

Features & Benefits

Vitroflux A is produced from carefully selected and concentrated petalite, which is a natural lithium aluminium silicate (q Li[AlSi4O10]).

The standardised quality of **Vitroflux A** is guaranteed by means of an ISO 9001 certified quality management plan. The raw materials and production are closely monitored to ensure a constant quality with regard to its chemical composition and grain size.

Vitroflux A is a lithium aluminium silicate. The strong fluxing properties of lithium make it possible to reduce the thermal expansion of glazes. Replacing soda in glass batches by **Vitroflux A** increases both the working range as well as the quality of the glass. Thermal shock resistant ceramic bodies can be produced because **Vitroflux A** reduces the thermal expansion.

Granulometric Data & Physical Characteristics

Mean values. These do not represent a specification.

		A 38	A 75	A 180	Method
+ 180 µm	%			3	Alpine air jet
+ 75 μm	%		3	25	Alpine air jet
+ 38 µm	%	3	25	50	Alpine air jet
Moisture	%	0.3	0.3	0.3	ISO 787/2
Density	g/cm ³	2.4	2.4	2.4	He-pyknometer
Loose apparent density	g/cm ³	075	0.85	1.0	ISO 787/11
Tapped apparent density	g/cm ³	1.15	1.25	1.40	ISO 787/11
Hardness	Mohs	6.0	6.0	6.0	Moh's scale

Chemical Analysis

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Weight %		Method	
Li ₂ O	4.2	XRF	
AI_2O_3	16.7	XRF	
SiO ₂	76.8	XRF	
Na ₂ O	0.5	XRF	
K ₂ O	0.4	XRF	
MgO	0.05	XRF	
CaO	0.25	XRF	
Fe ₂ O ₃	0.04	XRF	
MnO	0.01	XRF	
L.O.I	1.0	1000 °C, 1 hour	

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