCl    KCl
	level	lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	3 - 20    5 - 20	g/l	48 - 320    80 - 320
	concentration	%	8 - 13    8 - 13	%	8 - 13    8 - 13
Surface Flow Rate	regeneration	gpm/ft <sup>2</sup>	0.4 - 4    0.4 - 4	m/h	1 - 10    1 - 10
	rinsing, slow / fast	gpm/ft <sup>2</sup>	0.4 - 4    /    2 - 20	m/h	1 - 10    /    5 - 50
Bulk Flow Rate	regeneration	gpm/ft <sup>3</sup>	0.3 - 1    0.3 - 1	BV/h	2.5 - 8    2.5 - 8
	rinsing, slow / fast	gpm/ft <sup>3</sup>	0.3 - 1    /    1 - 6	BV/h	2.5 - 8    /    8 - 48
Rinsing Water Requirement	slow / fast	gals./ft <sup>3</sup>	7 - 15    /    14 - 40	BV	1 - 2    /    2 - 5

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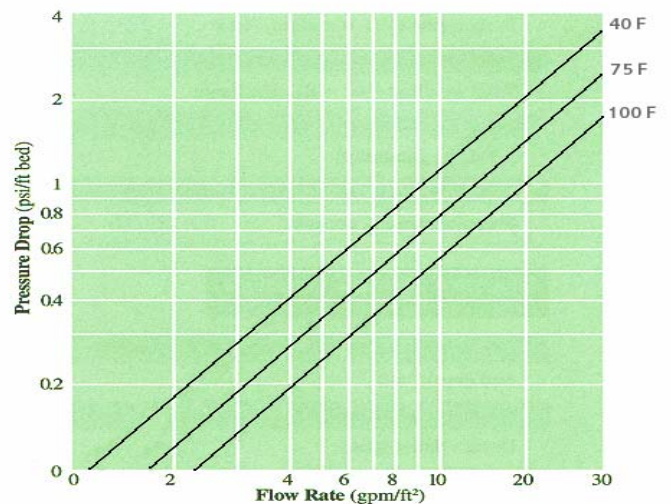
### Bed Expansion Curve



$$^{\circ}\text{C} = 5 / 9 ( ^{\circ}\text{F} - 32 )$$

$$\text{m} = \text{ft} * 0.3048$$

### Pressure Loss Curve



$$\text{kPa} = \text{psi} * 7.03$$

$$\text{m} / \text{hr} = \text{gpm} / \text{sq.ft.} * 2.44$$

Note: The information contained in this bulletin is current as of April 2003. Please contact Sybron Chemicals Inc. to determine whether this publication has been revised.

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