

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaBit® Protection Sheet-35 SA

#### 3.5 MM THICK PROTECTION AND RECOVERY BOARD

# **DESCRIPTION**

SikaBit® Protection Sheet-35 SA is a tough, rot-proof, durable pre-molded bitumen based board covered on both sides with a thin polyethylene film.
Suitable for use in hot and tropical climatic conditions.

# **USES**

SikaBit® Protection Sheet-35 SA is suitable for a variety of applications in below or above ground water-proofing as well as,

- Roofing, new and renovation projects as a recovery board.
- Waterproofing system protection board within civil works.

# **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Very low water absorption.
- Non invasive. Compatible with SikaBit® ranges of products.
- Withstands impact from backfilling operations on site, as well as effective protection against construction traffic, concreting and other topping work.
- Maintains shape stability at high temperatures.
- It is tough, rot-proof and non-biodegradable. It is unaffected by permanent immersion in water.
- Resistant to water, salts, chlorides and other chemicals normally found in soils.
- Can be bent to normal contours without cracking while rigid enough to hold as a board on vertical surfaces.
- High puncture and impact resistance.

# PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Bituminous mix with fillers and modifiers.	
Packaging	1 m x 2 m board, 215 boards per pallet.	
Appearance / Colour	Black	
Shelf life	2 years minimum from date of production if stored properly in original unopened packaging.	
Storage conditions	Boards must be stored in their original package, and under cool and dry conditions between temperatures of +5 °C and +35 °C. They must be protected from direct sunlight, rain, snow and ice.	
Length	2 m ± 1 %	
Width	1 m ± 1 %	
Effective thickness	3.5 mm ± 0.2 mm	(EN 1849-1)
Mass per unit area	5.0 kg/m² ±10 %	(EN 1849-1)

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## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

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

SikaBit® Protection Sheet-35 SA should be installed in butt joints continuously over the waterproofing material staggering the joints whenever possible. Cut the SikaBit® Protection Sheet-35 SA with suitable knife as required to obtain complete coverage and neat overall finish.

SikaBit® Protection Sheet-3 SA can be placed loose directly on the waterproofing membrane or by adhesive with Sika® Bitumen Adhesive-270, please refer to Product Data Sheet for more information.

Heated application by slightly burning the underside of the board away from the surface and quickly pressing it.

A temporary support might be necessary until the backfilling starts. During backfilling care must be taken to ensure the board is not dragged down.

#### **FURTHER INFORMATION**

- Do not use with PVC based membranes, for example, Sikaplan® WP range.
- Method Statement
- Application Manual
- Refer to relevant standards, guidelines and good industry practice.

## **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 exact product data and uses.

# **ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY**

User must read the most recent corresponding Safety Data Sheets before using any products. 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.

#### **LEGAL NOTES**

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