PRODUCT DATA



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## RA-800 COMPOUND

**RichardsApex RA-800 CPD** is a water-miscible nonferrous wire drawing lubricant recommended for drawing a universal range of sizes from rod to intermediate to fine wire. **RA-800** can be used to draw, bare, tinned, and silver plated copper wire in single, multi-wire, and fine wire machines. It is also suitable for use as a quenching fluid when used with an appropriate passivating additive.

## **BENEFITS:**

- Superior stability in a range of water qualities
- Excellent lubricity with minimum plate out
- Ability to draw rod to fine wire with a single lubricant
- Effective cleanliness and detergency of your system
- Low foaming at all concentrations

## **RECOMMENDED USES:**

| Copper and Copper Alloy Wire | Concentration (Babcock) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Rod and Heavy Wire           | 6-10%                   |
| Intermediate Size            | 4 - 7%                  |
| Fine Size                    | 1 - 3%                  |
| Continuous Annealing         | 0.5 - 1%                |
| TYPICAL SPECIFICATIONS:      |                         |

| Specific Gravity      | 0.93 kg/l   |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| pH of a 3% solution   | 9.5         |
| Operating Temperature | 35° to 45°C |