

# Technical Data Sheet

## Mikolit 300 M



### Product description:

Bentonite clay pellets with medium swelling capacity and enhanced magnetic detectability to produce waterproof sealings. Preferred application for the completion of boreholes drilled with dry drilling methods.



### Product characteristics:

Appearance:	Clay pellets	
Dimension (length):	5-10	mm
Dimension (diameter):	8	mm
Swell compressive strength:	0,0056	N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Geophysical detectability	Magnetic Log	
Gamma ray activity:	approx. 50	API
Bulk density:	1,0	g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Coefficient of permeability $k_f$ :	$< 2,3 \times 10^{-11}$	m/s
Sinking speed (water):	20	m/min
Structural stability:	2	class

### Field of application:

Due to the limited swelling capacity, good seals are achieved in non-caving annular spaces without any leakages along the surfaces of contact. Because of the special swelling behaviour Mikolit 300 M clay pellets show less tendency of sticking on the surface of temporary installed casings when they are pulled out of refilled borehole sections. Mikolit 300 M sealings are showing reliable water impermeability even for large hydraulic gradients. Mikolit 300 M can be geophysically detected with magnetic logging.

### Determinations of requirements:

#### 1. Borehole backfill:

$$\text{Borehole diameter}^2[\text{dm}] \times 7,85 \rightarrow \text{Mikolit 300 M} [\text{kg/m}]$$

#### 2. Annular sealing:

$$(\text{Borehole diameter}^2[\text{dm}] - \text{casing diameter}^2[\text{dm}]) \times 7,85 \rightarrow \text{Mikolit 300 M} [\text{kg/m}]$$

### Form of delivery:

Mikolit 300 M is available in 25 kg plastic bags and 1 t big bags