

SuperStone FAQs



What is SuperStone?

SuperStone™ offers a stone finish for exterior applications overlaying concrete or asphalt.

It uses aggregate encapsulated in resin.

What is the difference between Asphalt, Cement and SuperStone?

Asphalt is made by mixing aggregate with bitumen, a sticky black substance that is extracted from deposits of crude oil.

It is resistant to cracking because it is made of oil, which gives it more elasticity than cement.

Cement is made by mixing an aggregate with water and a cement binder, then allowing the mixture to harden.

Cement can vary in texture and appearance depending on the type of aggregate used.

SuperStone™ uses a specially formulated mixture of aggregates that are bound using a 2-part polymer based resin.

This gives the surface a strong and flexible finish that is not only functional, but is also very appealing to the eye.

What can it be laid on?

SuperStone can be laid on a sound concrete or asphalt base.

What is it used for?

SuperStone is ideal for pedestrian paths, courtyards, patio areas and entrances.

Can it be applied internally?

SuperStone is an exterior system.

However, StoneCarpet is an interior system designed for internal applications and is available in the same stone colours.

How is it installed?

The stone or glass is mixed with a special resin then applied with a trowel.

How long does this take to dry?

Dry time varies according to temperature.

Usually the surface will be tack free after 6 -8 hours and safe to walk on the following day.

Are there fumes/odours?

There are no harmful fumes.

There is some odour in the installation process which dissipates within a day.

Solvents are used for cleaning tools but this can be done outside.

How do you clean it?

SuperStone can be swept regularly and pressured washed from time to time to remove built up dirt.

Can it be rejuvenated?

Yes, the finish can be rejuvenated by applying a topcoat of resin.