

SAWDUST



SAWDUST consists of a mix of heat-treated, recycled and kiln-dried white wood with a ratio of up to 50:50. The moisture content is between 5-12%. SAWDUST is hammer-mill processed and screened. SAWDUST is primarily used to combat lost circulation in water-based muds and as an organic absorbent in the event of oil spills.

Application

SAWDUST can be used as a plugging agent during lost circulation events.
SAWDUST can be used to solidify waste solids for easier disposal.

Advantages

- Swells, bridges and seals fractures and permeable lost circulation zones
- Can be mixed with other LCM material to formulate LCM pills
- Inert, does not react with drilling fluid additives.

Typical Usages

Typical Amounts of SAWDUST to Add		
Drilling Application	bags/100gal	bags/m ³
LCM Pills	4 - 6	10 - 15
Seepage	As Needed	

Properties

Physical Appearance	Beige to yellow wood fibers
Solubility	Insoluble
Odor	Pine

Packaging

SAWDUST is packaged in 15-lb (7.3-kg) multi-wall bags with 75 bags per pallet