

## KOBAU – Build consistently

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# KOBAU optitape SH with the red thread



#### Field of application / properties

KOBAU optitape SH is used for bridging all types of construction joints, for the reinforcement of joints in prefabricated concrete ceilings or prestressed concrete floors, and in the field of dry construction for gypsum boards or fibre boards. KOBAU optitape SH is a fabric tape made of slip-resistant finished technical polyester. It is reinforced with a narrow-meshed middle strip of 40 mm in width. KOBAU optitape SH is watertight, weatherproof, resistant to chemicals and non-fouling. A self-adhesive coating on one side, that is protected by a separating film and compatible with all dispersions, provides for easy handling.

For indoor and outdoor use.

#### Processing

Prepare the joint to be reinforced according to VOB Part C, DIN 18363 or the applicable BFS notices. Subsequently, fill the joint with a suitable elasticised filler according to the instructions of the manufacturer so that they are level with the surface. Remove the separating film, unroll KOBAU optitape SH in the middle of the joint and press the tape against the joint, avoiding any formation of wrinkles. The tape edges should overlap at least by 5 cm. Afterwards apply flexible reinforcement adhesive and smoothen repeatedly until the tape is completely covered.

Any subsequent treatment is to be performed according to the requirements of the substrate. In order to achieve uniformly structured surfaces, the use of KOBAU microlith<sup>®</sup> Spachtelvlies or KOBAU Armiera<sup>®</sup> Anstrichvlies is recommended.

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Technical data	
Quality	PES fabric
Colour	Natural white
Stabilization	Chemical
Specific weight (incl. foil)	abt. 96 g/m²
Thickness	abt. 120 µm
Max. longitudinal tensile force, closed zone	abt. 1000 N/5 cm
Max. longitudinal tensile force, open zone	abt. 200 N/5 cm
Max. transverse tensile force	abt. 180 N/5 cm
Longitudinal elongation	abt. 15%
Transverse elongation	abt. 15%

#### Delivery form

Roll dimensions:

0.12 m x 10 m 0.12 m x 25 m 0.12 m x 50 m

## Tools

• Roller, brush, paint brush and smoothening tool.

## Required material

• about 300 ml/m of reinforcement adhesive KOBAU Armierungskleber applied on smooth substrates.

#### Storage

in dry, cool and closed spaces.

#### Remarks

Subsequent work to be performed in accordance with the guidelines of the manufacturer.

Notes

The above statements reflect the current stage of development and make no claim to completeness. As the application and use of our products is beyond our control and variations in use, modes of operation and materials must be tailored to the prevailing working conditions, this technical information cannot be regarded as legally binding. This edition supersedes previous technical instructions.