PRODUCT DATA SHEET

SikaQuick®-2500

RAPID HARDENING, HIGH STRENGTH TRAFFICABLE REPAIR MORTAR

DESCRIPTION

SikaQuick®-2500 is a 1- part, cementitious, very rapid hardening, early strength gain concrete repair material.

USES

- On, above and below grade on concrete
- Highway overlays and repairs
- Structural repair material for concrete roadways, parking structures, bridges, dams and ramps
- Full depth patching repairs
- Economical patching material for horizontal repairs of concrete and mortar

CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Very rapid hardening as defined by ASTM C-928
- Epoxy coatings can be applied as early as 4 hours
- Freeze / thaw resistant
- Easy to mix and apply - labor saving
- High early strength
- Fast setting
- Open to foot traffic in 45 minutes
- Open to vehicle traffic in 1 hour (at 23 °C)
- Not a vapour barrier
- Can be placed up to 150mm

APPROVALS / CERTIFICATES

- Approved by Qld TMR - Product Index for Bridges and Other Structures, 5.34 Repair Materials (Concrete) – Mortars
- Meets RTA Rapid Mortar Bar Test RTA T363 <0.1% Non-Reactive

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Cement, selected aggregates and special additives
Packaging	20 kg bag
Shelf life	12 months from date of production
Storage conditions	Product must be stored in original, unopened and undamaged sealed packaging in dry conditions at temperatures between 4°C - 35°C. Always refer to packaging.
Appearance and colour	Grey powder

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Compressive strength

Time	Compressive Strength	(AS 1478.2:2005)
1 hour	~ 13 MPa	
2 hour	~ 20 MPa	
1 day	~ 35 MPa	
7 days	~ 65 MPa	
28 days	~ 80 MPa	

Material and curing conditions at (23°C / 50% r.h.) Water/powder = 0.105

Tensile strength in flexure

Time	Tensile strength in Flexure	(ASTM C 348)
1 day	> 5.5 MPa	
7 days	> 6.9 MPa	
28 days	> 7.6 MPa	

Material and curing conditions at (23 °C / 50% r.h.) Water/powder = 0.105

Tensile adhesion strength

≥ 2.0MPa (EN 1542)

Shrinkage

~500 με after 28 days at 23 °C / 50 % r.h. (AS 2350.13-2006)

Electrical resistivity

		(FM5-578)
		50mm Probe Spacing
7 days	~ 52,000 Ω.cm	
28 days	~ 114,000 Ω.cm	
56 days	~ 126,000 Ω.cm	
90 days	~ 175,000 Ω.cm	

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Mixing ratio

2.1 – 2.4 litres of water per 20 kg bag

Fresh mortar density

2,200 kg/m³

Yield

10 litres per 20 kg bag

Layer thickness

	Minimum	Maximum
Mortar	5 mm	150 mm

For application greater than 150 mm in depth, add 10 mm coarse aggregate. The rate is 10 kg of aggregate per bag of SikaQuick 2500 (au). Aggregate must be clean, well graded and smooth.

Ambient air temperature

7 °C minimum.

Substrate temperature

7 °C minimum

Pot Life

Approximately 15 minutes after adding powder to the water

Initial set time

~ 15 - 20 minutes at 23 °C / 50 % r.h. (AS/NZS 2350.4-2006)

Final set time

~ 25 - 30 minutes at 23 °C / 50 % r.h. (AS/NZS 2350.4-2006)

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.

IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

- Apply only to sound, prepared substrate.
- Avoid application in direct sun and/or strong winds.
- Do not feather edge.
- Use only potable water.
- Variations in aggregates may produce differences in strengths from the typical values stated in Product Data Sheet.

- For early application of epoxy coatings. On site testing is recommended for verification. Consult coatings manufacturer for advice.

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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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

SUBSTRATE QUALITY / PRE-TREATMENT

Concrete

Surface must be clean and sound. Remove all deteriorated concrete, dirt, oil, grease, and other bond-inhibiting materials from the area to be repaired. Be sure repair area is not less than 5 mm deep. Preparation work should be done by appropriate mechanical techniques. Obtain an exposed aggregate surface with a minimum surface profile of 3 mm (CSP 6) on clean, sound concrete. To ensure optimum repair results, the effectiveness of decontamination and preparation should be assessed by a pull-off test. Saw cutting of edges is recommended. Saturate surface to be repaired with clean water. Substrate should be saturated surface dry (SSD) prior to application.

Steel reinforcement

Rust, scale, mortar, concrete, dust and other loose and deleterious material which reduces bond or contributes to corrosion shall be removed. Surfaces shall be prepared using abrasive blast cleaning techniques or high pressure water-blasting to achieve a bright metal finish.

MIXING

Mechanically mix in an appropriately sized mortar mixer. Wet down all tools and mixer to be used. Start with 2.1 litres of water added to the mixing vessel. Add 1 bag of SikaQuick®-2500 while continuing to mix. Add up to another 0.3 litres of water to achieve desired consistency. Do not over water.

APPLICATION

Reinforcement Corrosion Protection / Primer Coating

Where a reinforcement coating is required, apply to the whole exposed circumference of the steel the SikaTop 110 EpoCem or Sika Monotop 910N. The repair mortar must be applied into the coating 'wet' on 'dry'.

Concrete Bonding Primer

Prime the prepared substrate with a scrub coat of SikaQuick®-2500 by firmly scraping the scrub coat over the substrate surface to form a thin layer and fill any pores or cavities in the surface. Ensure the whole surface to be repaired is covered by the scrub coat. The repair mortar has to be applied into primer 'wet' on 'wet'.

Repair Mortar

The prepared mortar must be scrubbed into the substrate. Be sure to fill all pores and voids. force materials against the edge of the repair, working towards the centre. After filling the repair, screed of excess. Allow concrete to set to desired stiffness, then finish. If a smoother finish is desired, a magnesium float should be used. Mixing, placing and finishing should not exceed 15 minutes maximum.

To control setting times, cold water should be used in hot weather and hot water used in cold weather.

CURING TREATMENT

Moist cure should commence immediately after finishing. It is necessary to protect newly applied material from rain. To prevent from freezing, cover with insulating material.

CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT

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

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.

LEGAL NOTES

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