



# Calofer

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### **Technical data**

Basis	Sodium silicate
Consistancy	Stable paste
Curing system	Physical drying
Density	1,82 g/ml
Maximum allowed distortion	Ca. 2 %
Temperature resistance	-40 °C → 1500 °C
Application temperature	5 °C → 30 °C

<sup>(\*)</sup> these values may vary depending on environmental factors such as temperature, moisture, and type of substrates.

# **Product description**

Calofer is a high quality sealing paste based on sodium silicate.

## **Properties**

- Ready for use
- · No fragmentation or cracking after curing
- Heat resistant up to 1500°C
- Free of asbesto

# **Applications**

- Sealing of joints and openings where high temperatures are possible.
- Sealing of stoves, ovens, fireplaces.

### **Packaging**

Colour: black

Packaging: 310 ml cartridge

#### Shelf life

12 months in unopened packaging in a cool and dry storage place at temperatures between +5°C and +25°C. Protect against frost.

## **Substrates**

Substrates: brick, concrete, metals Nature: clean, dry, free of dust and grease. Surface preparation: Slightly moistening porous surfaces improves the adhesion. We recommend a preliminary compatibility test.

## Joint dimensions

Min. width for joints: 5 mm Max. width for joints: 15 mm

### **Application method**

Application method: Apply with spatula, filling knife or sealing gun.

Cleaning: Before curing, Calofer can be removed with water from substrates and tools. Finishing: Finish with a spatula or putty knife. Repair. With the same material

## **Health- and Safety Recommendations**

Take the usual labour hygiene into account. Consult the packaging label for more information.

## Remarks

- A slight warming of the heating installation during 12 hours after application prevents bubbleforming and improves structure.
- Do not apply in situations where constant water immersion is possible.

# **Environmental clauses**

Leed regulation:

Calofer conforms to the requirements of LEED. Low –Emitting Materials: Adhesives and Sealants. SCAQMD rule 1168. Complies with USGBC LEED® 2009 Credit 4.1: Low-Emitting Materials – Adhesives & Sealants concerning the VOC-content.

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