

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

## SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat

## PLASTER AND CONCRETE FINISH COAT

## DESCRIPTION

SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat is a one component, pre-packed instant cement with selected filler and several admixtures; used as finish works on plaster or concrete surface.

## USES

SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat\* can be applied on various surfaces, interior and exterior, such as :

- Plaster surface.
- Concrete surface.

\*Not recommended for application on floor surface .

## FEATURES

- Can be applied on plastered and concrete surface
- Prevents hair crack caused by material shrinkage
- Excellent adhesion
- Smooth finished result with light grey colour
- No need putty for base paint
- Can be painted after 7 days
- Easy to use and apply, just add water

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Portland cement
Packaging	40 kg, 20 kg bag
Shelf life	9 months from date of production if stored properly in original, unopened and undamaged sealed packaging
Storage conditions	Store in dry conditions at temperatures between +5 °C and +30 °C
Appearance and colour	Powder / Light grey
Density	~1.2 kg/L

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Compressive strength	28 days	~8 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	(ASTM C-109)
Tensile adhesion strength	28 days	~0.5 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	(BS EN 1015-12)

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

Consumption	~20 m <sup>2</sup> per 40 kg bag (based on 1.5 mm thickness)* *depend on substrate surface profile
Layer thickness	1.5 – 3 mm

<b>Ambient air temperature</b>	+8 °C to +40 °C	
<b>Mixing ratio</b>	Water : SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat	13.6 – 14.4 L : 40 kg (by weight)
	Water : SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat	1 : ± 2 (by volume)
<b>Waiting time to overcoating</b>	Before painting : 7 days	

## 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.

## IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

- SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat is not recommended for flooring application as floor screed/leveling material/floor topping.
- For exterior area, adding polymer (e.g. SikaCim® Bonding Adhesive/SikaCim® Latex/SikaBond® NV/Sika® Latex) can improve the performance of SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat, and using exterior coating to protect SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat (paint/coating should be applied 7-14 days after application of SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat, depend on wheather condition).
- Protect the freshly applied product against direct sunlight.

## 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

### SUBSTRATE QUALITY / PRE-TREATMENT

Plaster / concrete surface must be clean, sound, level and uncontaminated by oil or grease.

Remove cement laitance, dust, and loosely adhering particles.

Absorbent substrates must be pre-wetted to saturated surface dry (SSD) conditions.

### MIXING

- Pour 13.6 – 14.4 litre of water into mixing vessel then add SikaWall®-181 Skim Coat 40 kg slowly and mix properly.
- Mixing time is ~3 minutes. A slow speed mixer is recommended (300 – 600 rpm).

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## APPLICATION

- Apply with flat trowel.
- Waiting time before paint application 7 days.

## LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data and recommended uses for this product may vary from country to country. Consult the local Product Data Sheet for exact product data and uses.

## LEGAL NOTES

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