

**1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

<i>Product Code</i>	SKH170
<i>Product Name</i>	Sika H 170
<i>Product Description</i>	Water reducing plasticiser for use in concrete.
<i>Manufacturer/Supplier</i>	Sika Limited Watchmead Welwyn Garden City Hertfordshire. AL7 1BQ tel. 01707 394444 Fax. 01707 329129

**2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON THE COMPONENTS**

<i>Hazardous ingredients</i>	The product does not contain any substances classified as hazardous under current regulations.
<i>Chemical Characteristic</i>	Aqueous solution of modified polycarboxylate.

**3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

<i>Main Hazards</i>	Not classified as hazardous.
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**4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

<i>Eye Contact</i>	Immediately flood the eye with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, holding the eye open. Obtain medical attention urgently.
<i>Skin Contact</i>	Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Contaminated clothing should be washed or dry-cleaned before re-use.
<i>Ingestion</i>	Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.
<i>Inhalation</i>	Unlikely to occur. However provide symptomatic medical treatment if required.

**5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

<i>Extinguishing Media</i>	Not combustible. Select extinguishing agent appropriate to other materials involved.
<i>Special Hazards of Product</i>	Combustion will produce smoke, carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide. See also Section 10.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

<i>Personal Precautions</i>	Wear appropriate protective clothing.
<i>Environmental Precautions and Clean-up Methods</i>	Prevent the material from entering drains or water courses.
<i>Spillages</i>	Contain and absorb using earth, sand or other inert material. Transfer into suitable containers for recovery or disposal.

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE****Handling**

Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

**Storage**

Storage area should be: cool. dry. out of direct sunlight.  
Where outside storage of drums is unavoidable, they should be stored horizontally to avoid ingress of water.  
Storage temperature should be controlled to between 5 and 25 °C.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION****Engineering Control Measures**

Use of the basic principles of Industrial Hygiene will enable this material to be used safely.

**Respiratory Protection**

None required.

**Hand Protection**

Wear suitable impervious gloves.

**Eye Protection**

Wear safety glasses if risks of accidental contamination are possible during application.

**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****Physical State**

Liquid.

**Color**

Yellowish-brown.

**Odor**

Characteristic.

**pH**

4 - 5

**Solubility - Water**

Completely soluble.

**Density (kg/m<sup>3</sup>)**

Approx. 1060 at 20 °C.

**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY****Stability**

Stable under normal conditions.

**Conditions to avoid**

Protect from frost

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Combustion will generate: oxides of carbon.

**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Acute toxicity**

Low order of acute toxicity.

**Eye irritation**

May cause slight transient irritation.

**Skin irritation**

Frequent or prolonged skin contact may cause some local short term skin irritation.

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Mobility**

The product will dissolve rapidly in water.

**Persistence/degradability**

The product is expected to be readily biodegradable.

**Ecotoxicity**

Maybe harmful to aquatic species

**13. DISPOSAL**

<i>Product Disposal</i>	Arrange for disposal via a licensed waste contractor.
<i>Container Disposal</i>	Dispose of containers with care. Empty packaging should be removed by a licensed waste contractor.

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

<i>ADR/RID : Proper shipping name</i>	Not Regulated under ADR/RID
<i>IMDG : Proper shipping name</i>	Not Regulated under IMDG
<i>IATA : Proper shipping name</i>	Not Regulated under ICAO

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

<i>Risk Phrases</i>	None assigned.
<i>Safety Phrases</i>	None assigned

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

<i>First Issue Date</i>	26.03.2004
<i>Revisions Highlighted</i>	Future revisions will incorporate such information as is required but which is not available at this time.
<i>Uses and Restrictions</i>	Customers are urged to ensure that the product is entirely suitable for their own purpose. It is the customer's responsibility to ensure that a suitable and sufficient assessment of the risks created by the use of the product is undertaken.
<i>UK Legislation</i>	Health and Safety at Work etc Act, 1974, and relevant Statutory Provisions. SI 2002/1689: Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) Regulations SI 2002/2677: The Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations SI No 2839 1991 Environmental Protection (Duty of Care) Regulations.
<i>UK Guidance Publications</i>	Approved Code of Practice - Management of Health and Safety at Work, HSE. General Approved Code of Practice to COSHH Regulations, HSE.
<i>Footnote</i>	The information contained in this SDS corresponds to our level of knowledge at the time of publication. All warranties are excluded. Our most current General Sales Conditions shall apply. Please consult the Technical Data Sheet prior to use.