

# ARCTIC™ 3% AFFF FOAM CONCENTRATE

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## Description

ARCTIC™ 3% AFFF foam concentrate from SOLBERG® is a synthetic foam concentrate used to effectively extinguish Class B hydrocarbon fuel fires at 3% solution. ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam provides rapid extinguishment and excellent burn back characteristics and can be used with fresh, salt and brackish water.

## Application

ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate can be applied to Class B hydrocarbon fuel fires. It is not intended for use on Class B polar solvent fuels. The foam concentrate can be used to prevent re-ignition of a liquid spill and control hazardous odors. Foam discharge devices such as non-air aspirating, as well as, air aspirating equipment, including standard fire sprinkler heads, can be used to obtain maximum results. The product is mixed 3 parts foam concentrate to 97 parts water. It may also be used as a 3% pre-mix solution. ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate is compatible with most powder (dry chemical) agents.

## Performance

### Fire Performance

ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate has been tested to and meets the fire performance test criteria

of Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. (UL) Standard 162 (latest edition) and European Standard EN 1568 Parts 3 (latest edition).

### Foam Proportioning

ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate can be proportioned at the proper foam solution percentage using most common proportioning devices such as:

- Eductors
- Inline balance pressure proportioners
- Ratio controllers
- Self-inducting nozzles

### Storage

The temperature range for ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate is 1.7° C to 49° C (35° F to 120° F).

When stored in original containers or in manufacturer recommended equipment and within the specified temperature range, the shelf life is 20 years.

### Compatibility

ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate should not be mixed with other foam concentrates. For questions about compatibility or mixing of foam concentrates, consult Solberg Technical Services.

## Typical Physical Properties at 25°C (77°F)

Appearance:	Clear, light yellow liquid
Freezing Point:	-2.2° C (28° F) <i>(No quality loss after thawing)</i>
Maximum storage temp:	49° C (120° F)
pH:	7.0 - 8.5
Refractive index:	1.3548 - 1.3598
Specific gravity:	1.009 - 1.049
Viscosity:	1.7 - 3.7 cSt*
Sediments:	None

\* Cannon-Fenske Viscometer

## Materials of Construction Compatibility

ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate is compatible with multiple materials of construction such as carbon steel, stainless steel, brass, polyethylene and PVC. Galvanized steel should not be used in direct contact with the foam concentrate. For questions about material compatibility, consult Solberg Technical Services.

## Inspection

ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate or pre-mix solutions should be inspected annually per National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Standards 11 and 25. A sample of the foam concentrate should be sent to the manufacturer for quality conditioning testing in accordance to NFPA 11.



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**Environmental Information**

ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate complies with the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Stewardship Program—2015 Requirements.

**Certifications**

SOLBERG manufactured products are thoroughly inspected and

undergo rigorous quality control tests. These evaluations analyze the foam’s physical parameters and finished product’s fire performance.

A Certificate of Analysis (CoA) is issued with every batch.

ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate is Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. Listed in accordance with UL 162 (Standard for Safety for Foam

Equipment and Liquid Concentrates), and Approved to European Standard EN 1568 Part 3.

**Ordering Information**

ARCTIC 3% AFFF foam concentrate is available in pails, drums, totes and bulk quantities.

PART NO.	DESCRIPTION	APPROXIMATE SHIPPING WEIGHT	APPROXIMATE CUBE
20140	ARCTIC 3% AFFF, 20 litre (5 gallon) pail	21 kg (45 lb)	0.04 m <sup>3</sup> (1.25 ft <sup>3</sup> )
20141	ARCTIC 3% AFFF, 200 litre (55 gallon) drum	224 kg (495 lb)	0.33 m <sup>3</sup> (11.83 ft <sup>3</sup> )
20142	ARCTIC 3% AFFF, 1000 litre (265 gallon) tote	1118 kg (2465 lb)	1.42 m <sup>3</sup> (50.05 ft <sup>3</sup> )
20143	ARCTIC 3% AFFF, bulk	Call Customer Services	

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