



Substrate Preparation and Product Application Information

General Cleaning of Rendered Walls

A regular maintenance schedule should involve pressure cleaning or hand cleaning using everyday household cleaning items. With regular maintenance, the coating will deliver a longer, trouble free life.

Regular maintenance can also alleviate the need to use harsh and dangerous solvents or acid cleaners on the surface. We recommend periodic cleaning every 6 –12 months.

Pressure Cleaning

To ensure the finish doesn't lift during cleaning, clean at 80 - 120 Psi with a fan tip (rather than a direct needlepoint spray). Keep pressure cleaner at a reasonable distance from wall (approx.200mm).

Hand Cleaning

Note:- Hand cleaning is not recommended for RSA Bling finishes - please use only a soft bristled brush instead.

Some of the best cleaning results are achieved by scrubbing with a stiff broom or brush and hosing as you go, so as not to allow a film of dry grime and residue to form. (Which can be more difficult to remove than the original dirt).

Cleaning fluids

Most generic household cleaners are safe for general cleaning, providing all safety precautions are followed. CCS Citric Cleaner is an effective low VOC cleaner. For further information please download the Product Data Sheet at www.concretocoloursystems.com.au

For stubborn stains such as rust, ensure the rusting particle is removed (this can be done with the tip of a knife or tweezers) and scrub clean with CLR Cleaner. CLR Cleaner is available at most hardware stores.

Mould and Mildew

If heavy wind driven rain periods are expected, rain may reach areas that are normally dry. High humidity associated with rainy periods prevents rapid drying to occur which yields ideal conditions for the growth of mould or mildew. This may appear as unsightly dark stains (sometimes green or purple) on the surface.

When mould spores settle on a coated surface, they 'hatch out' and draw nourishment from the coating itself or from dirt on the surface. Mould reproduces by spores, therefore it is important to apply a residual fungicidal wash such as Acryloc Mould Rid (available through RSA), which remains on the treated surface and kills mould as it 'hatches' from the spores.

Should you require any further assistance, please **contact us on any of the numbers below.**

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