

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaControl®-300 PerFin

# Concrete admixture for improved concrete finishes

### **DESCRIPTION**

SikaControl®-300 PerFin is a liquid concrete admixture for improving finished concrete surfaces by the reduction of pores and blowholes in the concrete surface.

#### **USES**

For the production of high quality fair faced and architectural concrete:

- Structural
- Precast
- High aesthetic surfaces

# **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Reduces air voids in mix
- Reduces blowholes or open pores on the concrete surface
- Improved concrete surface
- No negative effects on the fresh or hardened concrete properties
- Does not contain chlorides
- Suitable for use in reinforced and pre-stressed concrete.

# PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Fatty acid esters
Packaging	200 kg drum
Shelf life	12 months from date of production
Storage conditions	The product must be stored in original, unopened and undamaged sealed packaging in dry conditions at temperatures between +5 °C and +30 °C. Always refer to packaging.
Appearance and colour	Amber liquid
Density	990 kg/m³ (at +20 °C)
pH-Value	~6,0
Total chloride ion content	< 0,10 M-% (chloride-free)
Equivalent sodium oxide	< 1,0 M-%

#### TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Concreting guidance	The standard rules of good concreting practice, concerning production as well as placing are to be followed.  Laboratory trials must be carried out before concreting on site, especially when using a new mix design or producing new concrete components.  Fresh concrete must be cured properly and curing applied as early as possible.
Specific advice	In addition to SikaControl®-300 PerFin, high quality concrete surfaces require: suitable concrete mix design, formwork and mould release agent.

# **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

Recommended dosage	0,2–1,5 % by weight of cement, usually 1 kg/m³
Dispensing	SikaControl®-300 PerFin is added to the gauging water or added with it into the concrete mixer. To achieve the optimum reduction of blowholes a wet mixing time of 90 seconds is recommended.
Compatibility	SikaControl®-300 PerFin may be combined with many other Sika products. Trials must always be carried out before combining products in specific mixes. Contact Sika Technical Services for additional information and any specific 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

- It is not possible to use air entraining agents in combination with SikaControl®-300 PerFin.
- When using SikaControl®-300 PerFin a suitable mix design has to be produced and the local material sources must always be trialled.
- If frozen and/or separation of the product has occurred, SikaControl®-300 PerFin may be used after thawing slowly at room temperature and intensive mixing. Before application, suitability tests must be performed.

#### **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.

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