

EVERBUILD REN O BLOCK

DESCRIPTION

EVERBUILD REN-O-BLOCK COLOUR RENOVATING BLOCK PAVING SEALER is a pigmented solvent based acrylic coating designed to restore colour to faded, tired and soiled block paving and other mineral flags/pavers.

REN-O-BLOCK is available in 3 colour types that have been carefully blended to suit the most popular block paving colours:

- BRICK RED / BRINDLE
- BUFF / SANDSTONE
- CHARCOAL / ANTHRACITE

Over time weathering, U.V light and traffic gradually fade the surface colour of block paving, REN-O-BLOCK has been specifically developed to restore block paving colour like new whilst retaining the natural “patina” of the block paver.

Using translucent pigments that are absorbed deep into the block paver, whilst allowing the surface texture to show through, REN-O-BLOCK uniquely restores depth of colour in just one coat.

REN-O-BLOCK finishes to a mid sheen, non-slip finish that provides a long lasting seal (minimum 5 years) which is resistant to sunlight, water, oil and petrol, contains a fungicide to resist mould growth.

BENEFITS

- Restores natural colour to block paving.
- Long lasting non slip finish.
- Helps facilitate easier cleaning.

AREAS OF USE

- Block paved drives and pathways.
- Mineral flags and pavers.

LIMITATIONS

- Do not use on non porous or previously treated surfaces (unless sufficiently weathered to allow penetration).
- Do not pour directly onto surface. Do not allow material to “pond” on textured areas.

- Although REN-O-BLOCK is available in the three most popular block paving colours, due to the wide variety of blocks available the colour may not necessarily match the original paving colours, it will usually provide a near match, however we always recommend A SMALL TEST AREA BE TRIED TO ENSURE COMPATIBILITY BEFORE APPLICATION.
- Do not apply to damp or wet surfaces.
- Protect plants and animals from contact when using.

SURFACE PREPARATION

Ensure the paving surfaces to be treated are clean and free from any mould or fungal growth and that the joints are free of moss and weed growth. If the sand in the joints has been washed away over time we recommend re-applying jointing sand (Kiln Dried) or using EVERBUILD BLOCK FAST jointing compound before application.

REN-O-BLOCK will seal and bind the jointing sand and help to prevent future weed growth. If moss and mould growth are present, clean surfaces with EVERBUILD MOSS-AWAY as directed.

Because REN-O-BLOCK uses translucent pigments, the finished colour partially reflects the colour of the surface treated, therefore any dark marks such as oil must be thoroughly cleaned with detergent and hot water.

Ensure cement composite pavers are thoroughly degreased and free from release agents, which will affect penetration. All artificial stone (cement based) and all block pavers must be left for three months minimum after placing before over coating with this product. This will allow salts to leach out which otherwise may cause unsightly white patches appearing beneath the sealer, especially when the patio is wet. **SURFACES MUST BE COMPLETELY DRY BEFORE APPLICATION.**

APPLICATION

SHAKE VERY WELL BEFORE USE to ensure pigment is well dispersed. **ONLY APPLY TO DRY SURFACES.**

MULTI-COLOURED DESIGNS – Whilst translucent pigments will allow REN-O-BLOCK to “pick-up” and enhance shade variations (i.e. Brick Red / Brindle), some pattern designs may not lend themselves well to colour treatment, so always consider the pattern prior to application.

NOTE: DO NOT APPLY BELOW +5 °C.

Apply REN-O-BLOCK by brush or roller from a suitable container or tray. **NEVER** pour this product directly onto surface. Work well into surface for maximum penetration. **DO NOT LEAVE SURPLUS MATERIAL ON THE SURFACE.** Ensure an even and thorough coverage, especially on textured

flags/pavers where “ponding” of the product must be avoided. An uneven coating will give a blotchy/white appearance to areas where excess product has been allowed to settle and dry. These areas will look worse in wet conditions. ONLY APPLY ONE COAT, as more than one coat will significantly darken surface.

EVERBUILD REN-O-BLOCK will only work where it can penetrate into the surface. Do not apply to non-porous surfaces. Do not apply this product to painted surfaces or surfaces that have previously been treated with stearate or silicone based water seals.

ALL surfaces, especially certain natural stones will darken slightly when treated. ALWAYS TEST A SMALL AREA FOR COMPATIBILITY PRIOR TO FULL APPLICATION.

Product is slip resistant when dry. Obviously, water will affect this property adversely.

Do not apply this product if rain is imminent (within 5 hours at 20 °C).

Avoid spillage into surrounding vegetation and keep all children and animals away from area until product has fully dried. Approx 3-4 hours depending on temperature. Coverage will vary according to substrate however REN O BLOCK will cover on average 2.2m² per litre.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Always wear suitable protective gloves and goggles when using. Do not eat or drink during use. Avoid contact with skin, clothes and eyes. Remove splashes with soap and water. If product enters eyes, rinse immediately with cold water and seek medical attention. If ingested, give plenty of water to drink and seek medical attention. Keep away from children and animals. See separate 16 point data sheet for full assessment.

STORAGE

Store in cool, dry conditions between + 5 and + 25 °C PROTECT FROM FROST AND SOURCES OF IGNITION. Storage outside these parameters will dramatically reduce shelf life.

SHELF LIFE

2 years from date of manufacture (minimum) in original unopened containers.