

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaMix Mortar Plasticiser

Plasticising and air entraining agent for bricklaying and pointing mortars, screeds and renders

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

SikaMix Mortar Plasticiser is a ready to use plasticising and air entraining liquid admixture for mortars and plaster. Increases workability, durability and cohesion of bricklaying mortars, renders and screeds. Its chloride free formula helps prevent corrosion of steel, cracking, shrinkage and efflorescence without affecting setting time.

## USES

- Bricklaying and pointing mortars, renders and screeds.

## CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Increases frost resistance.
- Reduces shrinkage and cracking.
- Reduces efflorescence.
- Improved adhesion.
- Very economical.
- Increases workability and offers greater consistency and plasticity.
- Improved setting time.
- Very ease to use.
- Non corrosive.

## APPROVALS / STANDARDS

Air entraining / plasticising admixture (Table 2) according to EN934-3: 2009 +A1:2012.

Declaration of Performance 53023840, and provided with the CE-mark.

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

Chemical Base	Aqueous solution of surfactants
Packaging	5 L and 25 L Jerry Cans
Shelf Life	12 months from date of manufacture when stored according to the manufacturer's instructions
Storage Conditions	Store in cool dry conditions in original tightly closed containers between +5 and +35 °C. PROTECT FROM FROST.
Density	0.98 - 1.02 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
pH-Value	7.4 - 9.4
Total Chloride Ion Content	<0.1 % w/w

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

Recommended Dosage	125 mL to 250 mL per 50 kg cement, depending on the degree of plasticising/entrainment required.
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## VALUE BASE

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

User must read the most recent corresponding Safety Data Sheets (SDS) before using any products. The SDS provides information and advice on the safe handling, storage and disposal of chemical products and contains physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

### APPLICATION METHOD / TOOLS

- The normal quantity of water should be reduced by at least the same amount of SikaMix Mortar Plasticiser.
- Dosage rates to achieve the desired workability will depend on the class of mortar, temperature, sand quality and cement type. Typically 125 - 250 mL per 50 kg cement added to mix or gauging water.
- Add SikaMix Mortar Plasticiser to some of the clean gauging water. Never add this product straight into the mix.
- Protect all mortars from premature drying.
- SikaMix Mortar Plasticiser can be used with other admixtures but should be added separately.

## LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

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

## LEGAL NOTES

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