

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Sika® Plastiment®-55

WR-WATER REDUCING ADMIXTURE

DESCRIPTION

Sika® Plastiment®-55 is a special formulated water reducing admixture based on selected polycarboxylate ethers, which provides a cost effective solution in achieving water reduction.

USES

Sika® Plastiment®-55 is used to improve the efficiency of the water content in concrete mixes to achieve increased workability without loss of strength or to increase strength without loss of workability. It can be used for pumped and structural concrete. Sika® Plastiment®-55 is the ideal product for burnished finish concrete flooring.

CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Improve workability and finishability
- Ideal product for slump up to 120 mm
- Easier and quicker placing and compaction
- The water reduction properties as well as the dispersion characteristic enhance the strength gained at all ages
- Enhances a consistent and controlled bleeding rate through water reduction and mix cohesivness
- Sika® Plastiment®-55 enables concrete to achieve internal cohesiveness with improved placement properties
- Higher dosage rates deliver proportional setting time delay
- Sika[®] Plastiment[®]-55 delivers excellent finishing in slab and flooring concrete

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Selected copolymers in aqueous solution
Packaging	Bulk deliveries 1000 L IBC 10 L container
Shelf life	Stored at temperatures between 5°C and 35°C in unopened original containers protected from direct sunlight, shelf life is 12 months.
Storage conditions	Store at temperatures between 5°C and 35°C , protected from direct sunlight.
Appearance and colour	Dark grey liquid
Recommended dosage	Recommended dosage is 400 ml \pm 100 ml per 100 kg of total cementitious material. This dosage can be increased to 800 ml 100 kg of total cementitious material to improve water reduction and increase setting time. Optimum dosage should be determined by site trials with the particular mix design and materials.
Dispensing	Sika® Plastiment®-55 is added with the batching water. Never add to a dry mix.
Compatibility	Sika® Plastiment®-55 can be used in conjunction with all the Sika Concrete

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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.

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.

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.

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