

DuPont™ AmberTec™ UP252 H Ion Exchange Resin

Macroporous, Strong Acid Cation Exchange Resin for Mixed Bed Demineralization
Applications for the Semiconductor Industry

Description

DuPont™ AmberTec™ UP252 H Ion Exchange Resin is a semiconductor-grade, macroporous, strong acid cation. Due to the very high quality of the raw materials and the cleaning procedure carried out at the end of the manufacturing process, this resin can be used as a component of mixed beds for the production of ultrapure water. In this application, AmberTec™ UP252 H is designed to be paired with anionic AmberTec™ UP900 OH Ion Exchange Resin.



Resin Pairings

Recommended pairing:

- AmberTec™ UP900 OH Ion Exchange Resin (macroporous)

Applications

- Regenerable, primary mixed beds after reverse osmosis

Historical Reference

AmberTec™ UP252 H Ion Exchange Resin has previously been sold as AmberLite™ UP252 H Ion Exchange Resin.

Typical Properties

Physical Properties

Copolymer	Styrene-divinylbenzene
Matrix	Macroporous
Type	Strong acid cation
Functional Group	Sulfonic acid
Physical Form	Gray, opaque, spherical beads

Chemical Properties

Ionic Form as Shipped	H ⁺
Total Exchange Capacity	≥ 1.70 eq/L (H ⁺ form)
Water Retention Capacity	52.0 – 58.0% (H ⁺ form)

Particle Size §

Particle Diameter	600 – 800 µm
Uniformity Coefficient	≤ 1.60
< 300 µm	≤ 0.1%

Ultrapure Water Performance

ΔTOC at 2h00 Rinse	≤ 10 ppb C
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Density

Shipping Weight	800 g/L
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§ For additional particle size information, please refer to the [Particle Size Distribution Cross Reference Chart](#) (Form No. 45-D00954-en).

Suggested Operating Conditions

Temperature Range (H ⁺ form)	5 – 60°C (41 – 140°F)
pH Range (Stable)	0 – 14

For additional information regarding recommended minimum bed depth, operating conditions, and regeneration conditions for **mixed beds** (Form No. 45-D01127-en) or **separate beds** (Form No. 45-D01131-en) in water treatment, please refer to our Tech Facts.

Hydraulic Characteristics

Estimated bed expansion of DuPont™ AmberTec™ UP252 H Ion Exchange Resin as a function of backwash flowrate and temperature is shown in Figure 1.

Estimated pressure drop for AmberTec™ UP252 H as a function of service flowrate and temperature is shown in Figure 2. These pressure drop expectations are valid at the start of the service run with clean water and a well-classified bed.

Figure 1: Backwash Expansion

Temperature = 10 – 60°C (50 – 140°F)

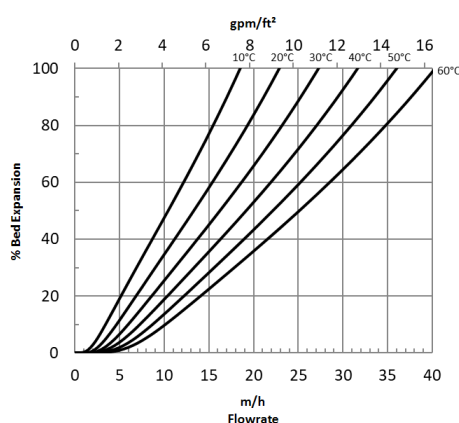
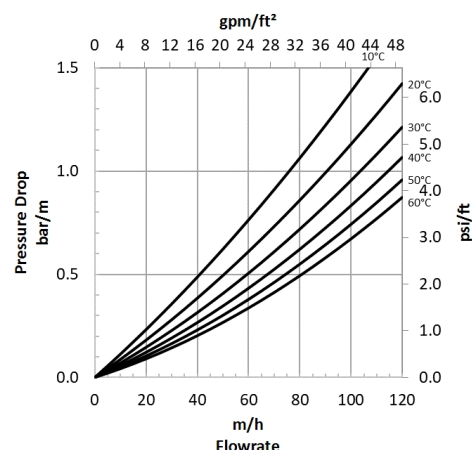


Figure 2: Pressure Drop

Temperature = 10 – 60°C (50 – 140°F)



Quality Assurance

AmberTec™ UP252 H Ion Exchange Resin is tested by DuPont for resistivity, total organic carbon (TOC), and kinetic performance in a mixed bed with AmberTec™ UP900 OH Ion Exchange Resin. Applying the prescribed quality assurance test procedure ensures that all batches will meet stringent ultrapure water (UPW) performance requirements on these most critical parameters.

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Please be aware of the following:

- **WARNING:** Oxidizing agents such as nitric acid attack organic ion exchange resins under certain conditions. This could lead to anything from slight resin degradation to a violent exothermic reaction (explosion). Before using strong oxidizing agents, consult sources knowledgeable in handling such materials.



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