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## **PRODUCT DATA SHEET**

# SikaGrout<sup>®</sup>-3500 WP

High performance offshore wind turbine engineered grout

#### DESCRIPTION

SikaGrout®-3500 WP is a 1-part, cementitious, free flowing grout with high early and final strengths. Specifically designed for offshore wind turbine foundation joint filling.

#### USES

Grouted joints on the following foundations:

- Monopiles
- Jackets
- Tripods

SikaGrout®-3500 WP is suitable for the following concrete exposure classes:

X0, XC 1-4, XD 1-3, XS 1-3, XF 1-4, XA 1-2, WA

## **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Rapid strength development
- Long workability
- Good flowability ensuring complete filling of joints
- Good stability including under water
- Volume stable
- Low temperature application

## **APPROVALS / CERTIFICATES**

- Applicability of the Fatigue Verification CEB-FIP Model Code 90, fib-Model Code 2010 and DNV-OS-C502, SikaGrout<sup>®</sup>-3500 WP, Leibniz Universität Hannover, Expert's report
- Fatigue Behaviour Under Pure Compression Tested Under Water CEB-FIP Model Code 90, fib-Model Code 2010 and DNV-OS-C502, SikaGrout®-3500 WP, Leibniz Universität Hannover, Expert's report
- Production and Application of Cement Based Grout DAfStb Guideline, SikaGrout®-3500 WP, kiwa, Test report No. 16/0281-1/LA

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## PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Cement, selecte	Cement, selected fillers and aggregates, special additives			
Packaging	25 kg, 1000 kg,	25 kg, 1000 kg, 1500 kg bags			
Appearance / Colour	Grey powder	Grey powder			
Shelf life	12 months from	12 months from date of production			
Storage conditions	aging in dry con	Product must be stored in original, unopened and undamaged sealed pack- aging in dry conditions at temperatures between +5 °C and +30 °C. Always refer to packaging.			
Maximum grain size	D <sub>max</sub> :~ 5 mm	D <sub>max</sub> :~ 5 mm			
TECHNICAL INFORMATI	ON				
Compressive strength	Early strength: class A, to Guideline DAfStb. 100 mm cubes				
	Temperature	Curing Time		(EN 12390)	
		24 hours	28 days		
	+20 °C	> 50 MPa	~115 MPa		
	+5 °C	> 20 MPa			
	+3 °C	> 10 MPa			
	Equivalent to class C 100/115 concrete (150 × 300 cylinders) (EN 206-1				
Shrinkage	Shrinkage class	Shrinkage class SVKB 0 according to DAfStb Guideline			
Expansion	> 0,1 % volume	> 0,1 % volume after 24 hours.			
APPLICATION INFORMA	TION				
Mixing ratio		81–85 L of water for 1000 kg of powder at +20 °C 83–87 L of water for 1000 kg of powder at +2 °C			
Fresh mortar density	~2,3 kg/l	~2,3 kg/l			
Yield	1000 kg of powe	1000 kg of powder yields ~516 litres of mortar			
Layer thickness	50 mm min. / 20	50 mm min. / 200 mm max.			
Flowability	a2 (> 550 mm d	a2 (> 550 mm diameter) after 4 hours (DAfStb 2011)			
Ambient air temperature	+2 °C min. / +30	+2 °C min. / +30 °C max.			

## **BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA**

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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

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~4 hours at temperatures in the range from +2 °C to +30 °C

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. Further notes and information data sheets on product safety and disposal can be found on the Internet at www.sika.de.

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## **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

#### SUBSTRATE QUALITY / PRE-TREATMENT

#### Concrete

The concrete must be structurally sound, thoroughly clean, free from oil, grease, dust, loose material, surface contamination and materials which will impair the grout flow or reduce adhesion strength. Laitance, delaminated, weak, damaged and deteriorated concrete and where necessary sound concrete must be removed by suitable mechanical preparation as directed by the engineer or supervising officer. Any pockets or holes for structural fixings should also be cleaned of all debris.

#### MIXING

SikaGrout®-3500 WP must be mixed using suitable grout mixing equipment combined with agitator for continuous large volume mixing. Volume capacity of equipment must be applicable to the volume of material being mixed for a continuous operation. Equipment trials must be considered to ensure product can be mixed satisfactory.

Pour the minimum water ratio in the correct proportion into the grout mixer. While stirring the water, slowly add the powder to the water. Add more water within the mixing time up to the maximum allowed until the desired consistency is achieved.

Mix continuously for a minimum of 7 minutes until the grout achieves a lump free smooth consistency. Do not add more water than the maximum specified.

#### APPLICATION

Reference must be made to further documentation where applicable, such as relevant method statement, application manual and installation or working instructions.

#### Placing: Grout pump application

Equipment trials must be considered to ensure product can be pumped satisfactory.

#### **CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT**

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 the exact product data and uses.

### **LEGAL NOTES**

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