

# **LANKO** 135

## FFATHER FDGE

**FEATHERING MORTAR** RAPID SETTING, POLYMER MODIFIED, CEMENT BASED

## WHERE TO USE

Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge is designed for thin layer patching of vertical, horizontal and overhead applications. It is particularly useful for ramping previously patched/ levelled floors into doorways, walkways, etc. It can be applied to a variety of different substrates. Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge is a highly polymer modified fast setting cementitious feathering mortar, for use on irregular/uneven concrete floors, prior to the application of floor coverings, such as tiles, carpet, vinyl etc. It requires the addition of only potable water to achieve a high fluid consistency producing a smooth, level, and hard surface. Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge can be applied in multiple layers with each layer being no more than 10mm thick.

#### Uses

Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge is suitable for repairing honeycomb concrete, as well as cracks and pinholes. It can be used for skim coating over particle board and plywood flooring to fill in grooves, gouges, and level up joints. Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge is compatible with commonly used adhesives and normally can receive floor coverings within 1 - 2 hours of installation when applied as a skim coat. Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge is not a wearing surface and must be protected with a compatible topping, floor covering or coating.

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

## Coverage

1kg of Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge will cover approximately: 4m<sup>2</sup> at skim coat thickness. 1m<sup>2</sup> at 1mm thickness

#### Set Time

Foot trafficable at 20°C 1-2 hrs at 3mm thickness ~20 mins for a skimcoat

## **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

- Fast-setting
- Can be applied on a variety of substrates
- Useful for ramping previous patched/levelled floors into doorways, walkways, etc.
- Ideal for repairing honeycomb concrete, as well as cracks and pinholes

## **PACKAGING**

10kg of powder packaged individually into 1kg plastic bags inside a 10L mixing container.





## **TECHNICAL**

TECHNICAL DATA	LANKO 134
Appearance	
Shelf life when stored unopened in elevated, cool, dry location	6 months

Values presented are typical and not necessarily referenced to create specifications. All measurements are taken at 20°C and 50% relative humidity. Specifications vary according to site conditions and should be taken as a guide only.



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A test should be undertaken in all cases to ensure suitability

## **SURFACE PREPARATION**

- Surfaces, must be dry, structurally sound, clean, free of dust, dirt, wax, oil, grease, asphalt, mastic, latex compounds, adhesives, paint, gypsum-based products and other contaminants
- All concrete sub-floors must be fully cured and dry, in accordance
  with AS1884-1985 (maximum moisture content 5.5% or 70%
  humidity). They must be free of laitance, loose or deteriorated
  concrete, curing or form release agents, other contaminants
  and have a wood float finish. For sub-floors with a high moisture
  content or subject to rising damp, apply Davco Lanko 531 Epoxy
  Moisture Barrier. Refer to datasheet for specific instructions
- Non-porous surfaces, such as power trowelled or steel floated concrete, must be primed with Davco Lanko 531 Epoxy Moisture Barrier or Davco Ultrabond. Alternatively, they can be acid etched or mechanically abraded
- · Deeply contaminated substrates must be abraded to a clean, sound

- TYPICAL TEST TEST DATA CRITERION **RESULT** Test method: ASTM C191 Work time 5 - 10 mins 25-30 mins Initial set time thickness 1-2 hrs at 3mm thickness Foot trafficable at 20°C ~20 mins for a skimcoat 4 - 6 hours at 1-2 hrs for a Ready to receive floor coverings skimcoat Pot life at 20°C 30 mins
  - surface or prepared with the use of Davco Ultrabond. Contact Sika Australia for further details
- Patch large cracks and holes with a Davco Lanko 731 or Davco Lanko 712 Concrete Repair Mortar
- Any construction joints in the underlying sub-floor should be carried through the Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge, to avoid cracking

#### PRIMER PREPARATION

- Porous concrete surfaces must be primed with Davco Lanko 124 Ultraprime. Use Davco Lanko 124 Ultraprime directly from the container - do not dilute
- Under hot, windy conditions (Temperatures above 30°C), it
  is essential to wet down any concrete slabs with clean water
  prior to priming, so that the primer does not flash dry. After
  wetting down the floor, do not allow the water to pool or pond
  on the surface. The substrate should appear matt, with no
  signs of glistening water evident prior to application of the
  primer
- Extremely porous concrete slabs should be wet down with water, as per instructions for hot, windy conditions, to prevent flash drying of the primer.
- Test areas should be performed in all cases, to assure the suitability of the product for the intended use. This should include the floor finishing / covering

