

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

SikaPlast®-2023 NS BD

HIGH EFFICIENT SUPERPLASTICIZER

DESCRIPTION

SikaPlast®-2023 NS BD is a highly effective high range water reducing agent and superplasticizer for free flowing concrete.

USES

SikaPlast®-2023 NS BD a superplasticizer for free flowing concrete in floor, slabs, foundations, slender components with dense reinforcement, walls, columns, pavements and other structural and non structural elements.

Specially recommended for the following types of concrete: A wide range of applications where excellent workability is requested

- High performance concrete
- Ready mix concrete
- Site batched concrete

FEATURES

SikaPlast®-2023 NS BD is a powerful superplasticizer based on advanced technology which gives the following advantages:

- High water reduction.
- Higher strength and density
- Improved cohesion properties
- Improved durability
- Improved water tightness
- Water reduction up to 20-30 % depending on dosage*
- 28 days strength improved by up to 30 %*

* This will depend on dosage and mix design

CERTIFICATES AND TEST REPORTS

Complies with ASTM C494 - 81 type F & G, IS 9103

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Modified Poly Carboxylate Ether (PCE)
Packaging	230 kg, 1000 kg or bulk
Appearance and colour	Light to dark brown liquid
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.
Density	~1.08 ± 0.02 kg/l at 25°C
pH-Value	≥ 6
Total chloride ion content	Nil

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Recommended dosage	Standard dosage will vary from 0.5% to 2% by weight of cement. Exact dosage rates are dependent on the quality of cement, aggregates, water/cement ratio and ambient temperature. Therefore, in many cases it is advisable to carry out trial mixes. Higher dosage may be used if agreed by engineer and consultant. Stir well before use.
Compatibility	SikaPlast®-2023 NS BD 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.

FURTHER DOCUMENTATION

Excessive water addition or overdosing may cause bleeding or segregation. If frozen and / or if precipitation has occurred, SikaPlast®-2023 NS BD may be used after thawing slowly at room temperature and after intensive mixing.

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 INSTRUCTIONS

DISPENSING

SikaPlast®-2023 NS BD 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 SikaPlast®-2023 NS BD 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.

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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