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Sika® - Combiflex® SG System

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High Performance Joint Sealing System

Product Description

High performance joint sealing system for construction, expansion and connection joints as well as for cracks. When fixed to the joint, allows irregular and high movement in more than one direction, whilst maintaining a high quality seal.

The Sikadur®-Combiflex® SG system consists of a modified flexible Polyolefin (FPO) waterproofing tape with advanced adhesion and a various range of suitable Sika® adhesives.

Uses

Sealing system for expansion, construction and connection joints,

- as well as for cracks in:

 Tunnels and culverts
- Hydro electric power plants
- Sewage treatment plants
- Basements
- Water retaining structures and drinking water reservoirs
- Around iron, steel and concrete pipes
- Swimming pools

Sealing of:

- Joints with extreme movement
- Building sections where varying settlement is expected
- Cracks

Repair / reinstatement of leaking joint sealing systems such as:

- Waterbars
- Joint sealants etc.

Characteristics / Advantages

- Advanced adhesion, no activation on site required
- Easy to install
- Suitable for both dry and damp concrete surfaces
- Extremely flexible
- Performs well within a wide range of temperatures
- Excellent adhesion to many materials
- Weather and water resistant
- Available with normal and rapid hardening grades of adhesive
- Root resistant
- Good resistance to many chemicals
- Versatile system suitable for many difficult situations

Tests

Approval / Standards

Hygiene Institut: Test report No. K-178989-09 drinking water suitability according to KTW-Guideline of the Federal Environment Agency (UBA), July 2009





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Form			
Appearance / Colours	Sikadur-31 CF:		
- 	Light grey		
	Sika [®] -Combiflex [®] SG-20 P Tape:		
	Flexible light grey membrane		
Packaging	Sikadur-Combiflex [®] SG system combi-pack		
	Sikadur®-31 CF: 6 kg units (A+B) ready to use (just for Sika	ndur [®] -31 CF)	
	Sika [®] -Combiflex [®] SG-20 P:		
	Thickness: 2 mm Width: 25 cm (other size, please contact o Rolls of 25 m	ur technical service Department)	
Storage			
Storage Conditions /	Sikadur [®] -31 CF :		
Shelf Life	24 months from date of production if store original sealed containers in dry conditions +30℃.		
	Sika [®] -Combiflex [®] SG -20 P tape		
	36 months from date of production if store original sealed containers in dry conditions +30°C. Opened and unprotected rolls mus	s at temperatures between +5℃ and	
	100 C. Opened and disprotested folis mas	t be used within 2 month.	
Technical Data			
Chemical Base	emical Base Sikadur [®] 31 CF: Modified, solvent free, filled 2-part epoxy resin		
	Sika [®] -Combiflex [®] SG Tape:		
	modified flexible Polyolefin (FPO) with adv	ranced adhesion	
Service Temperature	Sikadur [®] -Combiflex [®] SG System:		
	-30℃ min. to +40℃ max. in wet conditions -30℃ min. to +60℃ max. in dry conditions		
Mechanical / Physical Pr	operties of Sikadur Combiflex SG System		
Bond Strength	Sikadur [®] -Combiflex [®] SG System (Sika [®] Co Combiflex [®] CF Adhesive)	ombiflex [®] SG Tape glued with Sikadur [®] -	
	Substrate	Bond Strength	
	Concrete (dry)	> 2 N/mm ² (failure in concrete)	
	Concrete (mat / damp)	> 2 N/mm² (failure in concrete)	
	Steel (blastcleaned)	> 5 N/mm ²	
Peel Strength	Sikadur [®] -Combiflex [®] SG System:		
	Sika [®] System test: Sika [®] -Combiflex [®] SG T Sikadur [®] -31 CF.		
	Results: Strength: > 6 N/mm (2 mi Strength: > 4 N/mm (1 mi		
Mechanical / Physical Pr	operties of Sikadur Combiflex SG Tape		
Tensile Strength	> 12 N/mm ²	(EN ISO 527/3/5 100)	
Tear Strength	> 40 N/mm	(DIN 53 515)	
Elongation at break	> 600%	(EN ISO 527/3/5 100)	
Seam strength	> 150 N/5cm	(EN 12316-2)	
	> 400 N/5cm	(EN 12317-2)	



