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# PRODUCT DATA SHEET SikaCem<sup>®</sup>-135 Intraplast<sup>®</sup>

Aluminium free expanding grout admixture for cementitious injection grout

## DESCRIPTION

SikaCem<sup>®</sup>-135 Intraplast<sup>®</sup> is a ready to mix expanding grout admixture in powder form for injection grouting. It is aluminium free and does not produce hydrogen on reacting with water. It is non-toxic, non-flammable and does not contain chlorides or other ingredients of corrosive nature. It is used to increase fluidity and cohesion in cement grouts (addition of sand is possible) without any segregation and to develop non-shrink property. By introducing micro bubbles into the concrete mix, it produces wet volume expansion and hence is widely used for cable grouting. Suitable for use in hot and tropical climatic conditions.

## USES

SikaCem<sup>®</sup>-135 Intraplast<sup>®</sup> is mainly used for injection and grouting work where tight filling and strong interface bond is required such as for:

- Anchor grouting
- Pre-stressed cable ducts
- Crack injection
- Rock and soil anchoring

**PRODUCT INFORMATION** 

- Pre-placed aggregates
- Tunnel linings
- Bearing plates
- Soil or concrete consolidation
- Pre-cast concrete elements

## **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

The cement grout containing SikaCem<sup>®</sup>-135 Intraplast<sup>®</sup> has following advantages:

- Good compressive and bond strengths
- Improved fluidity
- Increased cohesion
- Volume expansion in the wet state to develop non shrink property
- No chloride or other ingredients of corrosive nature
- Non-toxic and non-flammable
- Prevents premature setting
- Reduces the amount of gauging water
- No bleeding
- Initially retarding
- Free from aluminium powder, no hydrogen produced

Product declaration	Typical mix design of cement grout admixed with SikaCem®-135 Intra- plast® conforms to: • MORTH 5th Revision Appendix 1800/III
Chemical base	Mixture of selected dispersing and expanding agents
Packaging	200 g pouch and 25 kg bag
Shelf life	12 months from date of production
Storage conditions	The product must be stored properly in dry conditions in undamaged and unopened original sealed packaging at temperatures between +5 °C and +35 °C. Protect from direct sunlight, heat and moisture. Any opened pack should be packed properly after use and consumed within one month.
Appearance / Colour Brown powder	

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## **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

Specific Advice	Use Ordinary Portland Cement (OPC)		
Mortar mix design	IMPORTANT Design mixes should always be tested to verify satisfactory performance, specifically as it relates to strength, bleed, flow and segregation.		
	TYPICAL MIX DESIGN		
	OPC (53 grade)	50 kg	
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	Water	19.5	
ndicative performance of mortar mix	IMPORTANT		
	The properties of the injection grout can be significantly influenced by th mixing procedure, cement properties, addition of water, addition of sand and temperatures. For type of application, it is necessary to determine th most suitable procedure by means of preliminary site tests. IMPORTANT Different cement would show different expansion, field testing should be conducted to determine the most effective dosage rate.		
	Property of grout	Value	Standard
	Water : Cement Compressive strength, 7 d, +30 °C, 100 mm cube	0.39 28 N/mm²	
	Compressive strength, 28 d, +30 °C, 100 mm cube	39 N/mm²	IS : 1343
	Initial setting	5.75 h	IS : 4031 Part 5
	Final setting	10.33 h	IS : 4031 Part 5
	Bleeding, 3 h	0.25 %	ASTM C940
	Volume change, 3 h	2.1 %	ASTM C940
	Initial fluidity (Flow cone)	31 s	ASTM C939
	Initial fluidity (Marsh cone, 1 L)	21 s	FIB BULLETIN 20
	Initial fluidity (J <sub>14</sub> fun- nel)	7 s	JSCE-F 541-1999
	Reduction in water con- sumption compared to	4 %	ASTM C939

## **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

Recommended Dosage	0.4 % by weight of cement (200 g per 50 kg bag of cement)
Ambient air temperature	+5 °C min. / +40 °C max.

## **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.

## FURTHER DOCUMENTS

Refer to MORTH 5th Revision Appendix 1800/III

## 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.





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# **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

## MIXING

### IMPORTANT

Typical water-cement ratio 0.35 to 0.45 IMPORTANT

The mortar temperature should not exceed +25 °C. Use chilled water in hot climates for mixing. IMPORTANT

Do not add water to the grout to increase any flowability which has been lost by delayed use of grout. IMPORTANT

For efficient mixing of grouts, use a colloidal mixer. In large volume grouting, install an agitator tank beside the colloidal mixer to hold the grout before grouting. IMPORTANT

Do not add sand when using the product in prestressing.

- 1. Water should be added to the mixer first, followed by Portland-cement and then admixture. Add sand where required.
- 2. Using low speed high shear mechanical stirrer, mix thoroughly as to obtain a uniform, thoroughly blended grout, without excessive temperature increase.

#### APPLICATION

#### IMPORTANT

SikaCem<sup>®</sup>-135 Intraplast<sup>®</sup> is essentially a product for use by specialists working in the field of pre-stressing and grouting techniques.

#### IMPORTANT

All pumps and hose fittings should be absolutely watertight to prevent loss of water and subsequent clogging.

#### IMPORTANT

In order to make maximum use of the expansion, use the mixture within 30 minutes. The batch size must be limited accordingly.

#### IMPORTANT

Do not use as non-shrink admixture for conventionally placed concrete.

#### FORMING

- Where areas to be grouted require forming, forms should be tight and well fitted.
- When using SikaCem<sup>®</sup>-135 Intraplast<sup>®</sup>, expansion of the grout should be restrained in order to produce the highest possible density, bond and strength.
- Top forms should be used where there are open areas. Note: Unformed, exposed grout placements will have substantially lower physical characteristics.



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1. The normal means of placing and pumping of grouting material should be used to ensure a continuous flow.

### **CLEANING OF TOOLS**

Clean all tools and application equipment with water immediately after use. Hardened material can only be mechanically removed.

## LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data and recommended uses for this product may vary from country to country. Consult the local Product Data Sheet for exact product data and uses.

# **LEGAL NOTES**

The information, and, in particular, the recommendations relating to the application and end-use of Sika products, are given in good faith based on Sika's current knowledge and experience of the products when properly stored, handled and applied under normal conditions in accordance with Sika's recommendations. In practice, the differences in materials, substrates and actual site conditions are such that no warranty in respect of merchantability or of fitness for a particular purpose, nor any liability arising out of any legal relationship whatsoever, can be inferred either from this information, or from any written recommendations, or from any other advice offered. The user of the product must test the product's suitability for the intended application and purpose. Sika reserves the right to change the properties of its products. The proprietary rights of third parties must be observed. All orders are accepted subject to our current terms of sale and delivery. Users must always refer to the most recent issue of the local Product Data Sheet for the product concerned, copies of which will be supplied on request.

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