

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

SikaBiresin® RG53 (Biresin® RG53)

LOW PRESSURE RIM SYSTEM – SIMULATION OF PE / PP

APPLICATIONS

- Manufacture of housings and coverings
- Manufacture of very impact resistant technical parts
- Manufacture of thin walled mouldings with complex structures

MAIN PROPERTIES

- Fast curing with good flowability
- Short demoulding time
- Cured parts can be machined
- With SikaBiresin® RG500 (B) for higher temperature resistance
- With SikaBiresin® RG530 (B) for higher mechanical properties

DESCRIPTION

Basis	Two component polyurethane system
Component A	SikaBiresin® RG53, polyol, beige and black
Component B	SikaBiresin® RG500, MDI-based isocyanate, brown SikaBiresin® RG530, MDI-based isocyanate, amber

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Components		Polyol (A)	Isocyanate (B)	Isocyanate (B)
Viscosity, 25 °C	mPa.s	~ 2,200	~ 110	~ 175
Density	g/cm ³	1.03	1.23	1.23
Mixing ratio A:B	in parts by weight	100	75	80
Mixing ratio A:B	in parts by volume	100	62	66
		Mixture		
Colour		beige / black		
Pot life, room temperature	s	~ 60		
Demoulding time, room temperature	min	> 10		
Curing time, room temperature	d	~ 1		

MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

approx. values

			SikaBiresin® RG500	SikaBiresin® RG530
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm ³	1.2	1.2
Shore hardness	ISO 868	-	D 78	D 80
Flexural modulus	ISO 178	MPa	1,300	1,400
Flexural strength	ISO 178	MPa	54	58
Tensile strength	ISO 527	MPa	38	38
Elongation at break	ISO 527	%	20	25
Impact resistance	ISO 179	kJ/m ²	95 / 50*	90 / 60*

THERMAL AND SPECIFIC PROPERTIES

approx. values

			SikaBiresin® RG500	SikaBiresin® RG530
Heat deflection temperature	ISO 75B	°C	63 / 120*	60 / 110*

* values after post curing: 4 h / 80 °C +
2 h / 120 °C

PACKAGING UNITS

- Polyol (A), **SikaBiresin® RG53**, beige 20 kg / 200 kg
- Polyol (A), **SikaBiresin® RG53**, black 20 kg / 200 kg / 1,000 kg
- Isocyanate (B), **SikaBiresin® RG500** 5 kg / 20 kg / 250 kg
- Isocyanate (B), **SikaBiresin® RG530** 0.975 kg / 10 kg / 20 kg / 200 kg / 1,200 kg

PROCESSING DATA

- The material and processing temperature should be at least 18 – 25 °C, mould temperature at least 20 – 60 °C.
- Component A must be stirred thoroughly before use.
- For processing, a suitable two-component meter mix and dispense machine should be used.
- The machine should be conform to the reactivity of the material and the volume of the casted parts. A static-dynamic or dynamic mixing unit is recommended.
- The machine vessel for component A must have a mixing unit. Furthermore, a heating unit for the machine vessels of both components is recommended.
- Machine vessel for both components must be moisture tight, e.g. by installation of a silicagel filter.
- Recommended release agents are Sika® Liquid Wax-852 or Sika® Liquid Spray-872. For more information, see Product Data Sheets of the release agents.
- Pay attention to dry conditions and dry mould surfaces (moisture content of wood < 7 %) while processing.
- Increased mould temperatures are decreasing the demoulding time.
- Further post curing of the demoulded part can improve the final mechanical properties. The final thermal properties depend on the process and production conditions.
- Depending on the geometry and weight of the part, it is recommended to use a conformer while post curing.
- Before overpainting, the parts have to be grinded or sandblasted. A polyurethane paint is recommended.

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STORAGE CONDITIONS

Shelf life	■ Polyol (A), SikaBiresin® RG53	12 months
	■ Isocyanate (B), SikaBiresin® RG500	12 months
	■ Isocyanate (B), SikaBiresin® RG530	12 months
Storage temperature	■ Polyol (A), SikaBiresin® RG53	18 – 25 °C
	■ Isocyanate (B), SikaBiresin® RG500	18 – 25 °C
	■ Isocyanate (B), SikaBiresin® RG530	18 – 25 °C
Crystallization	■ After prolonged storage at low temperature, crystallization of B component may occur. ■ This is easily removed by warming up for a sufficient time to a maximum of 70 °C. ■ Allow to cool to requested processing temperature before use.	
Opened packagings	■ Containers must be closed tightly immediately after use to prevent moisture ingress. ■ The residual material needs to be used up as soon as possible.	

FURTHER INFORMATION

The information herein is offered for general guidance only. Advice on specific applications is available on request from the Technical Department of Sika Advanced Resins. Copies of the following publications are available on request: Safety Data Sheets

BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA

All technical data stated in this document are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

HEALTH AND SAFETY INFORMATION

For information and advice regarding transportation, handling, storage and disposal of chemical products, users shall refer to the actual Safety Data Sheets containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

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