A thin coating presupposes that the substrate is very even and highly stable. Because of the low thickness of the layer, a thin coating is suitable for light to moderate stresses. If the anticipated stresses are greater, e. g. fork-lift truck traffic, thick top coats are preferred.

## Substrate / priming

Possible substrates include concrete, cement, asphalt (only indoors) and steel structures. After the substrate has been suitably prepared, it is primed with SILIKAL ${ }^{\circledR}$ RU 727 resin. Before hardening, SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ Filler QS, particle size $0.2-0.6 \mathrm{~mm}$, can be sprinkled loosely into the fresh coat. On steel a maximum 0.3 \% pbw. of SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ Additive M must also be applied to the primer resin.
Consumption: Primer approx. 300-400 g/m ${ }^{2}$

## Main coat

The coat must be overlayed within 24 hours by means of SILIKAL ${ }^{\circledR}$ RU 727 resin. The resin is mixed with about 5-10 \% pbw. of SILIKAL® Pigment Powder and SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ Filler QM (or equivalent quartz powder) in a ratio of $2: 1$ and applied liberally to the pre-primed surface.

## Decorations / Top coat

Variant 1: Pigmented smooth<br>A colour sealant SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ RU 727 resin (pigmented with $10 \%$ pbw. of SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ Pigment Powder) is applied to the main coat.<br>Consumption: approx. $400 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$

## Variant 2: Coloured flakes smooth

Before hardening, SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ Coloured Flakes are thoroughly sprinkled into the main coat. Once the excess flakes have been brushed / vacuumed away, colourless top coat SILIKAL ${ }^{\text {R }} 71$ or SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ R 72 resin is applied. The surface is grinded with sand paper after the initial topping and then applied again.

| Consumption: | Coloured flakes <br> $1^{\text {st }}$ top coat | approx. $500-600 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$ <br> approx. $500 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$ |
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|  | $2^{\text {nd }}$ top coat | approx. $400 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$ |

Variant 3: Pigmented non-slip
Before hardening, SILIKAL® Filler QS, particle size optionally $0.2-0.6 \mathrm{~mm}$ or $0.7-1.2 \mathrm{~mm}$ (or the equivalent quartz sand) is sprinkled into the main coat until saturation. Once the excess sand has been brushed / vacuumed away, the surface is rolled-on with SILIKAL ${ }^{\circledR}$ R 72 or SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ RU 727 resin (each pigmented with 10 \% pbw. of SILIKAL ${ }^{\circledR}$ Pigment Powder).

| Consumption: | Filler QS <br> Top coat | $2 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$ <br> approx. |
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|  |  | a $500 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$ |

## Variant 4: Coloured quartz non-slip

Before hardening, SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ Filler FS, particle size $0.3-0.8 \mathrm{~mm}$ or $0.7-1.2 \mathrm{~mm}$ is sprinkled into the main coat until saturation. Once the excess sand has been brushed / vacuumed away, the surface is applied with SILIKAL ${ }^{\circledR}$ R 72 or SILIKAL ${ }^{\circledR}$ R 71 resin.

| Consumption: | Filler FS <br> Top coat | $2 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$ <br> approx. |
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## Variant 5: Coloured flakes slightly non-slip

Before hardening, SILIKAL® Coloured Flakes are thoroughly sprinkled into the main coat. Once the excess flakes have been brushed / vacuumed away, the surface is applied with SILIKAL® ${ }^{\circledR} 71$ or SILIKAL ${ }^{\oplus}$ R 72 resin.
Consumption: Coloured flakes approx. $500 \mathbf{- 6 0 0}$ g/m ${ }^{2}$ Top coat approx. $400 \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{m}^{2}$

Please refer to the data sheets for the relevant Silikal resins for the guideline recipes, material consumption, hardener quantities etc.

