Sika® MonoTop® 615 HB
High Build Polymer Modified Repair mortar

Description
Sika Monotop 615 HB is a one component, thixotropic, high build, polymer modified, cementitious mortar containing silica fume.

Uses
- Fast repair to overhead, horizontal or vertical concrete or mortar surfaces above and below ground level
- Filling/repair mortar for voids, honeycombed areas, etc.
- Repair of spalled concrete caused by reinforcement corrosion
- Repairs with improved resistance to oils, sewage, chemicals, etc.

Advantages
- Fast and easy to apply to clean, sound substrate in layers up to 60 mm thick
- Excellent thixotropic behaviour, especially suitable for overhead and vertical application
- One component system requiring only the addition of clean water
- Compatible with the thermal expansion properties of concrete
- Chloride free
- Non-corrosive to reinforcing steel
- Non-toxic, suitable for potable water
- Minimized shrinkage tendency
- Good sulfate resistance

Product Data
Form/Colour
Powder / Grey

Packaging
25 kg bag

Storage
Dry, cool, shaded place

Shelf life
Min. 6 months if stored properly in unopened, original packaging
### Technical Data

**Density**  
- 1.15 kg/ltr (bulk density of powder)  
- 1.75 kg/ltr (density of fresh mortar)

**Mixing ratio**  
Water : Sika Monotop 615HB powder = 1 : 6.40 – 6.60 (parts by weight)  
Water : Sika Monotop 615HB powder = 1 : 5.60 – 5.70 (parts by volume)

- 3.80 - 3.90 litres of clean water per 25 kg bag

**Consumption**  
1 bag yields approx. 16.5 litres of mortar  
Approx. 60 bags required for 1m³ of mortar

**Pot life**  
20 minutes (at 27°C / 65 % r.h.)

**Compressive strength**  
- 6 N/mm² (1 day), ASTM C-349/ C109  
- 30 to 35 N/mm² (28 days)

**Flexural strength**  
- 6 N/mm² (28 days), ASTM C-349

**Bond strength**  
- 1.5 N/mm² (on prepared concrete surface with bonding bridge)

**Layer thickness per application**
- Minimum: 5 mm  
- Maximum: 60 mm (20-mm for overhead application)

**Application temperature**
- Minimum: 6°C  
- Maximum: 40°C

### Application

#### Surface preparation

All concrete and mortar substrate must be sound, clean and free from oil, grease and surface contaminants. All loose materials and surface laitance must be removed. For large areas, grit or grit-water blasting or scabbling is recommended. For small areas and for “spot” repairs, needle gunning or jack-hammering is effective. The concrete or mortar substrate must have a minimum compressive strength of 20 MPa. If in doubt test with a Concrete Test Hammer.

The prepared substrate should be thoroughly soaked with clean water until uniformly saturated but with no surface water. This condition is referred to as saturated surface dry and care should be taken to remove any cement slurry or dust produced during surface preparation. Steel reinforcements should have all traces of rust removed and be primed with two coats of Sika Monotop 610.

#### Priming

Concrete:  
Prior to the application of Sika Monotop 615 HB, Sika Monotop 610 should be applied as bonding bridge. Always work “wet on wet” on priming coats (refer to Sika Monotop 610 Data Sheet).

Reinforcement:  
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### Notes on application / limits

- Mix to a uniform consistency (no lumps). A small reduction in the water gives a stiffer mix.
- Repairs with Sika Monotop system cannot bridge live cracks or moving joints, etc.
- Repairs in excess of 60 mm deep must be layered as indicated above.
- Sika Monotop mortars that are wetted during the initial cure period may produce a white “bloom” on the surface which does not affect the long term properties of the mortar.

### Health and Safety information

#### Ecology

Product is water polluting do not dispose into water canals, sewer lines, etc.

#### Transportation class

Non-hazardous

#### Waste disposal

According to local law

#### Important notes

Sika Monotop 615 HB is cement base and is therefore alkaline. Suitable precautions should be taken to minimize direct contact with the skin. If the material gets into the eyes, rinse immediately with clean water and seek medical attention.

#### Disclaimer

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**Curing**

To achieve the full potential of any cement based material, curing is essential. In warm or windy weather, the use of standard curing methods is necessary (use of polyethylene sheets or damp hessian) to prevent premature drying out of mortar.

**Cleaning**

Remove non-hardened Sika Monotop products from tools and equipment with water. Hardened material can only be removed mechanically.

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