Behaviour under	6bar/72h
hydrostatic pressure	No leakage (EN 1928-B)
Resistance	
Chemical Resistance	Sikadur [®] -Combilfex [®] SG System (Sika [®] -Combiflex [®] SG Tape glued with Sikadur [®] - Combiflex [®] Adhesive and Sikadur [®] -31 CF)
	Longterm to: Water, lime water, cement water, seawater, salt solutions, domestic sewage, bitumen (according to EN 1548), bitumen emulsion coatings (staining possible) etc.
	Temporary to: Light fuel oil, diesel, diluted alkali and mineral acids, ethanol, methanol, petrol etc.
	These chemical resistance indications may be used to determine the suitability of the sealing system. Regarding specific short term chemical resistance, please consult our technical service departments.
System	
Information	
System Structure	The Sikadur®-Combiflex® System consists of the flexible Sika® Combiflex® SG-20 P sealing tape and a Sikadur® 31 CF epoxy adhesive.

Application Details			
Consumption	Sikadur-Combiflex [®] SG Tap	e:	
	Sikadur [®] -Combiflex [®] CF Adl	nesive per metre length	
	Tape width	Tape thickness	Adhesive consumption*
	25 cm	2 mm	~ 1.7 kg/m
	* The consumption can vary of aggregate etc.)	dependent on site condition	ns (surface roughness, size
Substrate Quality	Concrete, stone, mortar, ren Substrate must be clean, fre Age of concrete 3-6 weeks of Construction Steel 37, V2A- Clean, free from oil, grease,	e from oil, grease, laitance depending on environmenta Steel (WN 1.4301):	
	Polyester, epoxy, ceramics, Clean, free from oil and grea		
Substrate Preparation	Concrete, stone, mortar, ren Blastcleaning or equivalent r removal.	3	by thorough vacuum / dust
	Construction Steel 37: Blastcleaning or equivalent r removal. Avoid dew point co		by thorough vacuum / dust
	V2A-Steel (WN 1.4301): Light grinding followed by the conditions for application.	orough vacuum/dust remov	al. Avoid dew point



Polyester, epoxy, ceramics, glass: Light roughening followed by thorough vacuum/dust removal. Do not apply to siliconised substrates. Avoid dew point conditions for application.

Application Conditions / Limitations	
Substrate Temperature	Sikadur [®] -31 CF: Type Normal: from +10℃ to +30℃
Ambient Temperature	Sikadur [®] -31 CF: Type Normal: from +10℃ to +30℃
Substrate Moisture Content	Cementitious substrates: Dry, max. mat damp. When applied to mat damp concrete, brush the adhesive well into substrate.
Relative Air Humidity	85% max. (at +25℃)
Dew Point	Avoid condensation. The substrate must be at least 3℃ above dew point.
Application Instructions	
Mixing	Sikadur [®] -31 CF: Part A : B = 2 : 1 parts by weight or volume

Mix parts A+B together for at least 2 minutes with a mixing spindle attached to a slow speed electric drill (max. 500 rpm) until the material becomes smooth in consistency and a uniform grey colour. Avoid aeration while mixing. Then, pour the whole mix into a clean container and stir again for approx. 1 more minute at low speed to keep air entrapment at a minimum. Mix only that quantity which can be used within its potlife.





Application Method / Tools

Max. permissible permanent elongation: 2 mm tape: 25% of the non adhered tape width

Note: For higher movement, place and fix tape in a loop into the joint.

Application of tape:

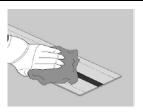
In case of dirt clean the surface of the Sikadur-Combiflex® SG Tape with a dry or wet cloth. Use water and **no solvent** for cleaning.

