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Application Methods: **CONCRESHIELD X**
Hard wearing thinners-based acrylic

 **STEPS: PREPARATION**

- Use a 5:1 mix of **Shieldcoat Mouldshield C** with water to remove grease and oil stains. Simply spread **Mouldshield C** over the concrete with a broom (use safety footwear, gloves and glasses). Allow up to at least 2 hours to work.
- Using at least a 3000 P.S.I. water blaster clean concrete and remove all residue of **Mouldshield C**. Allow to dry preferably overnight.

 **STEPS: TEST PATCH FOR ADHESION**

- If adhesion could be an issue a test patch is recommended. After the cleaning steps mentioned above, apply a small amount of **Concreshield X** by brush over a few small and inconspicuous areas of concrete to ensure no adverse reaction by hidden contaminants such as silicone.
- If no adverse issues arise then, place some masking tape on the painted surface, then cut an "X" with a knife into the tape and coating. In a quick fashion, pull tape up to prove adhesion of the coating to the surface. If this is okay then continue to next step.

 **STEPS: PRIMER COAT**

- Apply one coat of **Shieldseal X** primer by lambs wool applicator, soft bristle broom or by airless spray to surface. Allow at least 2 hours to dry under good weather conditions.

 **STEPS: TOP COATS**

- Apply first coat of **Concreshield X** using a lambs wool applicator, soft bristle broom or by airless spray. Allow to dry overnight.
- Apply second coat of **Concreshield X** using any of the above methods. Allow to dry overnight.
- Allow at least 3 days before driving a vehicle onto the surface.

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 **NOTES:**

- If a non-slip is required A) Antislip 1 must be thrown on top of first coat before it dries
B) Antislip 2 is to be mixed into 2nd coat before applying.
- Do not apply in the heat of the day. Apply either early morning or late afternoon.
- If blistering occurs dip a soft bristle broom into the solvent and broom over the surface.
- Do not apply too much solvent.
- Do not apply around swimming pools or paths that are damp or constantly wet.
- Wear appropriate vapour mask, especially when working in confined areas.
- If applying over concrete or brick pavers some water whitening can occur. This is caused by moisture caught in paver and then the moisture is trapped behind the Concreshield X clear sealer. Pavers are normally best left un-sealed for this reason.
- Concreshield X is not recommended over smooth non-porous surfaces such as ceramic tiles as adhesion will be an issue. The recommended surfaces are concrete garage floors & driveways.
- Concreshield X sometimes may not be the best solution in some instances, i.e. steep driveways or paths. For more information regarding product suitability please contact your local supplier, applicator or contact technical support staff at Shieldcoat.
- If the concrete surface needs to be rougher for adhesion and acid treatment is to be applied instead of Mouldshield C, then, please follow these directions completely:
 1. Wear safety gear. Mix a ratio of 4:1 of water and Hydrochloric Acid and broom over surface. Allow time to react.
 2. Hose off all the acid once the reaction is complete. Then, mix Bicarbonate of Soda in a 20 litre bucket of water and spread over the surface to neutralise the acid.
 3. Water blast completely off with at least a 3000 p.s.i. water pressure cleaner. All acid must be removed to prevent a reaction still occurring which will prevent adhesion under the sealers to follow.
- Allow surface to dry completely, preferably over night before applying any of the sealers listed above.

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