

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaControl®-650 P SRA

Shrinkage reducing agent in powder form, low VOC

# **DESCRIPTION**

Low VOC shrinkage reducing agent for cementitious dry mortars.

#### **USES**

SikaControl®-650 P SRA is used in cement-based dry mortar systems to decrease the drying shrinkage and to reduce the risk of cracking. SikaControl®-650 P SRA also works against early shrinkage. The product is especially suitable for the following applications:

- Non-shrink grouts
- Dry concrete
- Flowable screeds
- Self-levelling underlayments (SLU)
- Repair mortars

#### **FEATURES**

SikaControl®-650 P SRA reduces the capillary tension of pore water, which is the main cause for drying shrinkage.

The benefits of SikaControl®-650 P SRA include, but are not limited to the following:

- excellent reduction of early and long-term shrinkage
- positive effect on strength development
- low VOC contribution for products according EMI-CODE EC1PLUS
- Minimal influence on the consistency
- Noticeable defoaming effect
- higher solid mortar densities for better durability
- excellent stability in dry mortar formulations

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	polyether on an inorganic carrier
Packaging	20 kg bag, 480 kg per pallet
Shelf life	12 months shelf life from date of production if stored properly in undamaged, unopened, original sealed packaging.
Storage conditions	Dry storage at temperatures up to 35 °C. Protect from direct sunlight.
Appearance and colour	light grey-reddish powder
Bulk density	Approx. 0.45 g/cm³ (tap density)

#### APPLICATION INFORMATION

Recommended dosage	Depending on the application the dosage range of SikaControl®-650 P SRA varies from 0.25 - 1.0 % on total dry mortar weight. At too high dosage, the mixture may lose some consistency. This can be compensated by adding a small amount of ViscoCrete.  Note: Preliminary testing is required to determine the exact dosage for specific conditions. Please contact our Technical Service Department for more information and advice.
Dispensing	SikaControl®-650 P SRA is added to the dry mix. In the case of fine-grain dry mortar mixes, ensure that there is enough mixing time in the dry mortar plant.
Compatibility	SikaControl®-650 P SRA may be combined with most existing redispersible powders, accelerators, retarders and other additives used in dry-mix applications. The efficiency of an air-entraining agent can be influenced by the noticeable defoaming effect.  Important: Always conduct trials before combining products in specific mix designs and contact our Technical Service Department for any additional information and advice concerning specific combinations with other products.

#### **BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA**

All technical data stated in this 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.

## 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 the exact product data and uses.

#### **LEGAL NOTES**

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