

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaMur® Finish

# CEMENT FREE LIME BASED FINISHING RENDER FOR REHABILITATING MOIST MASONRY



#### **DESCRIPTION**

SikaMur® Finish is a ready-mixed, lime based and cement free, thin layer render for finishing breathable renders.

#### **USES**

- For finishing of lime, cement and lime/cement based renders
- For surface finishing of masonry to avoid rising humidity, previously treated with SikaMur® Dry or SikaMur®-1000 SP dehumidifying renders

## **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Lime based
- Cement free
- Highly breathable
- Good substrate adhesion
- Easy workability
- Easy finishing

## **APPROVALS / CERTIFICATES**

CE-marking and Declaration of Performance as General purpose rendering/plastering mortar for internal and external use, according to EN 998-1:2010, based on type testing and factory production control.

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Chemical base	Monocomponent mortar based on lime, sand and special additives  25 kg lined paper bags	
Packaging		
Appearance / Colour	White powder	
Shelf life	12 months from date of production	
Storage conditions	Dry storage in undamaged original sealed packaging	
Density	1.80–1.9 kg/L	
Maximum Grain Size	Dmax: 0.6 mm	

#### **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

Tensile Adhesion Strength	> 0.2 MPa failure in the mortar	(EN 1015-12)
Reaction to Fire	Class A	(EN 13501-1) (EN 998-1)
Permeability to Water Vapour	μ ≤ 15	(EN 1015-19)
Thermal Conductivity	0.27 W/mK	(EN 1745:2002 Table A.12)

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#### **SYSTEMS**

System Structure	SikaMur® Finish is part of the Sika® rehabilitation system range for damp masonry renovation, and ideally it will be used in combination with:	
	SikaMur® InjectoCream-100	Silane based Injectable Damp Proof Course for horizontal rising damp treatment
	SikaMur® Dry	Ready-mixed hand applied renovating mortar for damp masonry
	SikaMur®-1000 SP	Ready-mixed machine- or hand applied renovating mortar for damp masonry
	SikaMur® Color E	Lime based coloured paint for traditional or dehumidifying renders or plasters, to finish and protect SikaMur® Finish

#### **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

Mixing Ratio	7.5–8.25 litres of clean water per 25 kg	
Consumption	~1.2 kg powder per 1 mm thickness per 1 m <sup>2</sup>	
Layer Thickness	2–3 mm	
Ambient Air Temperature	+5 °C min. / +30 °C max.	
Substrate Temperature	+5 °C min./ +30 °C max.	
Pot Life	~180 min at +20 °C	
Waiting Time / Overcoating	Wait at least 15 days curing before application of SikaMur® Finish on SikaMur® Dry or SikaMur®-1000 SP to avoid cracks on surface finishing. Final Decorative painting like SikaMur® Color E, can be applied after adequate curing of approximate 3 weeks in average temperature conditions.	

#### **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **SUBSTRATE QUALITY / PRE-TREATMENT**

Renderings made with SikaMur® Dry or SikaMur®-1000 SP shall show a wood straight edge finish and must be dampened before application of SikaMur® Finish. Existing renders must be carefully cleaned by removing any loose adhering particles or film residues.

#### MIXING

Using a vertical axis mixer or drill mixer, mix for a minimum 3 minutes. Over mixing must be avoided to minimise air entrainment.

Rest the mixed material for approximately 10 minutes before use, don't re-mix before use.

#### **APPLICATION**

Apply in a 2-3 mm layer thickness using traditional hand application technique. Finish with a plasterers float.

#### **CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT**

Removal of fresh remnants from tools and application equipment can be carried out using water immediately after use. Hardened / cured material can only be mechanically removed.

#### **IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS**

- Iron or plastic tools must not be used to finish the surface as they close plaster air bubbles and so prevent renders from breathing
- On structures with rising humidity treated with the SikaMur® Dry or SikaMur®-1000 SP, SikaMur® Finish shall only be over painted using products with a minimum vapour barrier action (μ not exceeding 10) to prevent blistering and detachments e.g. SikaMur® Color E.
- Refer to Sika Technical Service for further advice.

#### **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 performance of this product may vary from country to country. Please consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact description of the application fields.

#### **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.

#### **LEGAL NOTES**

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