#### MIX PREPARATION

Mix Ratio

SITUATION / REQUIREMENT	MIX REQUIREMENTS PER 1KG
General applications	475 – 525ml clean, potable water



#### Mix Process

- Electric stirring is required as it produces a much smoother mix. The most efficient method of mixing Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge is by using a 1/2 inch or 12 mm heavy-duty electric drill (maximum 650 rpm). Concrete mixers or hand mixing are not suitable methods.
- 2. Add 475 525ml of potable water, and then slowly add 1kg of the Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge powder. Mix for no less than 1 minute to provide a smooth, lump free consistency.
- 3. Clean mixers and tools thoroughly after each batch to avoid material build up.

Note: Lanko 135 Feather Edge is a rapid setting product. Do not mix up more product than can be placed within 10 minutes.

 For any additional mixing instructions not covered above, contact Sika Australia.

#### **APPLICATION**

- 1. Place the mixed product onto the prepared substrate using a flat trowel. Use only a minimum of working to spread to the desired thickness and contour.
- Allow the product to set up a little before smoothing out to the desired finish. For a very smooth finish, it is desirable to use a steel trowel.
- If the mix begins to stiffen in the bucket, do not try and reconstitute the mix by adding more water, simply discard the product and make a new mix.
- 4. Additional layers can be applied over existing layers, provided the previous layer has attained suitable hardnessfor placement. Prime with Davco Lanko 124 Ultraprime if more than 24 hours passes before the new material is applied.
- 5. Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge is trafficable after approximately 1 –2 hours at 20°C and is suitable for the application of floor coverings after approximately 4 6 hours at 200C (when applied at 3mm thickness). These set cure times can vary depending upon the application thickness and the site temperature conditions.
- 6. For a skim coating, the Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge will be trafficable in as little as 20 minutes.

## High Stress Areas

When Lanko 135 Feather Edge is to be used in areas of high stress or under exacting conditions, special instructions are generally required. Please contact Sika Australia for specific instructions

#### Floor Coverings

As a general guide, the surface finish of Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge is not dissimilar to concrete. Any adhesives used to bond subsequent floor coverings that are compatible with concrete will be compatible with Davco Lanko 13 Feather Edge. If unsure about suitability in certain installations, contact Sika Australia for guidance.

## Clean-up & Return to Service

- Clean mixing and application equipment with water immediately following use
- Remove splatter or spills with water before material sets
- Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge contains cementitious materials and if allowed to dry, removal becomes extremely difficult

## **PRECAUTIONS**

## Safety

- · SDS is available from www.sika.com.au
- It is recommended that applicators wear PVC or similar gloves and safty goggles while handling this product
- Keep out of reach of children. If eye contact occurs, rinse with cool water
- · If ingested get immediate medical assistance

#### General

- Do not apply or mix when temperatures are below 5°C or above 35°C. Also, do not apply if temperatures are expected to reach these levels for at least 24 hours after application.
- Do not apply if temperatures are expected to reach these levels within 24 hours of application
- Ensure all surface preparation, testing and mixing instructions are followed precisely
- Do not add cement, lime, gypsum, plaster, bonding agents, aggregates or other materials except where specified on the Technical Data Sheet
- Do not apply Davco Lanko 134 Pro Level Express over frozen or frost filled surfaces
- Wherever possible, test areas are recommended, to ensure the suitability of the product for the intended use. This should include the floor finishing/covering.

## Specific

- Construction joints in the sub-floor must be detailed through Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge to prevent cracking
- Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge should not be over-watered, over-mixed, or remixed with additional water. Any material over 10 minutes old should be discarded and not used
- Do not use Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge over a slab with a high moisture content or that is subject to rising damp unless a suitable epoxy barrier is used prior
- When Davco Lanko 135 Feather Edge is to be used in areas of high stress or under exacting conditions, such as installation over timber floors, metal decks and over heated sub-floors, special instructions are generally required.
- For applications not mentioned on the data sheet, contact Sika Australia.



## **LEGAL NOTES**

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