## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# SikaFix® AC-21

## ACCELERATOR FOR SikaFix\*-210 POLYURETHANE BASED INJECTION SEALING RESIN

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

SikaFix® AC-21 is a yellowish liquid which accelerates the reaction time of the SikaFix®-210. SikaFix®-210 mixed with SikaFix® AC-21 starts foaming in both in contact with water and also in dry conditions without water.

## WHERE TO USE

SikaFix® AC-21 may only be used by experienced professionals.

SikaFix® AC-21 is a specially formulated accelerator which reduces the reaction time of SikaFix®-210, particularly at low temperatures, or for the stopping of water inrushes. In situations with high water inrush and if a faster foaming and expanding action is required, the mixture of SikaFix®-210 and SikaFix® AC-21 can be further accelerated by the addition of SikaFix® AC-21 SF.

## **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- For use at low temperatures
- High and rapid foaming
- Stops unexpected high water inrush
- Modular system with SikaFix®-210 Injection resin and SikaFix® AC-21 SF

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition / Manufacturing	Amine based accelerator 4 kg			
Packaging				
Shelf Life	12 months shelf life from date of production if stored properly in undamaged, unopened, original sealed packaging.  Dry storage at temperatures from +5 °C up to +35 °C. Protect from direct sunlight and humidity.			
Storage Conditions				
Colour	Yellow			
Density	~0.99 kg/l (at 23 °C)	(ISO 2811)		

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## **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

Ambient Air Temperature	+5 °C min. / +35 °C max.  +5 °C min. / +35 °C max.  Dry Environment, 20 °C material and ambient temperature					
Substrate Temperature Reaction Time						
		0 %	~45 s	-	~1 fold	
	5 %	~15 s	~25 s	~10 fold		
	10 %	~12 s	~21 s	~15 fold		
	15 %	~10 s	~17 s	~20 fold		
	20 %	~9 s	~14 s	~25 fold		
	Wet Environment (10 % water), 20 °C material and ambient temperature					
	Dosage*	Foaming	Foaming End	Foaming	(PM 10811-6)	
		Start		Factor		
	0 %	~48 s	~75 s	~3 fold		
	5 %	~20 s	~45 s	~25–30 fold		
	10 %	~15 s	~35 s	~25–30 fold		
	15 %	~13 s	~27 s	~25–30 fold		
	20 %	~11 s	~21 s	~25–30 fold		
	Dry Enviror	ment, 10 °C ma	aterial and ambie	nt temperature		
	Dosage*	Foaming	Foaming End	Foaming	(PM 10811-6)	
	-	Start		Factor		
	0 %	~100 s	-	~1 fold		
	5 %	~30 s	~40 s	~10 fold		
	10 %	~25 s	~35 s	~15 fold		
	15 %	~21 s	~30 s	~20 fold		
	20 %	~18 s	~14 s	~25 fold		
	Dry Environment, 5 °C Material and Ambient Temperature					
	Dosage*	Foaming	Foaming End	Foaming	(PM 10811-6)	
		Start		Factor		
			_	~1 fold		
	0 %	~140 s				
	0 % 5 %	~140 s ~40 s	~52 s	~10 fold		
			~52 s ~46 s	~10 fold ~15 fold		
	5 %	~40 s				

<sup>\*</sup> SikaFix® AC-21 in % by weight of SikaFix®-210 (Component A+B)

## **BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA**

Product properties are typically averages, obtained under laboratory conditions. Reasonable variations can be expected on-site due to local factors, including environment, preparation, application, curing and test methods.

## **LIMITATIONS**

- The maximum amount of SikaFix® AC-21 must not exceed 20 % of the mixed SikaFix®-210 (comp. A + comp. B).
- The reaction time depends on both the material and

the ambient temperatures, as well as on the quantity of accelerator added. Lower temperatures will slow down, and higher temperatures will accelerate the reaction time.

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## **ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH & SAFETY**

User must read the most recent corresponding Safety Data Sheets (SDS) before using any products. The SDS provides information and advice on the safe handling, storage and disposal of chemical products and contains physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data

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## **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **MIXING**

Shake the unopened can of SikaFix® AC-21 thoroughly immediately prior to mixing.

Mix SikaFix® AC-21 into comp. A of SikaFix®-210 until homogenous.

The mixing ratio of (SikaFix®-210 comp. A + SikaFix® AC-21): SikaFix®-210 comp. B remains at 1:1 by volume. Reduce the amount of SikaFix®-210 comp. A accordingly if adding SikaFix® AC-21.

Use SikaFix®-210 according to the respective Product Data Sheet and Application Instructions.

#### **CLEAN UP**

Clean all tools and application equipment according to the Product Data Sheet for the Sika® Injection Cleaning System.

Hardened/cured material can only be removed mechanically.

## 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.

## **LEGAL NOTES**

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