

Introduction

Resene's mission has been, and remains, to develop and produce high performance coatings to protect and beautify Australasia's buildings and structures from environmental attack. The development of these coatings for Architectural and Industrial applications has recognised the advances in technology that have taken place over the past two decades and with an increasing awareness of the need to develop new coatings, which are safer to use, and which will reduce environmental pollution.

The required characteristics of a successful paint system are determined by the substrate, the environment, and economics. Long term performance can only be achieved by careful selection of an optimised coating system, which takes due account of all factors relating to system performance. The products described in this manual can be used to develop systems to meet the needs of designers and specifiers of both architectural and industrial high performance systems.

Resene has a long-standing commitment to excellence and quality. All products are manufactured using the highest quality raw materials available in an ISO9001 registered factory with many being subject to final testing in the Resene TELARC registered laboratory before release for sale. In addition all products are backed by a Technical team who are committed to maintaining product quality and constantly researching new or improved technologies to enhance product performance, application, and safety. The coatings in this manual are those supported by successful case histories in Australasia and encompass applications to a range of substrates in diverse environmental conditions.

Competent professional advice is available from trained field staff in the following areas:

- Inspection and written report on plant or conditions
- Preparation of or assistance in developing coatings specifications
- Practical on-site assistance where required
- Application training
- Estimation of quantities
- Colour matching and colour development

Resene remains committed to researching and developing state of the art engineered coating systems to meet current and future performance, environmental, and safety standards. Contact your nearest Resene Branch or Head Office for project assistance.

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