

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

## Sikagard<sup>®</sup>-905 W

### SALTPETRE AND HUMIDITY TREATMENT SURFACE HARDENING IMPREGNATION

#### DESCRIPTION

Sikagard<sup>®</sup>-905 W is a ready to use, water based resin damp-proofing and hardening impregnation. Sikagard<sup>®</sup>-905 W is clear after drying. Sikagard<sup>®</sup>-905 W forms a physical barrier which prevents mould and biological growth.

#### USES

Sikagard<sup>®</sup>-905 W is used to prevent damp in plastered or rendered surfaces, brick or stone. Due to its low viscosity, it penetrates deeply into the substrate and forms an invisible water damp-proof barrier.

- Saltpetre treatment
- Prevention of mould growth by reducing the water absorption.
- Damp-proofing and surface hardening

Sikagard<sup>®</sup>-905 W is also used as a surface hardener for weak and dusty substrates, both indoors and outdoors.

Sikagard<sup>®</sup>-905 W can be used as a pre-treatment improving surfaces for painting works on weak or dusty surfaces.

#### CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Very low viscosity
- Almost invisible after drying
- Can be over-coated with paint or wall paper
- Can be used internally and externally
- Does not contain any biocide or any algacide raw material
- UV resistant

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

<b>Packaging</b>	2 and 5 L pail
<b>Appearance / Colour</b>	Milky white liquid
<b>Shelf life</b>	12 months from date of production if stored properly in undamaged and unopened original sealed containers
<b>Storage conditions</b>	Store in dry conditions protected from frost at temperatures higher than +5 °C. Protect from excessive heat.
<b>Density</b>	1.01 kg/l

#### APPLICATION INFORMATION

<b>Consumption</b>	Generally 0.2 to 0.3 l/m <sup>2</sup> per coat dependent on the substrate porosity.
<b>Ambient Air Temperature</b>	+5 °C min. / +35 °C max.

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

### SUBSTRATE QUALITY / PRE-TREATMENT

Remove any existing paint, wall paper or wall coatings that has been damaged by moisture prior to treatment.

Remove any visible traces of saltpetre, mould or other biological growths.

- Brush the substrate thoroughly
- Clean with fresh water
- Allow the substrate to dry out superficially before application

### MIXING

Sikagard®-905 W is supplied ready for use. Shake the pail prior to use

### APPLICATION

Apply Sikagard®-905 W by brush or roller ensuring full saturation, brushing or rolling well into the substrate. On highly absorbent substrates, a second coat might be necessary. Allow the first coat to dry prior to applying the subsequent coat.

### CLEANING OF TOOLS

Clean all tools and application equipment with water immediately after use.

### IMPORTANT CONSIDERATION

- Sikagard®-905 W is unable to prevent damage due to condensation on cold walls (e.g. in poorly ventilated rooms).
- Sikagard®-905 W cannot be used to make good excessively damaged substrates requiring complete resurfacing (e.g. deteriorated softened plaster, etc.).
- If not overcoated, in certain circumstances, Sikagard®-905 W might change the visual aspect of the surface slightly - always carry out preliminary tests prior to full application.
- Allow Sikagard®-905 W to fully dry out tack free prior to over painting or applying wall paper.
- When overcoating with wall paper, use a wall paper adhesive designed for non-absorbent substrates.
- When overcoating with washable wall paper, use a mould resistant adhesive

### 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.

## 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.

## 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.

### DIRECTIVE 2004/42/CE - LIMITATION OF EMISSIONS OF VOC

According to the EU-Directive 2004/42, the maximum allowed content of VOC (Product category IIA / g type wb) is 30 (Limit 2010) for the ready to use product. The maximum content of Sikagard®-905 W is approx. 0.0 g/l for the ready to use product.

## LEGAL NOTES

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