

SIKA AT WORK VAN OPDORP TRUCK WASH AREAS, SAS VAN GENT, NETHERLANDS

FLOORING: Sika® Ucrete® DP 10



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RENOVATION OF THE FLOOR IN THE CAR WASH AREAS



PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Project name: van Opdorp truck wash areas Location: Sas van Gent, Netherlands Year: 2005

Van Opdorp Transport Group is a specialized logistics service provider with branches in the Netherlands and Belgium. Operationally, the company is managed from Sas van Gent, located along the canal from Ghent to Terneuzen, just a 45-minute drive from the ports of Ghent, Antwerp, Zeebrugge, and Vlissingen.

The family business, founded in 1927, has developed into a modern, well-equipped company and is currently active in various branches of transport and supporting logistics services.

PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

The existing floor of the truck wash areas was not resistant to the high temperatures during cleaning. The steam halls also needed to be equipped with a floor that can withstand high temperatures from the wash water in the internal tanks for an extended period. The floor also needed to be resistant to cleaning agents and the mechanical load of the trucks and be able to bear weight quickly after application and be applied to a damp substrate.



SIKA SOLUTIONS

After all existing floor finishes were removed, a fast-curing sloping floor was applied, upon which Sika[®] Ucrete[®] DP 10 BC9, a high-quality pourand-sprinkle floor, was installed. With a thickness of 9 mm, this Sika[®] Ucrete[®] floor is resistant to high temperature loads.

Sika[®] Ucrete[®] floors offer several key benefits for the customer. They can be applied on both damp and new concrete, ensuring versatility and ease of installation in various conditions. These floors cure quickly, allowing for use just 24 hours after application. They are highly resistant to solvents and chemicals, making them durable and long-lasting in harsh environments. Additionally, they withstand prolonged thermal exposure up to +130°C, providing reliable performance even under extreme temperatures. The anti-slip properties are adjustable, enhancing safety and customization to meet specific needs.

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PROJECT PARTICIPANTS

Project Owner: van Opdorp Transport Group Applicator/Contractor: D.R.T. Vloeren

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