

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaTop® Armatec®-110 EpoCem®

# BONDING PRIMER AND REINFORCEMENT CORROSION PROTECTION

# **DESCRIPTION**

SikaTop® Armatec®-110 EpoCem® is a cementitious epoxy resin compensated 3-component coating material with corrosion inhibitor, used as bonding primer and reinforcement corrosion protection.

SikaTop® Armatec®-110 EpoCem® meets the requirement of EN 1504-7.

# **USES**

- Suitable for control of anodic areas (Principle 11, method 11.1 EN 1504-9)
- Suitable in concrete repair as corrosion protection for reinforcement.
- Suitable as a bonding primer on concrete and mortar

# **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Contains EpoCem® technology improved bonding agent
- Extended open times for repair mortars
- Compatible with most Sika MonoTop® repair mortars
- Excellent adhesion to concrete and steel
- Contains corrosion inhibitor
- Certified for application under dynamic load conditions
- Good resistance to water and chloride penetration
- High shear strength
- Long pot life
- Easy to mix
- Can be brushed on or applied using spray gun

### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Chemical Base	Portland cement, epoxy resin, selected aggregates and additives		
Packaging	20 kg: A (1.14 kg) + B (2.86 kg) + C (16 kg)		
Appearance / Colour	Mixed components dark grey		
	Component A	white liquid	
	Component B	colourless liquid	
	Component C	dark grey powder	
Shelf Life	12 months for Comp. A & Comp.B 6 months for Comp. C		
Storage Conditions	Store properly in undamaged original sealed packaging, in dry cool conditions between +5 $^{\circ}$ C and +25 $^{\circ}$ C.		
Density	A+B+C density: ~2.0 kg/l at 23 °C		

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TECHNICAL INFORMATION		
Tensile Adhesion Strength	≥ 1.5 N/mm² (MPa) (after 28 days)	(EN 1542)
Shear Adhesion	Pass	(EN 15184)
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion	~18 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> 1/K	(EN 1770)
Diffusion Resistance to Water Vapour	μH2O ~500	
Diffusion resistance to carbon dioxide	μCO2 ~7300	
Corrosion Test	Pass	(EN 15183)
SYSTEM INFORMATION		
System Structure		s part of the Sika® repair system com- opean Standard EN 1504 and compris-
	Bonding Primer / Reinforcement Corrosion Protection	SikaTop® Armatec®-110 EpoCem®
	Light Weight Repair Mortar	Sika MonoTop®-352 series
	Structural Repair Mortar	Sika MonoTop®-412 series
	Pore Sealer and Levelling Mortar	Sika MonoTop®-723 N

# **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

Consumption	As rainforcement correction protection coating:		
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	Ambient Air Temperature	+5 °C minimum; +30 °C maximum	
Substrate Temperature	+5 °C minimum; +30 °C maximum		
Pot Life	~ 3 hours (at +20 °C)		
Waiting Time / Overcoating	Maximum waiting time before application of repair mortar		
	Sika repair mortars and non-fast setting concrete can be applied on		
	SikaTop® Armatec®-110 EpoCem® within a maximum time of:		
	Temperature	<b>Maximum Waiting Time</b>	
	+5 °C	6 hours	
	+10 °C	5 hours	
	+20 °C	2 hours	
	+30 °C	1 hour	



# **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

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

#### Concrete:

The concrete shall be free from dust, loose material, surface contamination and materials which reduce bond or prevent suction or wetting by repair materials. Delaminated, weak, damaged and deteriorated concrete and where necessary sound concrete shall be removed by suitable means.

The surface shall be thoroughly pre-wetted and not be allowed to dry before application of the concrete repair mortar. The surface shall achieve a dark matt appearance without glistening and surface pores and pits shall not contain water.

#### Steel reinforcement:

Rust, scale, mortar, concrete, dust and other loose and deleterious material which reduces bond or contributes to corrosion shall be removed and reinforcement cleaned to SA 2 in accordance with ISO 8501-1. Surfaces shall be prepared using abrasive blast cleaning techniques or high pressure water-blasting.

#### **MIXING**

SikaTop® Armatec®-110 EpoCem® can be mixed with a low speed (< 250 rpm) electric drill mixer. Shake components A and B thoroughly before opening. Pour liquid components A and B into a suitable mixing vessel and mix for 30 seconds. While still mixing components A and B slowly add powder component C. Mix the three components together for a minimum 3 minutes, minimising addition of air. Leave to stand for 5–10 minutes until mixed coating material exhibits a brush-able, weakly dripping consistency. DO NOT ADD WATER

# **APPLICATION**

As reinforcement corrosion protection:

Apply first layer approx. 1 mm thick, using medium hard brush or spray gun to the cleaned reinforcement. Apply  $2^{nd}$  layer when the first coat is hard to the fingernail (~2–3 hours at +20 °C). Apply subsequent repair mortars wet on dry (so not to wipe off the protection layer).

# As a bonding primer:

Apply using medium hard brush or spray gun to prepared substrate. To achieve good bond, SikaTop® Armatec®-110 EpoCem® must be applied well into the substrate, filling all pores (minimum layer thickness 0.5 mm). Apply subsequent repair mortars wet on wet. Freshly applied SikaTop® Armatec®-110 EpoCem® must be protected against contamination and rain until application of the repair mortar.

Application under dynamic loading:

SikaTop® Armatec®-110 EpoCem® has been tested with the following Sika repair mortars and is certified for dynamic loading applications. Refer to separate sheets for further information.

**Dry Spray Process:** 

Corrosion Protection: SikaTop® Armatec®-110

EpoCem®

Repair and overlay: SikaCem®-Gunite 133

Wet Spray Process:

Corrosion Protection SikaTop® Armatec®-110

and/or Bonding Primer: EpoCem®

Repair and Overlay: Sika MonoTop®-412

series

#### **CURING TREATMENT**

Protect the fresh mortar from rain while the material has not yet set.

#### **CLEANING OF TOOLS**

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

# **LIMITATIONS**

- Refer to the Method Statement for Concrete Repair using Sika MonoTop® system for more information regarding substrate preparation or refer to the recommendations provided in EN 1504-10
- Avoid application in direct sun and/or strong wind and/or rain.
- Do not add water.
- Apply only to sound, prepared substrates.
- NOT recommended for use with fast setting concrete or mortars e.g. Sika MonoTop®-211 FG / RFG

# **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**

The information, and, in particular, the recommendations relating to the application and end-use of Sika products, are given in good faith based on Sika's current knowledge and experience of the products when properly stored, handled and applied under normal



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