

# **PIERI® DRC Surface Retarders** Introduction

PIERI<sup>®</sup> DRC 6-serie PIERI<sup>®</sup> DRC 1000

Oct 2021

Per Davoust - Sales Manager, Nordic +46 42 167800 per.davoust@gcpat.com

A construction products technologies company

# **PIERI® - Decorative Solutions**



## Surface retarder for hardlandscaping



**PIERI® VBA** 

## Surface retarder for precast



PIERI® DRC - PIERI® Décagel

## **Pigments**



**PIERI®** Kaolor

## Formliner



**PIERI®** Liner

## **Release Agent**



**PIERI®** 

**Curing Agent** 



**PIERI®** Curing



# **PIERI® - Decorative Solutions**



## Varnish



PIERI® PRELOR®

## Antigraffiti



**PIERI®** Graffistop

## Equalizer for concrete



PIERI® Protec HDL

## **Flooring protections**



**PIERI®** Protec

#### Waxed concrete



SOLACIR®

Fibers



SINTA™ VBA

## Surface Retarder – DRC



## PIERI<sup>®</sup> DRC 6

Solvent Chemical Retarding Demolding product for precast application

It provides controlled retardation to temporarily and uniformly delay the setting of a selected surface layer of concrete while remainder of the concrete hard normally



# Allow to get uniform aspect of exposed aggregate

Architectural concrete faced elements, concrete walls for industrial building, anti-noise walls, sound barriers...

# **Pieri DRC technology**

### How it works

- Surface retarder sprayed on the mold and dries in 30 min before casting
- ca 30 min to activate, enough time to cast and vibrate
- Easy to clean the façade the day after casting
- · Very easy to clean mold after demolding

## **Retarder for customized results**

- Pieri DRC 6-serie
  10 different grade for exposed aggregate
- Pieri DRC 1000
  For sandblasted / acid treated surface



# Aspect vs. etch

We always talk about aspect with the PIERI® DRC Range:

Concrete aspect	PIERI® DRC grade	Colour DRC	Aggregate size
Sandblasted/Acid	DRC 1000	Mint green	1 – 8 mm
Micro	DRC 6/01	Blue	1 – 4 mm
Sanded	DRC 6/02	Brown	2 – 4 mm
Worn	DRC 6/10	Green	3 – 6 mm
Light retarded	DRC 6/25	Yellow	4 – 6 mm
Medium retarded	DRC 6/50	Pink	6 – 8 mm
Medium retarded	DRC 6/80	Turquoise	8 – 10 mm
Strong retarded	DRC 6/100	Mustard	10 – 12 mm
Deep retarded	DRC 6/130	White	12 – 15 mm
Deep retarded	DRC 6/200	Orange	15 – 25 mm
Macro	DRC 6/300	Violet	> 25 mm

A construction products technologies company

# **Pieri DRC Technology**

### How does it work?

DRC delays the cement hydration process strongly in the treated concrete layer from very little up to 15-20mm.

Day after casting the unhardened cement paste is cleaned with water and expose the aggregate fixed in the hardened concrete

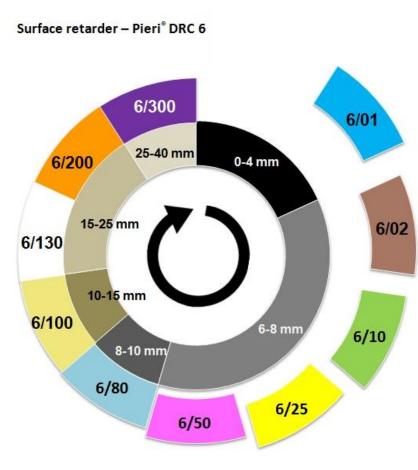
## What is unique with Pieri DRC:

*Activation window of ca 30 minutes is unique* for DRC. Key to produce consistently with good results even with thin exposure.

DRC acts with migration and diffusion during 2 hours.







# **DRC – Activation window**

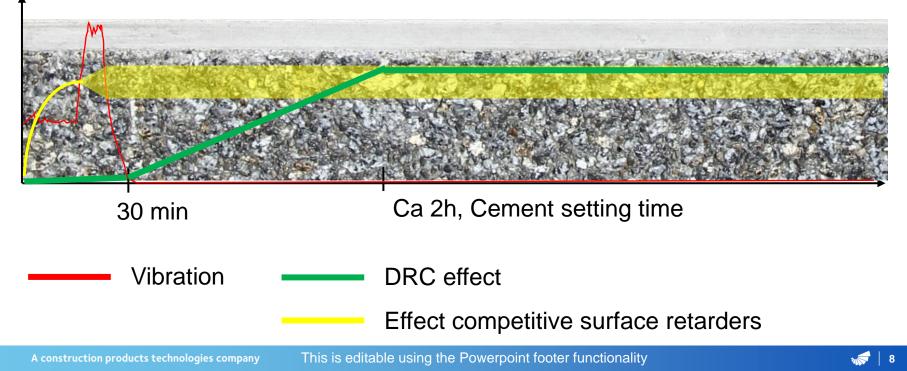
DRC dissolves

DRC starts migrate and diffusion in concrete

DRC reaction slows down when cement sets.

## Vibration

- Change diffusion rate on active retarder



## Pieri DRC 1000 – Sandblasted / acid treated surface

Apply – Cast – Clean – Complete

