

# Sorb family of solid chemicals

Offer long-lasting flow assurance

## Applications

- Producing oil and gas wells

## Features and Benefits

- Produces back at relatively constant rates unlike liquid inhibitors
  - Works on produced fluids before reaching the near-wellbore area, where pressure and/or temperature changes promote deposition
- Desorbs slowly; residual Sorb chemicals have appeared in production fluids at effective levels for four years after pumping
  - Carefully tested for compatibility with formation and stimulation fluids before use
- Allows two or more Sorb chemical products to be combined in treatments designed to solve multiple problems simultaneously with the use of the Baker Hughes **MultiSorb™ technology**
  - Active chemical systems include scale, paraffin, asphaltene, salt, and corrosion inhibitors as well as biocides



The Baker Hughes **Sorb™ family of solid specialty chemicals** safely and efficiently inhibits downhole deposition or tubular damage with slow-releasing and longlasting chemicals applied to a solid substrate and pumped deep into the formation. This means the chemical treatment begins before produced fluids reach the sensitive areas where temperature or pressure changes commonly cause flow-assurance and corrosion problems.

## Alternative Approaches

- Repeatedly squeezing liquid chemicals into the formation
- Continuously injecting liquid chemicals into the well
- Batch treating liquid chemicals into the well
- Pumping liquid inhibitors with a stimulation treatment

## The Sorb Additive Solution

- Compatible chemicals are adsorbed onto a dry, granular substrate
- Solid material is pumped with proppant in a stimulation treatment and becomes integral to propped fracture
- Active chemical slowly desorbs as the well produces



1% by weight ScaleSorb particles with 20/40 mesh proppant

Sorb Family of Solid inhibitors	Maximum Temperature	Bulk Density	Specific Gravity Range at 60°F	Packaging	Application
ParaSorb™ 5013	300°F (149°C)	28 to 35 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.5 to 1.7 g/cc	50-lb bags	Paraffin
ParaSorb 5000	400°F (204°C)	28 to 33 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.7 to 1.9 g/cc	50-lb bags	Paraffin
ParaSorb EL 5000	300°F (149°C)	26 to 32 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.5 to 1.8 g/cc	50-lb bags	Paraffin
ParaSorb 5005	300°F (149°C)	37 to 45 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.7 to 1.9 g/cc	50-lb bags	Paraffin
ScaleSorb™ 3	325°F (165°C)	37 to 45 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.7 to 1.9 g/cc	25-lb pails/50-lb bags	General
ScaleSorb 4	220°F (104°C)	37 to 45 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.7 to 1.9 g/cc	25-lb pails/50-lb bags	Barium
ScaleSorb 6	325°F (165°C)	37 to 45 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.7 to 1.9 g/cc	25-lb pails/50-lb bags	General
ScaleSorb 8	500°F (260°C)	37 to 45 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.7 to 1.9 g/cc	25-lb pails/50-lb bags	High temperature
ScaleSorb 12	350°F (177°C)	37 to 45 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.7 to 1.9 g/cc	25-lb pails/50-lb bags	High iron
CorrSorb™ 3600	225°F (107°C)	28 to 33 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.2 to 1.6 g/cc	50-lb bags	Corrosion
CorrSorb HT	400°F (204°C)	37 to 45 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.2 to 1.6 g/cc	50-lb bags	Corrosion
AsphaltSorb™ 1200	300°F (149°C)	30 to 34 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.9 to 2.1 g/cc	25-lb pails	Asphaltene
BioSorb™ 1250	275°F (135°C)	37 to 43 lbm/ft <sup>3</sup>	1.4 to 1.7 g/cc	30-lb pails	Biocide