

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# Sika® FerroGard®-500 Crete

### Activating Mortar for Sika® FerroGard® Galvanic Anode Systems

#### DESCRIPTION

The Sika® FerroGard®-500 Crete is a 1-part, pre-mixed mortar packaged in a sealant cartridge. The Sika® FerroGard®-500 Crete mortar is used in the installation of the galvanic Sika® FerroGard® Patch and Sika® FerroGard® Patch CC anode units. The cure time and physical properties have been designed to simplify installation and optimise performance.

#### USES

Sika® FerroGard®-500 Crete may only be used by experienced professionals.

- Sika® FerroGard®-500 Crete optimises the performances of Sika® FerroGard® Patch and Sika® FerroGard® Patch CC anodes.

#### CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Specially formulated for application
- Pre-mixed for ease of use
- Single component
- Simple installation
- Long shelf life
- Eliminates inconsistency associated with on-site mixing of mortars
- Minimal site labour requirement reduces costs
- Absence of site batching minimises waste

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

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| <b>Composition</b>         | Slaked lime, water, inorganic fillers  |
| <b>Packaging</b>           | 380 ml cartridge, 20 units per box   |
| <b>Appearance / Colour</b> | Light grey paste   |
| <b>Shelf life</b>          | 12 months from date of production  |
| <b>Storage conditions</b>  | Product must be stored in original, unopened and undamaged sealed packaging in dry conditions at temperatures between +5 °C and +30 °C. Always refer to packaging. |

#### SYSTEMS

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| <b>System structure</b> | Ancillary products: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Sika® FerroGard® Patch and Sika® FerroGard® Patch CC anodes</li> <li>▪ Monitoring equipment</li> <li>▪ Reference Anode Sika® FerroGard® MN 15 RE</li> </ul> |
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#### APPLICATION INFORMATION

Ambient air temperature +5 °C min.

Substrate temperature +5 °C min.

## BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA

All technical data stated in this Product Data Sheet are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

## IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

The Sika® FerroGard®-500 Crete must not be applied at temperatures below 5 °C.

## ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY

For information and advice on the safe handling, storage and disposal of chemical products, users shall refer to the most recent Safety Data Sheet (SDS) containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

## APPLICATION

After the necessary anode hole preparation, prepare the end of the mortar cartridge before or after inserting into the sealant gun then fit the nozzle. The Sika® FerroGard®-500 Crete is applied into the prepared holes prior to installation of anodes to ensuring no air entrapment occurs within the mortar matrix. Reference must be made to the appropriate Product Data Sheet and Method Statement for application of anodes into the mortar.

## LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Please note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data for this product may vary from country to country. Please consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact product data.

## LEGAL NOTES

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