

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# Davco® ECO Primer

Water-borne synthetic resin based primer

## DESCRIPTION

Davco®-ECO Primer is a ready-to-use, low-VOC, synthetic resin-based primer. Davco®-ECO Primer enhances the performance and adhesion of mortars to existing ceramics and difficult-to-bond-to substrates. Davco®-ECO Primer improves bonding of self-leveling underlayments and bonds of render coats over cementitious substrates.

## USES

- Interior application only
- Use to improve the bonding on non-absorbent surfaces i.e. ceramic tile, cement
- Plywood substrate before applying polymer-modified mortars.
- Use before application over sound and stable concrete substrates
- Can improve bonding of cement
- Can be applied to metal surfaces

## CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Ready-to-use
- Easy to apply with a roller or brush
- One-component, versatile primer for a wide range of substrate conditions
- Low odor and VOC
- Easy handling and application properties
- Reduces suction on porous substrates
- Improves adhesion on smooth substrates

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

Packaging	5 kg/pail
Colour	Grey
Shelf Life	24 months from the date of production.
Storage Conditions	Stored properly in undamaged and unopened original sealed packaging.

Protect from direct sunlight and frost.

Density	1.5 g per cm <sup>3</sup>
pH-Value	~ 8
Tensile Adhesion Strength	>1.5 MPa on concrete / steel surface
Service Temperature	+5 °C to +40 °C

## 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.

## USES

- Due to different condition on substrate, environment and subsequent material applied on the primer, please perform a trial test to ensure meeting the performance and requirement before using the primer.
- The product is not recommended for water immersions.
- The application must only be carried out by experienced specialists, if additional clarification is needed, please contact your local Sika Technical Service Department.

## 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 Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

## SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

- Cementitious substrates (concrete / screed) must be structurally sound and of sufficient compressive strength (minimum 25 N/mm<sup>2</sup>) with a minimum tensile strength of 1.5 N/mm<sup>2</sup>.
- Substrates must be clean, dry and free of all contaminants such as dirt, oil, grease, coatings, laitance, surface treatments and loose friable material.
- Cementitious substrates must be prepared mechanically using suitable abrasive blast cleaning or planing / scarifying equipment to remove cement laitance and achieve an open textured gripping surface profile suitable for the product thickness.
- High spots can be removed by grinding. Weak cementitious substrates must be removed and surface defects such as blow holes and voids must be fully exposed.
- Repairs to the substrate, filling of cracks, blowholes/voids and surface levelling must be carried out using appropriate products from the Sika-floor<sup>®</sup> 1, 2, Sikadur<sup>®</sup> and Sikagard<sup>®</sup> range of materials. Products must be cured before applying Davco<sup>®</sup>-ECO Primer.
- All dust, loose and friable material must be completely removed from all surfaces before application of the product and associated system products, in extraction equipment.



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## APPLICATION

Apply Davco<sup>®</sup>-ECO Primer with roller or brush. Ensure that the surface receives a complete, thin film of product. Polymer-modified mortar or render coat may be applied once the primer is dry. The waiting time is from 2 to 5 hours but not more than 24 hours depending upon the surrounding conditions and substrate porosity. If completed coverage hasn't been achieved or the original surface is visually showing through, a second coat can be applied after a longer period of time, typically after 2 to 3 hours.

## LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Please note that as a result of specific local regulations the performance of this product may vary from country to country. Please consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact description of the application fields.

## LEGAL NOTES

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