



**RESINTECH WACG-HP** is a hydrogen form gel weak acid cation resin. *WACG-HP* has exceptionally high capacity and can be regenerated at close to 100% acid efficiency. *WACG-HP* is intended for all hydrogen cycle dealkalizer applications, as a component resin in demineralizers, and for metals removal in waste treatment applications (when ordered in the sodium form). *ResinTech WACG-HP* is available in the hydrogen form, in the buffered form for potable water applications (when ordered as WACG-HP), and in the sodium form (when ordered as WACG-HP-Na).



WQA Gold Seal Certified when ordered as WACG-HP

## **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

## HIGH CAPACITY

Over 90 kilograins per cubic foot total capacity

## HIGH REGENERATION EFFICIENCY

Carboxylic functional groups yield high operating capacities and almost 100% regeneration efficiency

## SUPERIOR PHYSICAL STABILITY

93% plus sphericity and high crush strengths together with carefully controlled particle distribution provides long life and low pressure drop

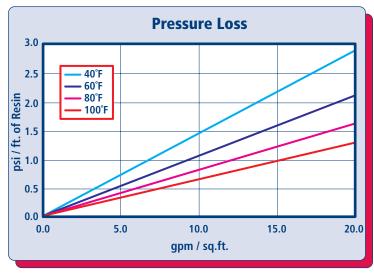
## CONTROLLED PARTICLE SIZE

16 to 50 mesh size provides a low pressure drop and superior kinetics

## COMPLIES WITH US FDA REGULATIONS

Conforms to paragraph 21CFR173.25 of the Food Additives Regulations of the US FDA

## **HYDRAULIC PROPERTIES**





## **PRESSURE LOSS**

The graph above shows the expected pressure loss of *ResinTech WACG-HP* per foot of bed depth as a function of flow rate at various temperatures.

#### BACKWASH

The graph above shows the expansion characteristics of *ResinTech WACG-HP* as a function of flow rate at various temperatures.

# RESINTECH® WACG-HP

## **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Polymer	Structure	Acrylic/DVB

Polymer Type Gel

Functional Group Carboxylic acid
Physical Form Spherical beads
Ionic Form as shipped Hydrogen

**Total Capacity** 

Hydrogen form >4.0 meq/mL Sodium form >2.0 meq/mL

Water Retention

Hydrogen form 43 to 60 percent

**Approximate Shipping Weight** 

Hydrogen form 48 lbs./cu.ft.
Sodium form 48 lbs./cu.ft.
Swelling, H to Na 80 to 100 percent

Screen Size Distribution (U.S. mesh) 16 to 50

Maximum Fines Content (<50 mesh) 1 percent

Minimum Sphericity 93 percent

Uniformity Coefficient 1.7 approx.

Resin Color White to Tan

Note: Physical properties can be certified on a per lot basis, available upon request

## SUGGESTED OPERATING CONDITIONS

Maximum continuous temperature

Hydrogen form 212°F Sodium form 180°F Minimum bed depth 30 inches

Backwash expansion 25 to 50 percent

Minimum operating pH >5 SU

**Regenerant Concentration** 

Hydrogen cycle
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O.8 to 8 percent H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>
Regenerant level
Approx 120% of theoretical

Regenerant flow rate 0.3 to 1.5 gpm/cu.ft.

Regenerant contact time >30 minutes

Displacement flow rate

Displacement volume

To to 15 gallons/cu.ft.

Same as dilution water

10 to 15 gallons/cu.ft.

Same as service flow

Rinse volume

35 to 60 gallons/cu.ft.

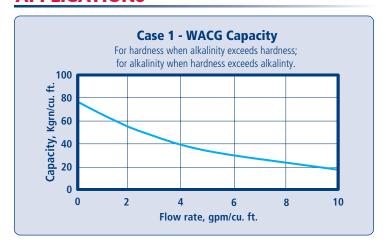
Service flow rate

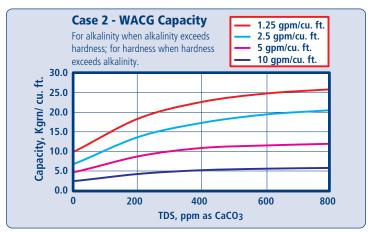
1 to 5 gpm/cu.ft.

Note: These guidelines describe average low risk operating conditions. They are not intended to be absolute minimums or maximums.

For operation outside these guidelines, contact ResinTech Technical Support

# **APPLICATIONS**





Resin capacity is affected by flow rate and temperature. No engineering downgrade has been applied.

## **DEALKALIZER**

RESINTECH WACG-HP (H form) removes hardness from water by neutralizing alkalinity from HCO $_3$  to CO $_2$ . The carbon dioxide can then be removed in a degassifier. For complete removal of hardness, a strong acid cation type softener is needed. For complete conversion of HCO $_3$  alkalinity to CO $_2$ , a hydrogen form cation may be needed.

## **HIGH TDS SOFTENING**

RESINTECH WACG-HP can be operated as a softener in the sodium cycle. Selectivity for hardness compared to sodium is 5 to 10 times higher than conventional softening resins. Regeneration requires acid followed by caustic, salt can not be used. Sodium form weak acid resins can be used to soften high TDS waters up to approximately 50,000 ppm.

#### **METALS REMOVAL**

WACG-HP-Na has higher selectivity for divalent transition metals as compared to hardness ions.

CAUTION: DO NOT MIX ION EXCHANGE RESIN WITH STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS. Nitric acid and other strong oxidizing agents can cause explosive reactions when mixed with organic materials, such as ion exchange resins.

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