

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Sikament[®]-108 X

Superplasticizing admixture

DESCRIPTION

Sikament[®]-108 X Imparts high workability and allows a large decrease in water content.

USES

Sikament[®]-108 X a superplasticizer for free flowing concrete in floor, slabs, foundations, slender components with dense reinforcement, walls, columns, pavements and other structural and nonstructural elements.

Specially recommended for the following types of concrete:

- High performance concrete
- Ready mixed concrete
- Site batched concrete

PRODUCT INFORMATION

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| Chemical base | Polycarboxylate Ether |
| Packaging | 275 kg |
| Shelf life | 12 months from date of production if stored properly in undamaged unopened, original sealed packaging. |
| Storage conditions | Store in dry conditions at temperatures between +10°C and +40°C. Protect from direct sunlight and frost. |
| Appearance / Colour | Dark Brown Liquid |
| Density | ~1.25 kg/l at 25°C |
| pH-value | ≥ 6 |

CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

Sikament[®]-108 X produces a more uniformly cohesive high quality free flowing concrete. It has following advantages:

- Improved strength and density
- Improved consistence retention
- Improved durability
- Improved water tightness
- Improved surface finish
- Improved cohesion properties

APPROVALS / STANDARDS

IS 9103, ASTM C494

APPLICATION INFORMATION

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| Recommended Dosage | 0.5% to 2.0% by weight of cement. Higher dosage may be used if agreed by engineer and consultant. Actual dosage to be finalised on the basis of site trials. Stir well before use. |
| Dispensing | Sikament®-108 X can be added into the mixing water or directly into the concrete mixer after 50% – 70% of the mixing water has been added. The addition of Sikament®-108 X to dry aggregate or cement is not recommended. To achieve optimum performance a minimum wet mixing time, which is depending on the mixing conditions and the mixer performance, of 60 seconds is recommended. |
| Compatibility | Sikament®-108 X may be combined with many other Sika® products. Compatible with all types of cements and cementitious materials. Important: Always conduct trials before combining products in specific mixes and combinations. |

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

Excessive water addition, overdosing, changes in aggregates properties, cement properties, cementitious materials properties may cause bleeding, segregation issue, workability or setting issues.

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 Material Safety Data Sheet containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

MAINTENANCE

CLEANING

Clean all tools and application equipment with water immediately after use.

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

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