

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Sika® Antisol® A

WATER-DISPERSED, ACRYLIC COPOLYMER BASED CONCRETE CURING COMPOUND

DESCRIPTION

Sika® Antisol® A is a water-dispersed acrylic copolymer based curing compound. It is ready for use and simple to apply. Sika® Antisol® A will form a thin film, covering the surface of the concrete to prevent premature water loss due to evaporation.

USES

Sika® Antisol® A is sprayed onto newly placed concrete surfaces to form a thin film barrier against premature water loss, without disturbing the normal setting action. Sika® Antisol® A is suitable where subsequent surface treatments such as screed, protective coating, decorative paint, etc. are required.

CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

Sika® Antisol® A provides the following beneficial properties to concrete surfaces:

- Reduces incidence of plastic cracking
- Reduces shrinkage
- Reduces dusting
- Increases frost resistance
- Replaces labour intensive curing methods such as wet-Hessian, watering, etc.
- Can be overcoated without affecting the bonding of the subsequent application (concrete surfaces to be washed prior to overcoating in accordance with normal practice)
- Will not re-emulsify in contact with water therefore allows overcoating even where back pressure of water is expected

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Water-dispersed, acrylic polymer
Packaging	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 5 L pail ▪ 20 L pail ▪ 200 L drum
Appearance / Colour	Milky White liquid
Shelf Life	6 months from the date of production
Storage Conditions	Stored properly in original, unopened and undamaged sealed packaging in dry conditions. Keep away from direct sunlight.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Consumption	5–6.5 m ² per litre depending on wind, humidity and temperature conditions
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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

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Sika® Antisol® A is ready to use. Do not dilute. Stir well before use.

Sika® Antisol® A curing compound can be sprayed, brushed or rolled onto newly placed concrete. Apply as soon as possible after final trowelling when surface water has disappeared (approximately ½–2 hours depending on ambient conditions).

For vertical surfaces, apply immediately after removal of formwork.

After application, the area must be protected from rain for at least 2–3 hours.

Sika® Antisol® A is transparent after curing.

CLEANING OF TOOLS

Clean all tools and application equipment with water immediately after use. Hardened and/or cured material can only be removed mechanically.

IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

Do not apply Sika® Antisol® A on contaminated concrete surfaces (mould release agent, oil, stains, etc.) as this can lead to concrete stains and reduce the bond of subsequent coats.

BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA

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

LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Please note that as a result of specific local regulations the performance of this product may vary from country to country. Please consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact description of the application fields.

ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY

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.

LEGAL NOTES

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