

# **Why QS50?**

Cryotech QS50 is the optimal blend of sodium acetate and sodium formate for solid performance. This ideal blend quickly activates, with strong hold over times, storage stability and low tracking.

## **BENEFITS**

- Works longer, requiring fewer applications with better storage stability than sodium formate
- Applies easily with same equipment as other solid deicers
- Complimentary customer training upon request

## **PERFORMANCE**

- Low tracking
- Starts quickly to melt ice efficiently, especially in dry climate areas
- Extended hold over time on pavement surface compared to other blends
- Active to low temperatures 0°F (-18°C)

#### **ENVIRONMENT**

- Biodegrades at low temperatures
- Low toxicity to fish and mammals
- Low BOD/COD

## **APPLICATION**

- Deicing apply in uniform patterns:
  - On thin ice, near freezing, typically start at 5-7 lbs/1000 ft<sup>2</sup> (25-35 g/m<sup>2</sup>).
  - At very cold temperatures, ( <10°F, -12°C) or on thick bonded ice, it may be necessary to increase the rate as high as 10-25 lbs/1000 ft $^2$  (50-75 g/m $^2$ )
- Re-apply when new accumulation shows first tendency to bond
- Plow once bond is broken
- Prewetting airports and pavement users may apply Cryotech E36® and CF7®, respectively, to QS50 at spreader outlet at a rate of 10% by weight



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# **PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS**

COMPOSITION	APPEARANCE	BULK DENSITY
50% Anhydrous Sodium Acetate 50% Sodium Formate	Combination of granular NaFormate and spherical NAAC with a light coating of environmentally preferred blue colorant.	51 to 55 lb/ft³ (0.8 to 0.9 g/cm³)
TYPICAL pH	PACKAGING	HANDLING
11 to 11.9 in a 15% aqueous solution	<ul> <li>55 lbs (25 kg) poly bags - 40 bag minimum</li> <li>2205 lbs (1000 kg) Super Sacks - 1 super sack minimum</li> <li>Bulk - 20 metric ton minimum</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Store in original container</li> <li>Avoid excess moisture which may cause caking</li> <li>Preserve integrity by not overhandling</li> <li>Apply with the same equipment as common solid deicers</li> </ul>