



PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Sika® Stabilizer-315 MBF

HIGH-RANGE WATER REDUCING ADMIXTURE FOR MINE BACKFILL

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Sika® Stabilizer-315 MBF is a high-range superplasticizer and water reducing admixture used by the mining industry to improve the performance of cemented paste fills in underground backfill operations. The product is well suited for a range of gold deposits (orogenic, quartz lode hosted gold) and polymetallic base metals deposits (volcanogenic massive sulfide).

WHERE TO USE

Sika® Stabilizer-315 MBF can be used in mining to :

- Enhance workability of the paste fill
- Reduce water and increase solid content of the cemented paste fill
- Improve rheological properties to facilitate mixing and pumping, and increase backfill throughput
- Reduce pumping and line pressure within the reticulation system
- Improve in-situ compressive strengths at the final stage
- Reduce costs by reducing binder content (cement, slag, fly ash)

CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Fast reacting superplasticizing admixture
- High water reduction, resulting in high density and high compressive strength
- High plasticizing effect, resulting in improved flowability and placement
- Reduction of the cement content and associated CO2 emissions
- Does not contain chlorides or any other ingredients which promote the corrosion of steel

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Packaging	1040L IBC Refer to current price list for packaging variations
Shelf Life	12 months from production date
Storage Conditions	This product must be stored in original, unopened and undamaged packaging in dry conditions as temperatures between +10 and +35°C (50 and 95°F). Always refer to packaging
Appearance / Colour	Colorless to yellowish liquid

Density	~1.1 g/cm ³ at 20 °C
Viscosity	ca. 500 mPa.s (23 °C)
Compatibility	Contact your Sika Canada Technical Sales Representative

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Recommended Dosage

The dosage to be used should be estimated by preliminary laboratory testing. The recommended dosage will usually be between 1 and 3% by weight of the total cementitious content. It is suggested that an automated liquid admixture dispensing system adapted to the paste backfill mixing method be used. Start plant trials with a lower dosage than that estimated in the laboratory. If the performance and the system results are satisfactory, continue with this dosage. If performance is unsatisfactory, gradually increase the dosage while continuously monitoring the system until the desired performance is achieved. Do not use a higher dosage than the recommended without preliminary testing.

BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA

Product properties are typically averages, obtained under laboratory conditions. Reasonable variations can be expected on-site due to local factors, including environment, preparation, application, curing and test methods.

ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH & 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 exact product data and uses.

LEGAL NOTES

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