

Sika® Viscocrete® Tempo 10

Multi-purpose Superplasticizer / High Range Water-Reducing Admixture

Product Description Sika® Viscocrete® Tempo 10 is a new generation, non-chlorinated, acrylic copolymer superplasticizer / high-range water-reducing admixture.

Uses Sika® Viscocrete® Tempo 10 is used for concrete in precast plants, on site and for ready mix concrete. It is used for concrete that need to be transported over long distance or with extended application time.

Sika® Viscocrete® Tempo 10 is added for production of :

- Plastic to fluid concrete.
- Low W/C ratio concrete with or without silica fume.
- Concrete with high water reduction (up to 30%).
- Concrete with air entraining.

Characteristics / Advantages Sika® Viscocrete® Tempo 10 combines several actions. Adsorption to the surface and separation of fines particles during the hydration process give the following properties :

- Very high water reduction (consequently high waterproofing and resistances).
- High fluidity (consequently easier application).
- High short term resistance.
- High waterproofing improvement.
- Better creeps and shrinkage behaviour.
- Lower carbonation speed.

Sika® Viscocrete® Tempo 10 does not contain any chloride or other component which could cause or increase steel corrosion. It can be used without restriction for reinforced or prestressed concrete constructions.

Product Data

Appearance / Colour Light brown liquid.

Packaging Bulk, 1000 litre Container, 200 litre Drum, 25 litre Keg.

Storage conditions / Shelf-life 12 months minimum from production date if stored properly in original unopened, sealed and undamaged packaging. Store in a dry area between 5°C and 35 °C. Protect from direct sunlight.



Technical Data

Density 1.06 ± 0.1kg/litre.

pH 4 ± 1

Dry content 30 ± 1.5%

Chloride content < 0.1%

Na₂O_{eq} content ≤ 1 %

Application Details

Dosage Recommended dosage:
■ 0.2 to 3% of the cement weight depending on performances required.
Usual dosage: 0.4 to 1.5% of the binder weight.

Application Method Sika® Viscocrete® Tempo 10 is added either at the same time as the mixing water or at a later stage to concrete that has been pre-moistened with a part of the mixing water.

Health and Safety Information For information and advice on the safe handling, storage and disposal of chemical products, users shall refer to the most recent Material Safety Data Sheet containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety related data.

Legal Notes

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