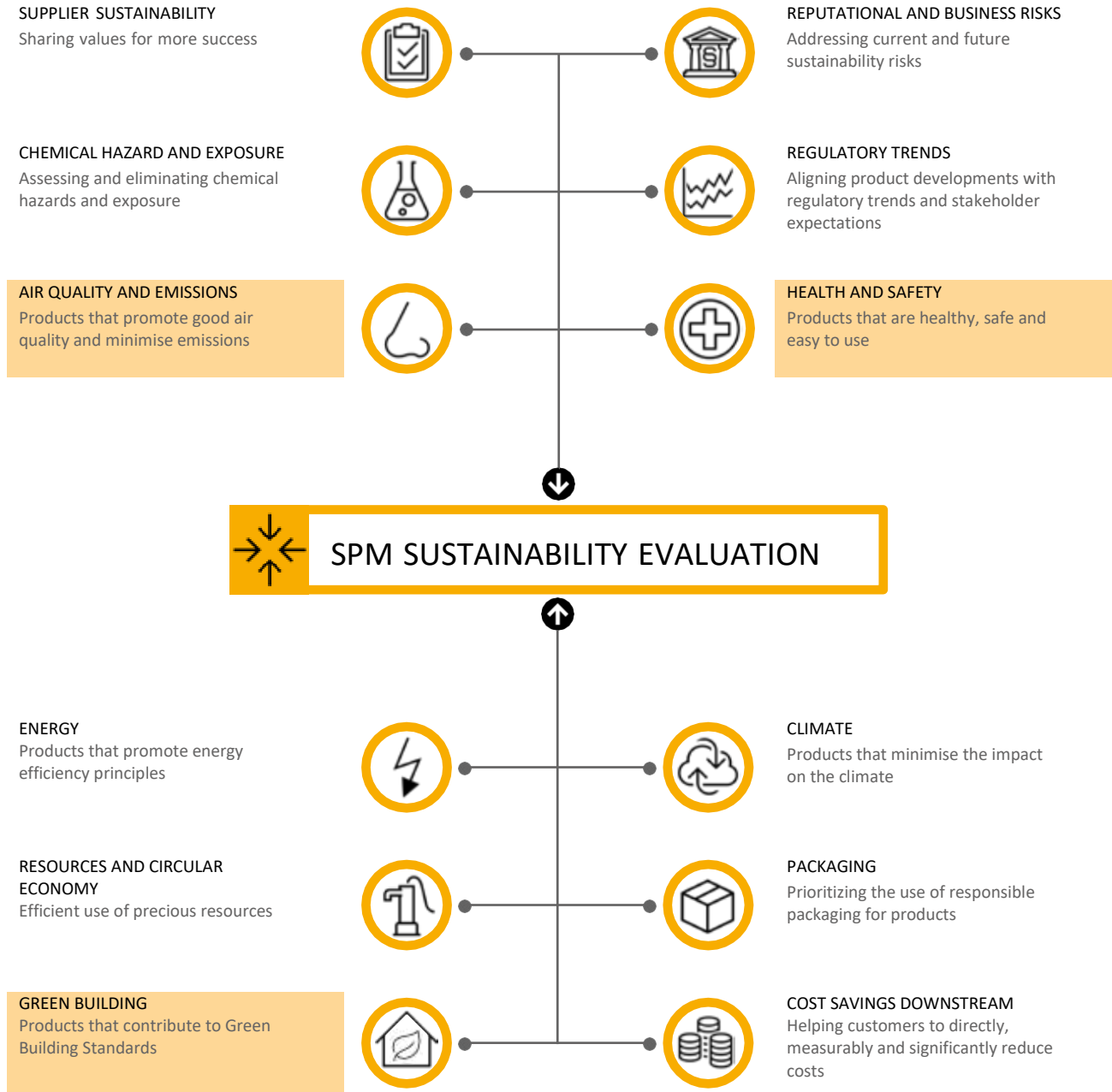


Sikadur®-31+

Sustainability Portfolio Management (SPM) is the mechanism used by Sika to evaluate and classify its products in defined segments in terms of Performance and Sustainability. Sika’s SPM Methodology is based on and conforms with the WBCSD’s Chemical Industry Methodology for Portfolio Sustainability Assessments (PSA). The methodology includes a Sustainability evaluation step involving a detailed evaluation of the product against a range of criteria covered within the 12 most material Sustainability Categories for Sika.

The relevant Sustainability Categories for this product are highlighted in the infographic below.



## Sikadur®-31+

**MORE PERFORMANCE — MORE SUSTAINABLE**

MORE PERFORMANCE MORE SUSTAINABLE stands for Sika's product innovation through a unique combination of higher performance and proven sustainability benefits. A Sustainable Solution is a product which combines superior performance with a significant sustainability contribution for customers within its technology and application.

**PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS AND BENEFITS**

Sikadur®-31+ is a 2-part, epoxy based, moisture tolerant, thixotropic, structural adhesive which bonds most construction materials. With Sikadur®-31+, Sika customers benefit from:

- Very Low VOC Emissions and Low Odor
- Not regulated as a Dangerous Good, Suitable for Professional and DIY
- Meets LEED v4 Requirements

**AIR QUALITY AND EMISSIONS: VERY LOW VOC AND LOW ODOR**

Sikadur®-31+ has been externally tested for VOC emissions and content in accordance with the GEV Testing Method. The product was classified as EC1PLUS and awarded the license for the use of the GEV Trademark. In addition, Sikadur®-31+ shows demonstrably lower odor when compared to conventional 2-part epoxy structural adhesives, based upon suitable scientific laboratory testing using test subjects.

- With the GEV Testing Method, VOC determination of products is performed in a test chamber followed by the Tenax / thermal desorption procedures with subsequent GC/MS analysis.
- The odor laboratory testing involves filling bags of known volume with air and injecting a set volume of the sample to be tested. A panel of people are then exposed to a set quantity of the air and give this a rating based on strength and hedonic tone.

**HEALTH AND SAFETY: NOT REGULATED AS A DANGEROUS GOOD, SUITABLE ALSO FOR DIY**

Due to its improved Environment Health and Safety (EHS) composition, Sikadur®-31+ is not labelled as a dangerous good. As a result of its improved classification and labelling, Sikadur®-31+ can also be used in do it yourself (DIY) applications in addition to the traditional professional applications of standard epoxy products.

For further information, refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS).

**GREEN BUILDING: MEETS LEED V4 REQUIREMENTS**

Sikadur®-31+ is part of the Sika LEED product portfolio and conforms on three LEED v4 credit requirements, thus directly contributing to the attainment of 3 points. More details about the individual credit fulfillment are given in the Sika LEED Attestations.

- LEED v4 Mrc 2 (Option 1): Building Product Disclosure and Optimization – Environmental Product Declarations  
→ contribution to the attainment of 1 full point under this credit.
- LEED v4 Mrc 4 (Option 2): Building Product Disclosure and Optimization – Material Ingredients  
→ contribution to the attainment of 1 full point under this credit.
- LEED v4 EQc 2: Low-Emitting Materials  
→ contribution to the attainment of 1 full point under this credit.

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