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# PRODUCT DATA SHEET Sika<sup>®</sup> RainTite I

## ACRYLIC BASED MULTIPURPOSE POLYMER FOR REPAIR AND WATERPROOFING

## DESCRIPTION

Sika<sup>®</sup> RainTite I is a multifunctional polymer emulsion for enhancing the properties of

mortar/concrete/grout/cement slurry. It provides a good adhesion, water resistance and improvement of several other properties.

## USES

- Waterproofing of roof slab, sunken slabs, basements, water tanks, sunshades, parapet walls, external walls etc.
- As a bonding agent for uses in repair and plastering
- For making polymer mortar for repairs mortars, floor screeds etc.
- For treatment for leaching and salt petre action
- As a multipurpose mortar admixture for injection grouts

**PRODUCT INFORMATION** 

Additives to cement based paints for waterproofing

## **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Improved impermeability against water ingress
- Extremely good bonding to moist substrates, extremely improved mechanical, flexural strength and abrasion resistance properties
- UV resistant & suitable for external coating
- When used as an additive to cement based paint improves impermeability, water repellence and antifungal property of the painted surface (site trials are always advised before application for shade variations, if any)
- Sika<sup>®</sup> RainTite I can be diluted with water (1 : Nil to 1 : 4) depending on the type of application
- Screed required with Sikacim<sup>®</sup>/ Sika<sup>®</sup> Plastocrete Super to protect waterproofing layer

Composition	Acrylic copolymer and special additives	
Packaging	500g, 1kg, 5kg, 10kg and 20 kg	
Colour	Milky white liquid	
Shelf life	18 months from date of production if stored in undamaged and unopened original sealed pack.	
Storage conditions	Store in dry conditions and protected from direct sunlight. Protect from frost.	
Density	~ 1.03 kg/l at 27 °C	

### TECHNICAL INFORMATION

<b>Fensile Adhesion Strength</b>	>1.5 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	(EN 1542)
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## **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

Mixing Ratio	Application	Ratio : Sika® RainTite I: Water: Cement	Dilution in Water	Consumption						
	Waterproof Coat- ing Cement Slurry/ Bond Mortar Concrete Additive to Ce- ment Paint	1:0:2      1:2:3 <th rowspan="5">Nil    1:2    1:4    1:4   </th> <th rowspan="5">0.4 kg/m² for two coats0.2 kg/m² for single coat0.16 kg/ kg Ce- ment0.12 kg/kg Ce- ment2.5 kg/25 kg Ce- ment Paint</th>	Nil    1:2    1:4    1:4	0.4 kg/m² for two coats0.2 kg/m² for single coat0.16 kg/ kg Ce- ment0.12 kg/kg Ce- ment2.5 kg/25 kg Ce- ment Paint						
					Ambient Air Temperature	< 35°C				
					Substrate Temperature	< 35°C				
					Drying time	2-3 hours depending upon ambient conditions				

## **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

#### SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

Substrate must be clean, dry, homogeneous, free from oils &grease, dust & loose or friable particles, paint, cement laitance, old coatings and any other contaminants. Also remember the cementitious substrates should be pre-saturated surface dry with clean water.

#### MIXING

Refer to the table above of Mixing ratio and always add powder to liquid for all applications.

#### APPLICATION

Concrete, mortar, slurry should be prepared by using Sika® RainTite I enriched water and to be applied with in 20-30 minutes of preparation. In case of bond coat subsequent mortar or concrete to be applied when bond coat is fresh & tacky.

Screed required with Sikacim<sup>\*</sup>/ Sika<sup>\*</sup> Plastocrete Super to protect waterproofing layer.

Standard coating system can be further reinforced by placing Sika<sup>®</sup> Fab1 fabric layer in between 1<sup>st</sup> and the 2 <sup>nd</sup> coat.

When Sika<sup>®</sup> RainTite I is used as an additive to cement based paints it is recommended that the same should be done for preferably light shades only. However, pre-test for consistency of colour shade is recommended through site trials before application.

#### **CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT**

Clean all tools and application equipment with clean water immediately after use. Hardened /cured material can only be removed mechanically.

## IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

- Ambient and surface temperatures must be below 35°C during application
- Do not attempt application if rain is imminent
- Avoid ponding water on top of Sika<sup>®</sup> RainTite I
- Minimum slope for Roof application (with Sika\*Fab1) should be 3 %

## **BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA**

All technical data stated in this Product Data Sheet are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

## LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Please note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data for this product may vary from country to country. Please consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact product data.

# ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY

For information and advice on the safe handling, storage and disposal of chemical products, users shall refer to the most recent Safety Data Sheet (SDS) containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

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## **LEGAL NOTES**

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