

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaFiber®-8060 ST

# STEEL FIBER

# **DESCRIPTION**

SikaFiber®-8060 ST is a reinforcing material made of cold drawn steel wire fiber, with hooked and end glued in bundles. Introducing of adequate steel fibers into concrete would improve the mechanical properties of concrete such as ductility, flexural strength and crack resistance.

With this significant enhancement, steel fibers can be a substitute or combine with conventional steel bar reinforce meant to yield superior concrete performances. SikaFiber®-8060 ST complies with ISO 9001:2015 and EN 14889-1.

#### **USES**

SikaFiber®-8060 ST is typically used in such applications as:

- Slab on ground.
- Pre-cast segment tunnel lining.
- Cast in place.

- Tunnel repairs.
- Ground support.
- Slope stabilization.
- Retaining walls and soil nailing.
- Industrial flooring and rigid pavement.

#### **FEATURES**

SikaFiber®-8060 ST as a reinforcing material provides the following contributions:

- Allows concrete to follow the contours of the ground.
- The need to install mesh is eliminated and the decrease in time for which lifting equipment is needed results in reduction of cycle times and overall costs.
- Elimination of the difficult and dangerous job of installing mesh considerably increases safety on the work site.
- Increases the crack resistance, ductility, energy absorption and toughness of concrete.
- Uniformity multi-directional concrete reinforcement.

# PRODUCT INFORMATION

| Packaging            | Non water-soluble bag of 20 kg/bag (120 bag/pallet)  |
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| Shelf life           | If stored in dry conditions shelf life is 5 years  |
| Storage conditions   | The pallets should be protected against rain and snow. Do NOT stack pallet on top of each other. |
| Fibre volume content | Approx. 4600 pcs/kg  |
| Appearance           | Steel fiber with double hooked end / Glued   |

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## **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

| Tensile strength                 | 1200 MPa (±7.5% Avg)   |
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| Modulus of elasticity in tension | ±210 000 MPa   |
| Dimensioning                     | Length: 60 mm (±10%) Diameter: 0.75 mm (±10%) Aspect Ratio: 80 |

#### APPLICATION INFORMATION

| Recommended dosage | At the rate of 10-40 Kg/m³ of concrete.                       |
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|                    | Test mixes should be carried out to determine optimum dosage. |

## **BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA**

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

# **ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND 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.

#### APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

#### **APPLICATION**

SikaFiber®-8060 ST can be added to the mix at any stage during batching. Allow 3 to 5 minutes at mixing speed for fibers to disperse evenly throughout the matrix

Trial mix prior to field application is recommended to achieve required workability for pumpable and flowable concrete. SikaFiber®-8060 ST is compatible with concrete mix incorporating ViscoCrete, ViscoFlow, SikaFume and other Sika's admixtures.

#### **LEGAL NOTES**

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