

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaWrap®-230 C

WOVEN UNIDIRECTIONAL CARBON FIBRE FABRIC, DESIGNED FOR STRUCTURAL STRENGTHEN-ING APPLICATIONS AS PART OF THE SIKA® STRENGTHENING SYSTEM

# **DESCRIPTION**

SikaWrap®-230 C is a unidirectional woven carbon fibre fabric with mid-range strength, designed for installation using the dry or wet application process. Suitable for use in hot and tropical climatic conditions.

#### USES

SikaWrap®-230 C may only be used by experienced professionals.

Structural strengthening of reinforced concrete, masonry, brickwork and timber elements or structures, to increase flexural and shear loading capacity for:

- Improved seismic performance of masonry walls
- Replacing missing steel reinforcement
- Increasing the strength and ductility of columns
- Increasing the loading capacity of structural elements
- Enabling changes in use / alterations and refurbishment
- Correcting structural design and / or construction defects
- Increasing resistance to seismic movement
- Improving service life and durability
- Structural upgrading to comply with current standards

# **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Manufacturedwith heat-set weft fibres to keep the fabric stable
- Multifunctional fabric for use in many different strengthening applications
- Flexible and accommodating of different surface planes and geometry (beams, columns, chimneys, piles, walls, soffits, silos etc.)
- Available in different widths for optimum utilisation
- Low density for minimal additional weight
- Extremely cost effective in comparison to traditional strengthening techniques

# **APPROVALS / CERTIFICATES**

- Poland: Technical Approval ITB AT-15-5604/2011:
   Zestaw wyrobów Sika CarboDur do wzmacniania i napraw konstrukcji betonowych.
- Poland: Technical Approval IBDiM Nr AT/2008-03-0336/1, Płaskowniki. pręty, kształtki i maty kompozytowe do wzmacniania betonu o nazwie handlowej: Zestaw materiałów Sika CarboDur® do wzmacniania konstrukcji obiektów mostowych.
- USA: ACI 440.2R-08, Guide for the Design and construction of Externally Bonded FRP Systems for strengthening concrete structures, July 2008.
- UK: Concrete Society Technical Report No. 55, Design guidance for strengthening concrete structures using fibre composite material, 2012.

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Construction	Fibre orientation	0° (unidirectional)	
	Warp	Black carbon fibres 99 %	
	Weft	White thermoplastic heat-set fibres	
		1 %	
Fibre Type	Selected mid-range strength carbon fibres		
Packaging	Fabric length per roll	Fabric width	
	≥ 100 m	500 mm	

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Shelf life	24 months from date of pr	oduction	
Storage conditions	Store in undamaged, original sealed packaging, in dry conditions at temper atures between +5 °C and +35 °C.  Protect from direct sunlight.		
Dry Fibre Density	1.82 g/cm <sup>3</sup>		
Dry Fibre Thickness	0.129 mm (based on fibre content)		
Area Density	235 g/m <sup>2</sup> ± 10 g/m <sup>2</sup> (carbon fibres only)		
Dry Fibre Tensile Strength	4 000 N/mm <sup>2</sup>		(ISO 10618)
Dry Fibre Modulus of Elasticity in Tension	230 000 N/mm²		(ISO 10618)
Dry Fibre Elongation at Break	1.7 %		(ISO 10618)
TECHNICAL INFORMATION			
Laminate Nominal Thickness	0.129 mm		
Laminate Nominal Cross Section	129 mm <sup>2</sup> per m width		
Laminate Tensile Strength	Average 3 500 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Characteristic 3 200 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	(EN 2561*) (ASTM D 3039*)
Laminate Modulus of Elasticity in Tension	Average 225 kN/mm <sup>2</sup>	Characteristic 220 kN/mm²	(EN 2561*)
	Average 220 kN/mm <sup>2</sup>	Characteristic 210 kN/mm <sup>2</sup>	(ASTM D 3039*)
	* Modification: sample with 50 mm Values in the longitudinal direction of Single layer, minimum 27 samples per		
Laminate Elongation at Break in Tension	1.56 % 1.59 %		(EN 2561) (ASTM D 3039)
Tensile Resistance	Average	Characteristic	(EN 2561)
	452 kN/m	413 kN/m	(ASTM D 3039)
Tensile Stiffness	Average 29.0 MN/m 29.0 kN/m per ‰ elongation	Characteristic 28.4 MN/m 28.4 kN/m per % elongation	(EN 2561)
	Average 28.4 MN/m	Characteristic 27.1 MN/m	(ASTM D 3039)
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#### **SYSTEMS**

System Structure	The system build-up and configuration as described must be fully complied

with and may not be changed.

Concrete substrate adhesive primer Sikadur®-330

Impregnating / laminating resin
Structural strengthening fabric
Sikadur®-330 or Sikadur®-300
SikaWrap®-230 C

For detailed information on Sikadur®-330, together with the resin and fabric application details, please refer to the Sikadur®-330 Product Data Sheet and the relevant Method Statement.

# APPLICATION INFORMATION

Consumption	Dry application with Sikadur®-330		
	First layer including priming layer	$0.8 - 1.2 \text{ kg/m}^2$	
	Following layers	0.7 kg/m <sup>2</sup>	
	Wet application with Sikadur®-300		
	Primer layer	$0.4 - 0.6 \text{ kg/m}^2$	
	Fabric layers	0.6 kg/m <sup>2</sup>	

#### APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

#### **SUBSTRATE QUALITY**

Minimum substrate pull-off strength: 1.0 N/mm<sup>2</sup> or as specified in the strengthening design.

Please also refer to the relevant Method Statement for further information.

#### SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

Concrete must be cleaned and prepared to achieve a laitance and contaminant free, open textured surface. Please also refer to the relevant Method Statement for further information.

#### **APPLICATION METHOD / TOOLS**

The fabric can be cut with special scissors or a Stanley knife (razor knife / box-cutter knife). Never fold the fabric.

SikaWrap®-230 C is applied using the dry or wet application process.

Please refer to the relevant Method Statement for details on the impregnating / laminating procedure.

#### IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

- SikaWrap®-230 C shall only be applied by trained and experienced professionals.
- A specialist structural engineer must be consulted for any structural strengthening design calculation.
- SikaWrap®-230 C fabric is coated to ensure maximum bond and durability with the Sikadur® adhesives / impregnating / laminating resins. To maintain and ensure full system compatibility, do not exchange system components.
- SikaWrap®-230 C can be over coated with a cementitious overlay or other coatings for aesthetic and / or protective purposes. The over coating system selec-

tion is dependent on the exposure and the project specific requirements. For additional UV light protection in exposed areas use Sikagard®-550 W Elastic or Sikagard®-680 S.

 Please refer to the relevant Method Statement of SikaWrap® for further information, guidelines and limitations.

# **BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA**

All technical data stated in this Data Sheet are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

## **LOCAL RESTRICTIONS**

Note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data and recommended uses for this product may vary from country to country. Consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact product data and uses.

#### **ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY**

This product is an article as defined in article 3 of regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH). It contains no substances which are intended to be released from the article under normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use. A safety data sheet following article 31 of the same regulation is not needed to bring the product to the market, to transport or to use it. For safe use follow the instructions given in the product data sheet. Based on our current knowledge, this product does not contain SVHC (substances of very high concern) as listed in Annex XIV of the REACH regulation or on the candidate list published by the European Chemicals Agency in concentrations above 0,1 % (w/w)

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