

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Sikalastic®-488 (au)

Moisture-curing single-pack elastomeric polyurethane waterproofing membrane

DESCRIPTION

Sikalastic®-488 is a high performance, hand-applied, low VOC, moisture-curing single-pack elastomeric polyurethane waterproofing membrane. Sikalastic®-488 is directly foot-trafficable. Sikalastic®-488 is the base coat membrane used within the SikaRoof® MTC-UV systems.

USES

It is designed for diverse waterproofing including:

- Balconies
- Terraces
- Podium decks
- Bathrooms and wet areas
- Plant room floors
- Inverted roofs
- Undertile beds
- Under paver-pad systems

CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- UV resistance
- Seamless membrane
- High resistance to puncture and standing water
- Quick tack-free surface
- Low VOC
- High elongation
- Class III membrane
- Crack bridging capability, no reinforcement needed
- Elastomeric behaviour
- Single pack, ready to use

APPROVALS / CERTIFICATES

AS / NZS 4654.1:2012 Waterproofing membranes for external above-ground (CSIRO approved)

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Single-Pack moisture curing Polyurethane
Packaging	15 Litres
Colour	Light Grey
Shelf life	9 months

Storage conditions	From date of production if stored properly in original, unopened and undamaged sealed packaging in dry conditions at temperatures between +5°C and +30°C.	
Density	1.30-1.35 (g/cm ³)	
Volatile organic compound (VOC) content	250g/L	
Viscosity	10,000-18000cP @30 RPM	
Shore A hardness	70 Shore A	
Tensile strength	6 MPa	
Tensile strain at break	300%	
Tear strength	20 kg/cm	
Service temperature	-20 to +80 oC	
Dry film thickness	SikaRoof® MTC-12 UV 1.2mm DFT system- 2x coats of 750 micron wet film thickness required SikaRoof® MTC-14 UV 1.4mm DFT system- 2x coats of 870 micron wet film thickness required SikaRoof® MTC-20 UV 2.0mm DFT system- 3x coats of 830 micron wet film thickness required	
Consumption	SikaRoof® MTC-12 UV 1.2mm DFT system- 10m ² per 15L pail SikaRoof® MTC-14 UV 1.4mm DFT system- 8.6m ² per 15L pail SikaRoof® MTC-20 UV 2.0mm DFT system- 6m ² per 15L pail	
Relative air humidity	Between 20 and 90%	
Substrate temperature	+5 to +35 oC	
Substrate moisture content	Up to 5%	
Substrate pre-treatment	SUBSTRATE Cementitious substrates Brick & Stone Metals Paints & Coatings Single ply membranes	PRIMER Sikalastic® -100 EP Primer/ Sikalastic® Moisture Seal/ Sikalastic® PU Primer Sikalastic® -100 EP Primer/ Sikalastic® Moisture Seal/ Sikalastic® PU Primer Sikalastic® -100 EP Primer (subject to adhesion and compatibility tests) Subject to adhesion and compatibility tests Consult Sika Technical Department
Waiting time to overcoating	In normal conditions, Sikalastic®-488 can be recoated with another layer of Sikalastic®-488 after one night and within 2 days. In case of rain or if the recoating interval was exceeded, light abrasion and reactivate this with Sika Thinner C, come back to the substrate by grinding.	

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.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Sika Method Statement: SikaRoof® MTC-UV systems
- System Data Sheets: SikaRoof® MTC-12 UV, SikaRoof® MTC-14 UV, SikaRoof® MTC-20 UV

IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

Do not install Sikalastic®-488 (au) without the use of a primer. Do not under apply Sikalastic®-488 (au) as this will impact product performance and may cause premature degradation. Please refer to the SikaRoof® MTC-UV system data sheets for the build-up of each individual system.

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.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

Surface must be clean, sound, smooth and dust-free as well as oil-free. Please refer to the 'SikaRoof® MTC-UV systems' method statement for further information.

MIXING

Ready-to-use pails. Mix until homogenous.

APPLICATION

Sikalastic®-488 can be applied with a brush or a roller to the desired thickness.

Please refer to the relevant SikaRoof® MTC-UV system data sheet for consumption requirements.

Sikalastic®-488 can be subject to light traffic after 24 hours.

Sikalastic®-488 can be directly trafficable due to its high resistance to puncture and hardness.

Vehicle traffic is not permitted on Sikalastic®-488.

Note: Sikalastic 488 performance is not compromised when exposed to UV light, however it may discolour and some chalking of the surface may occur. It is highly recommended that a top coat be applied.

Please refer to the SikaRoof® MTC-UV system data sheets.

CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT

Reusable tools should be cleaned carefully with Sika Thinner C before curing.

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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