

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaGrind® MC-831

## Masonry Grinding aid

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

SikaGrind® MC-831 is a masonry additive.

#### **USES**

SikaGrind® MC-831 is a highly effective air entraining agent. SikaGrind® MC-831 allows independent control and adjustable performance of masonry cement during manufacturing process. Various degrees of change effecting the end performance of masonry cement depends on composition of clinker, limestone or lime.

## **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Reduce energy and grinding costs
- Increase workability
- Improve board-life

## **PRODUCT INFORMATION**

Packaging	SikaGrind® MC-831 is available in 55 gallon drums, 265 gallon totes and bulk packaging.
Appearance / Color	Amber Liquid
Shelf Life	Shelf life when stored in dry warehouse conditions between 40 °F and 80 °F (5–27 °C) is 1 year.
Storage Conditions	SikaGrind® MC-831 should be stored above 20 °F (-6 °C). Product pumping will become difficult in temperatures below 20 °F (-6 °C). Protect from direct sunlight.
Specific Gravity	Approx. 1.03

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#### APPLICATION INFORMATION

#### **Recommended Dosage**

The dosage rates of SikaGrind® MC-831 will depend on desired characteristics of each cement. Dosage rates for SikaGrind® MC-831 typically range from 0.035–0.15 % by weight of cement.

The optimum dosage rate should be determined during full-scale cement mill tests. A trained Sika representative is available to assist in dosage calculations and mill test evaluations. SikaGrind® MC-831 should be dispensed as received. Proper dispensing equipment with adjustable flow rates should be used for optimum performance. SikaGrind® MC-831 may be added onto the clinker conveyor belt or sprayed into the mills first compartment. A Sika representative is available to assist with recommendations on your mill system.

#### **BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA**

Results may differ based upon statistical variations depending upon mixing methods and equipment, temperature, application methods, test methods, actual site conditions and curing conditions.

#### OTHER RESTRICTIONS

See Legal Disclaimer.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL, HEALTH AND SAFETY**

For further information and advice regarding transportation, handling, storage and disposal of chemical products, user should refer to the actual Safety Data Sheets containing physical, environmental, toxicological and other safety related data. User must read the current actual Safety Data Sheets before using any products. In case of an emergency, call CHEMTREC at 1-800-424-9300, International 703-527-3887.

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- KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
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