

# Emcephob L

Solvent-free hydrophobic agent



## PRODUCT PROPERTIES

- Water based, silane based hydrophobic agent
- Reduces capillary water adsorption
- Extremely water repellent
- Fast and sticky-free drying
- Not visual, non-film forming
- High protection against frost and de-icing salts
- Efflorescence and impurity reduction on concrete surfaces
- Reduces algae and moss growth
- Rain impermeable
- Alkali-resistant
- Can be brushed, rolled or sprayed
- Very low emission according to GEV-EMICODE, categorie EC1<sup>PLUS</sup>
- Low emission level acc. to AgBB
- Solvent free, free of softening agents
- Ready to use

## AREAS OF APPLICATION

- Hydrophobization of alkali and cement based surfaces
- Hydrophobization of precast elements
- Hydrophobization of fairfaced concrete
- Hydrophobization of surfaces enhanced with Concrete cosmetics, e.g. with Emcefex and Nafuquick
- Hydrophobization of Concrete retouch and glaze surfaces, e.g. with Repacryl

## APPLICATION ADVICE

**General information:** To achieve a high hydrophobic effect the substrate must be dry and absorbent. The drier the concrete's surface, the deeper the penetration. The concrete age must be at least 4 weeks.

Emcephob L can be applied also on a jung concrete surfaces with a max. residual moisture of 4 %. At this the substrate absorbency is reduced, negative influences have not been identified. In case of fairfaced concrete we recommend to create test surfaces.

At the application please respect the ambient and near the surface moisture conditions.

**Substrate Preparation:** The substrate must be clean, solid, non-flaking and free from any anti-adhesives (e.g. separating agents). Penetration of moisture behind joints, pores and cracks must be avoided.

**Application:** Emcephob L is ready to use. The application can be made by brushing, spraying or rolling. Apply the material in one layer from the bottom up vertically and subsequently cross-wise horizontally.

Emcephob L dries very fast. Already after 30 minutes it appears a high repellency. However a full effect of the hydrophobization will be reached approx. 48 hours after product's application. Due to the hydrophobic - so-called lotus - effect of this product, liquids and dirt will be drained off the concrete surface instead of entering in. However, it is not possible to apply any other coatings on treated areas.

**General information:** Fresh threated surfaces with Emcephob L are min. 6 hours, better 48 hours to be protected from rain (20 °C, 60 % RH).

Emcephob L is a temporary surface protection, whereby through environmental influences the effectiveness is declining. Therefore Emcephob L should be renewed in regular intervals, latest after 5 years.

## TECHNICAL VALUES & PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Unit	Value	Comments
Density	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	approx. 1.01	
Application conditions	°C	> 8 < 30	air, substrate and material temperatures
Consumption	ml/m <sup>2</sup>		depending on condition of substrate
Waterproofing		100 - 150	
Penetration depth	mm	14	grade II per EN 1504-2
Drying time	minutes	approx. 10 - 15	at 20° C and 65 % rel. humidity
Drying rate	g/m <sup>2</sup> h	0.718	EN 13579
Reaction time, pot life	hours	48	protect from rain
Drying coefficient	%	93	EN 13579
PH value		approx. 4.5	
Delivery form		10 l canister; 30 l canister; 1 pallet (16 canisters of 30 l); 200 l barrel	
Base		silane	
Colour		transparent	
Equipment cleaning agent		water	
Self-monitoring		EN ISO 9001	
Storage		Can be stored in cool and dry conditions for at least 12 months in original unopened packs. Protect from frost.	
Packaging disposal		Make sure single-use containers are completely empty.	

### Safety instructions

Please note the safety information and advice given on the packaging labels and safety data sheets.

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