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PRODUCT DATA SHEET

SikaBiresin® F23

Filled fastcast resin with very good flow behavior

TYPICAL PRODUCT DATA (FURTHER VALUES SEE SAFETY DATA SHEET)

Properties		Component A SikaBiresin® F23	Component B SikaBiresin® F21
Chemical base		Polyol, filled	MDI-based isocyanate, unfilled
Color		Light blue	Brown-transparent
	mixed	Light blue	
Density		1.7 kg/l	1.23 kg/l
	cured	1.7 kg/l	
Mixing ratio	by weight	100 : 15	
Viscosity (CQP029-4)		2800 mPa·s	40 mPa·s
	mixed	1500 mPa·s	
Pot life (CQP021-4)	200 g	7 minutes	
Demolding time		120 minutes	
Curing time	at 23 °C	3 days	
Shore D hardness (CQP023-1 / ISO 868)		80 [A]	
Compressive strength (CQP028-5 / ISO 604)		60 MPa [A]	
Flexural strength (CQP027-2 / ISO 178)		45 MPa [A]	
Flexural modulus (CQP027-2 / ISO 178)		4900 MPa [A]	
Impact resistance (CQP038-2 / ISO 179)		5 kJ/m² [A]	
Linear shrinkage (CQP014-5)	500 x 40 x 10 mm	0.15 % [A]	
Heat deflection temperature (CQP030-1 / ISO 75B)		70 °C [A]	
Shelf life		9 months	12 months

CQP = Corporate Quality Procedure

A) curing condition: 23 °C for 7 days

DESCRIPTION

SikaBiresin® F23 is a filled fast curing 2-component polyurethane system with very good flow behavior.

PRODUCT BENEFITS

- Very good flow behavior
- Low shrinkage
- Easy to mix by hand
- Almost odorless
- Good adhesion to wooden materials
- Very good mechanically workable

AREAS OF APPLICATION

SikaBiresin® F23 is designed for casting of master and core models, negatives and moldings of medium size.
The product is also recommended for high surface quality and mold precision.
This product is suitable for experienced professional users only.

METHOD OF APPLICATION

Surface preparation

The material, processing and mold or master-model temperature shall be between 18 °C and 25 °C.
Make sure the mold or master model is clean, dry, dust and grease free.
If mold or master-model surface is porous, it must be sealed prior applying the release agent.
It is recommended to use wax-based release agents. For further information regarding Sika release agent consult the corresponding Product Data Sheet.

Mixing process

Prior to use check the material for homogeneity and crystallization. After prolonged storage at low temperature, crystallization of components may occur. This process can be easily reversed by heating the affected component to a maximum of 70 °C until the crystals have disappeared. Allow to cool down to requested processing temperature before use.
Consider, pot life is affected by temperature and mixed quantity.
Prior to mixing, component A must be stirred thoroughly.
Prior to mixing, component B must be shaken thoroughly.
Both components must be mixed homogeneously respecting the defined mixing ratio. The mixing can be performed with a spatula or a machine stirrer at ≤ 300 rpm. To secure homogeneous and complete mixing, pour the mixed product into another container and mix again shortly, considering the pot life.

Note: Both containers must be closed tightly immediately after use to prevent moisture ingress.
Once opened the product shall be used as soon as possible.

Application

Immediately after mixing pour the Product into the mold starting at the deepest point.
Demolding time may vary depending on casted thickness and room temperature.

STORAGE CONDITIONS

Both components must be stored at temperature between 15 °C and 25 °C in original unopened containers.

FURTHER INFORMATION

The information herein is offered for general guidance only. Advice on specific applications is available on request from the Technical Department of Sika Industry.
Copies of the following publications are available on request:

- Safety Data Sheets

PACKAGING INFORMATION

SikaBiresin® F23 (A)

Box with tins	6 x 1 kg

SikaBiresin® F21 (B)

Box with bottles	6 x 0.15 kg
Bottle	1.2 kg
Canister	3.75 kg

BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA

All technical data stated in this document are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

HEALTH AND SAFETY INFORMATION

For information and advice regarding transportation, handling, storage and disposal of chemical products, users shall refer to the actual Safety Data Sheets containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

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