## Sikasil®-PRO

### Professional kitchen & bathroom, sanitary grade neutral silicone sealant

Product Description	Sikasil®-PRO is a one- component, neutral-curing, low odour silicone sealant with good adhesion and long shelf life for professional applications. Sikasil®-PRO cures at room temperature under the action of atmospheric moisture to give a permanently flexible silicone rubber.
Uses	■ Glass and enamel
	Ceramics and tiles
	Aluminium, steel, zinc, copper
	■ Plastic laminates
	■ Rubber
	■ Stainless steel
	Concrete and grouts
Characteristics /	■ Excellent adhesion
Advantages	■ Great weatherability
	■ Non-sag
	■ Great tooling characteristics
	Long term mould resistance
	Interior and exterior usage
	■ Fast curing
Product Data	
Form	
Colours	White, Beige, Black, Bronze, Charcoal, Transparent, Alabaster, Taupe, Almond Ivory, Off White, Stone, Pewter, Grey, Mid Grey, Stone, Brown, Tile Grey
Packaging	300ml cartridges. 25 cartridges per box
Storage	
Storage Conditions/ Shelf Life	12 months from date of production if stored in undamaged and unopened original sealed containers, in dry conditions and protected from direct sunlight at temperatures between +10°C and +30°C.
Technical Data	
Chemical Base	Neutral curing
Density	1.01 ± 0.02
Skin/Forming Time	10-15 minutes @ 23°C/50% r.h.
Curing Rate	72 hours @ 23°C/50% r.h.



Consistency

Non-sag

Properties	
Tensile Strength	0.4 N/mm <sup>2</sup> @ 23°C/50% r.h.
Shore A Hardness	20 SHA (ASTM D2240)
E-Modulus	Max 0.4n/mm <sup>2</sup>
Ultimate Elongation	>400% (ASTM D412)
Anti-mildew Property	0 level

## System Information

### **Application Details**

Mechanical/Physical

### Substrate Preparation/Application/ Clean Up

Ensure all surfaces are clean, dry and free from dust, grease and loose material. Cut off cartridge seal, cut nozzle to desired bead size and screw nozzle on to cartridge. Place cartridge into suitable caulking gun. Hold gun at 45° angle with nozzle in contact with both joint surfaces. Gun Sikasil®-PRO ahead of nozzle to ensure product is pushed into joint. For a cleaner result, mask both sides of the joint and remove tape before silicone skins. Smooth off before skin forms (within 15 minutes) with a spatula dipped in detergent solution. Remove excess sealant immediately with a cloth dampened in mineral turpentine. Sealant surface will skin in 10 -15 minutes and is fully cured within 72 hours. Fully cured sealant can be removed by trimming with a sharp blade, but avoid under cutting seal. Sikasil®-PRO can be cleaned from tools and hands with mineral turpentine before fully cured.

# Application Conditions/Limitations

### **Restrictions On Use**

Sikasil<sup>©</sup>-PRO may be discoloured in contact with some organic elastomers, e.g. EPDM, APTK and neoprene.

Sikasil®-PRO is not recommended for applications involving contact with natural stone, such as marble, granite, quartzite, as it can cause staining.

Sikasil®-PRO is not recommended for sealing of aquaria.

Sikasil®-PRO is not recommended for structural glazing bonding. The curing time can be extended at lower temperature, low humidity or by low volume of air change. Sikasil®-PRO is not suitable for use as a mirror adhesive

Sikasil®-PRO is not suitable for permanent submersed applications eg. Swimming pools.



### 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.

# Health and Safety Information

For information and advice on the safe handling, storage and disposal of chemical products, users shall refer to the most recent Safety Data Sheet containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

### Important Notification

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 conditions. In practice, the differences in materials, substrates and actual site conditions are such that no warranty in respect of merchantability or of fitness for a particular purpose, nor any liability arising out of any legal relationship whatsoever, can be inferred either from this information, or from any written recommendations, or from any other advice offered. The proprietary rights of third parties must be observed. All orders are accepted subject to our current terms and conditions of sale. Users should always refer to the most recent issue of the Product Data Sheet for the product concerned, copies of which will be supplied on request. PLEASE CONSULT OUR TECHNICAL DEPARTMENT FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.