Check the Sikadur-Combiflex[®] SG Tape in respect of damages during storage and transport (e.g. heavy scratches) and remove critical parts if necessary.

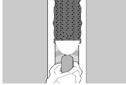
Note: No activation on site required

In case of expansion joints or cracks > 1 mm the centre of the tape must not be "bonded" to the substrate. In this case, apply masking tape on top of the joint / crack and on both sides of the joint before applying the adhesive.

Apply a suitable thoroughly mixed Sikadur® adhesive on both sides of the joint / crack onto the prepared substrate, using a suitable trowel. If the concrete substrate is damp, force the adhesive well into the substrate. Layer thickness of adhesive should be 1 -2 mm and the width on each side at least 40 mm.



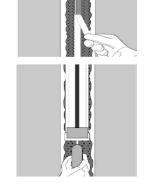






Apply the Combiflex tape within the open time of the adhesive. Press the tape firmly and without trapping air into the adhesive by using a suitable roller. The adhesive should be squeezed out on both sides of the tape by ~ 5mm.

For fixing overhead or in difficult configurations, the tape may be temporarily held in place with Sika® Trocal Adhesive C-705. This adhesive, however may only be used in the tape centre but never on the areas to be bonded with Sikadur-31 CF.

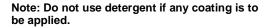


Let the base layer of the Sikadur $^{\$}$ -31 CF lightly harden before the top layer is applied. Apply the adhesive at a thickness of \sim 1 mm on both sides of the joint / crack, producing a cover which tapers outwards to almost zero.

This is followed by the removal of the the masking tape on both sides to ensure a neat and precise detail.

The adhesive top layer may be smoothed with a brush using a diluted detergent.

Allow adhesive to start curing first.

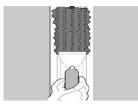


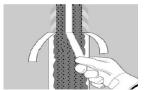
When sealing construction joints or cracks of up to 1 mm width, the tape may be completely covered with Sikadur®-31 CF which also then provides mechanical protection.

Connection of Sikadur-Combiflex® SG Tape: Tape ends are connected by hot air thermal welding The welding area must be prepared by roughing the surface by scotch brite or sand paper.

Roughen the tapes only in the welding area otherwise the bonding effect can be affected.

Overlaps have to be 40 -50 mm.







Cleaning of Tools

Clean all tools and application equipment with Sika®- Colma-Cleaner immediately after use. Hardened / cured material (adhesive) can only be mechanically removed.

Potlife

	Sikadur [®] -31 CF (0.2 kg)
Temperature	Type Normal
+10℃	~ 145 minutes
+23℃	~ 55 minutes
+30℃	~ 35 minutes

If larger quantities are being mixed the temperature of the adhesive will increase due to the chemical reaction, resulting in a reduced potlife.

Waiting Time / Overcoating

Sikadur®-31 CF may be overcoated with an epoxy coating. In this case do not smooth the adhesive with detergent. If the waiting time between application of adhesive and overcoating is to be longer than 2 days, the adhesive must be blinded to excess with quartz sand immediately after application.



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Notes on Application / Limitations	If joints are to be subjected to water pressure, the tape must be supported in the joint. Hard foam or joint sealant is recommended. For exposure to negative water pressure the Sikadur-Combiflex® SG Tape must be secured with a steel plate fixed on one side. Limit without support: For 5 mm joints at +20°C and max. 1 bar water head a tape of 2 mm thickness has to be installed.
	If a bituminous wearing layer is installed on top of Sikadur-Combiflex [®] SG System the temperature of the hot mix must not exceed +180℃ up to max. 50mm thickness. Up to 10 mm thickness the temperature may be max. +220℃. If necessary apply in layers and allow to cool in between.
	The Sikadur-Combiflex® SG Tape must be protected from mechanical damage.
	The Sikadur-Combiflex [®] SG Tape can not be connected to the Sikaplan WT membranes by hot air welding.
Value Base	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.
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