

GA-501

Gel Strong Base Anion Exchange Resin

Product Description & Applications

G-ion GA-501 is a Type I, gel strong-base anion exchange resin based on acrylic-dvb copolymer, supplied in Chloride form. It is ideally suited for all demineralization applications, where the water temperatures do not exceed 40 °C (95 °F).

G-ion GA-501 is highly recommended for use in multiple and mixed bed demineralizers, wherever complete ion removal and organic fouling resistance is required.

G-ion GA-501 is also used for Organic Removal and Tannin & Color Removal.

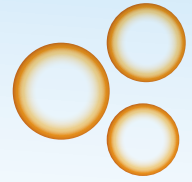


Typical Physical & Chemical Characteristics

Polymer Matrix Structure	Acrylic Crosslinked with DVB
Functional Group	R-N-(CH ₃) ₃ +X
Ionic Form, as shipped	Chloride (Cl ⁻)
Physical Form And Appearance	Clear Spherical Beads
Puerility	95% min.
Screen Size Range-U.S. Standard Screen	16-50 mesh, wet
Particle Size Range	0.315-1.25mm
Uniformity Coefficient	1.6 max.
Water Retention, Na ⁺ form	43-48%
Swelling Na ⁺ H ⁺ → Ca ²⁺ → Na ⁺	10% max. 5% max.
Shipping Weight, Na ⁺ form	780-880 g/l (51 lbs/cu.ft, approx.)
Total Exchange Capacity, Na ⁺ form	2.0 eq/l min.
pH Range	0-14

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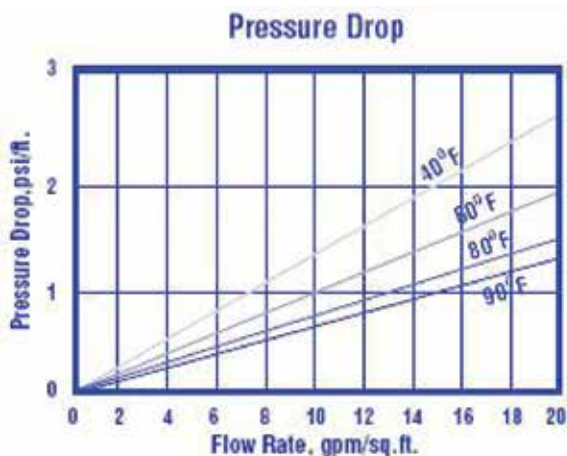
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Suggested operating conditions

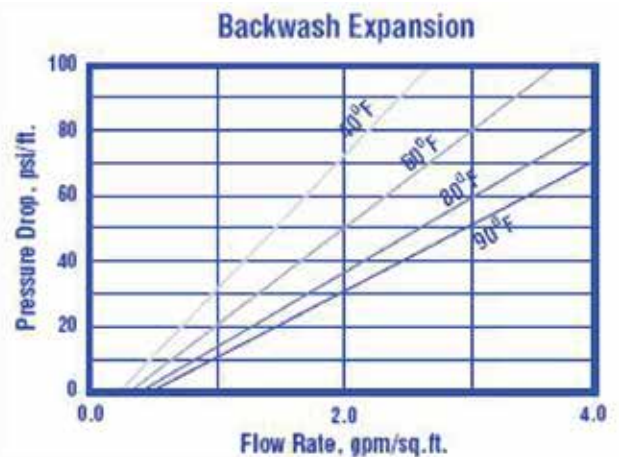
Maximum Temperature	Na ⁺ form	120°C (248°F) max.
	H ⁺ form	100°C (212°F) max.
Minimum Bed Depth		0,6 m (24 inches)
Backwash Rate		25-50% Bed Expansion
Regeneration	Sodium Cycle	8-20% NaCl
	Hydrogen Cycle	10% HCl, 2-8% H ₂ SO ₄
	Flow Rate	2 to 7 BV/h (0,25 to 0,90 gpm/cu.ft)
	Contact Time	At least 30 Minutes
Displacement Rinse Rate		Same as Regenerant Flow Rate
Displacement Rinse Volume		10 -15 gallons/cu.ft
Fast Rinse Rate		Same as Service Flow Rate
Fast Rinse Volume		35-60 gallons/cu.ft
Service Flow Rate		4-8 BV/h (1.0-5.0 gpm/cu.ft)

Hydraulic properties



Pressure Drop:

The graph above shows the expected pressure loss per foot of bed depth as a function of flow rate at various Temperatures.



Backwash:

After each cycle the resin bed should be backwashed at a rate that expands the bed 50 to 75 percent. That will remove any foreign matter and reclassify the bed. The graph above shows the expansion characteristics of Pure G-ion GA-501 in the sodium form.