

# **Technical Data Sheet**

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Performance Additives Decorative

# LAVIOKOLL<sup>®</sup> C1 Construction additive

# **General information**

*LAVIOKOLL*<sup>®</sup> *C1* is a new additive based on a selected and activated bentonite clay that gives moderate thixotropic properties to cement based system

*LAVIOKOLL*<sup>®</sup> *C1* prevents the sedimentation of the aggregates and the bleeding of the surface, it also improves the workability of dry mix mortars

# **Physical properties**

Composition: smectite (98% montmorillonite)

Physical form: creamy powder

Dry residue: 0% > 200 mesh (75  $\mu$ m)

Moisture: 11-12%

### Application

- mortars
- plaster/renders
- tile adhesives

### **Properties**

*LAVIOKOLL*<sup>®</sup> *C1* is a suspending agent that gives antisettling properties and reduces surface bleeding.

It could be incorporate as powder and it's stable in a pH range 7-13 (Fig.1)

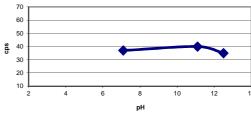


Fig.1 : Laviokoll C1 in water at different pH values

Viscosity depends on the shear force during the dispersion (Fig.2)

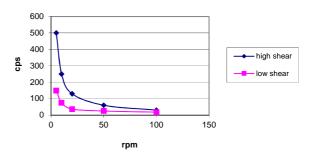


Fig.2 : Laviokoll C1 dispersed at high and low shear

# Dosage

Typical dosage is 0.1% e 3% based on the total formulation.

### Storage stability and packing

Product do not deteriorate in a significant way in a 36 months period. Storage is advisable in a dry, sheltered place in closed bags. Packing is 25 kg net in paper bags.

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