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# SikaTop® 144

## **Protective Coating**

Description	2 components, pre-dosed, ready for use coating material based on polymer modified cementitious material.
Use	<ul> <li>Use on grade, above and below grade on concrete, masonry and mortar</li> <li>Use on horizontal, vertical and overhead surfaces, both interior and exterior</li> <li>Use as coating over newly repaired concrete to provide a monolithic/uniform appearance</li> <li>Use as a protective coating for waterproofing, damp-proofing and improved resistance to weathering</li> <li>Use to coat the backside of architectural curtain wall panels to prevent water intrusion from the outside</li> </ul>
Advantages	<ul> <li>Easy to mix</li> <li>Easy to apply with brush, roller, or spray gun</li> <li>Applicable also at high air humidity.</li> <li>Superior adhesion</li> <li>Excellent weather resistance</li> <li>Good waterproofing effect at low water pressure</li> <li>Good vapour permeability</li> <li>Does not create a vapour barrier</li> <li>Resistant to de-icing salt</li> <li>Applicable on tanks for drinking water in accordance with the Food Sanitation Laws</li> </ul>
Application Substrate Preparation	All surfaces to be coated must be clean, sound and saturated surface dry with no standing water at the time of application.  Remove all dust, laitance, grease, oils, curing compounds, waxes, impregnation and other contaminants. Should substrate require repair, patch with appropriate Sika MonoTop or SikaTop series repair system. Preparation work must be done by mechanical equipment, i.e. blast cleaning, water blasting, or a combination of the two.
Mixing	Pour half of component A (liquid) into a suitable mixing vessel Add all of component B (powder), mix and stir until it becomes uniform slurry Add rest of component A (liquid), mix and stir again. Be sure to scrap down sides of the mixing container at this time.  All mixing must be done mechanically using a low-speed drill (400-600 rpm) and using suitable mixing paddle.
Coating	SikaTop 144 is to be coated evenly with brush, roller (sponge) or special spray equipment in 2 coats. Consumptions is about 350 gr/m² per coat. Surface should be saturated surface dry prior to application. Two coats are recommended for maximum performance. Apply thoroughly mixed coating generously with loaded brush or roller. Always finish off with light strokes blending back into coated area for uniform appearance. For application in direct sun or on a hot substrate, pre-wet surface and allow surface water to dissipate before coating.

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Product Data	
Colour	Light Grey
Shelf life	9 months shelf life if stored in unopened original containers in dry condition
Packaging	20 kg set
Technical Data	20 Ng 301
	Opens Av. 4 00 Miller White limited
Specific Gravity	Comp. A: ~ 1.02 Milky White liquid
	Comp. B: ~ 1.20 Grey or White Powder
	Comp. A+B: ~ 1.70 Paintlike
Mixing Ratio	A : B = 7 : 10 (by weight)
Consumption	for 2 coats approx. 700 g/m <sup>2</sup>
Pot Life	Minimum 90 minutes
(25 ℃, 75 % rH)	
Tack Free Time	Approx. 30 min (consumption of 350 gr/m <sup>2</sup> )
(25 ℃, 75 % rH)	
Recoat Time	Allow 2 hours minimum between coats
(25 ℃, 75 % rH)	
Cleaning of tools	Clean all tools with water immediately after use.
Important	■ Minimum application temperature 5°C
	■ Maximum consumption per coat is 600 g/m²
	■ Use mixed SikaTop 144 within its pot life
	■ Protect freshly coated surfaces from water
	■ For spray application, coating must be screened prior loading to spray hopper
	Coating may chalks and show water marks due to weathering or if exposed to uneven wetting
	■ For application where coating will be subjected to immersion, a 3-day cure is recommended
	■ Coating will slightly yellow with age and exposure to UV light
	As with all cement based materials, avoid contact with aluminium to prevent adverse chemical reaction and possible product failure
Handling Precautions:	Avoid contact with skin & eyes
-	Wear protective gloves and eye protection during work
	If skin contact occurs, wash skin thoroughly
	■ If in eyes open and flood with warm water. Seek medical attention without

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- A full Material Data Sheet is available from Sika on request.

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