

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET Sika<sup>®</sup> Stabilizer-512 MBF

# RETARDING AND WATER-REDUCING ADMIXTURE FOR MINE BACKFILL

## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

Sika<sup>®</sup> Stabilizer-512 MBF is a set-retarder used by the mining industry to extend the workability time, while at the same time fluidizing the cemented paste fills. This improves plastic properties, facilitating mining backfill operations

# WHERE TO USE

Sika® Stabilizer-512 MBF can be used in mining to :

- Extend the workability, pumpability and placing time
- Prevent premature stiffening of cemented paste fill
- Reduce water and increase solid content

# **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Delay the initial setting time (retardation time determined by dosage).
- Reduce the risk of blockages in the paste lines
- Reduce water and increase solid content of the cemented paste fill
- Improve the workability of the paste filling, allowing long transport times
- Improve rheological properties during the continuous mixing, pumping, and filling process
- Reduce pumping and line pressure within the reticulation system
- Does not contain calcium chloride or any other intentionally added chlorides

Packaging	205 L (54 US gal.) drum 1040L (275 US gal.) IBC Bulk delivery
Shelf Life	1 year when stored in dry warehouse conditions, at temperatures between +5 and 27°C (40 - 80°F).
Storage Conditions	Store protected from direct sunlight and at temperatures above +5°C (40°F). If frozen, thaw and agitate thoroughly to return to normal state.
Appearance / Colour	Brownish liquid
Density	Approx. 1.2
SYSTEMS	
Compatibility	Sika® Stabilizer-512 MBF works effectively as a single admixture or in combination with other Sika® admixtures. Contact your Sika Canada Technica Sales Representative for further information.

# **PRODUCT INFORMATION**

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The dosage to be used should be estimated by preliminary laboratory testing. The recommended dosage will usually be between 0.5 and 2% by weight of the total cementitious content. It is suggested than 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 safetyrelated 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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