









INTRODUCTION

Architects, designers and engineers around the world are constantly looking for fresh materials that will enable them to create structures in new and different ways.

The beauty of concrete is that as well as being extremely strong and durable, it is also highly versatile.

There's no better example of this than Tarmac's TOPTINT range of creative concretes.

# **TOPTINT EXPOSED**

A robust exterior concrete with a graveled finish

### **TOPTINT COLOUR**

A collection of concretes in a wide palette of colours

## **TOPTINT PRINT**

A lifelike range of textural pavements, stone and natural effect finishes

## **TOPTINT POLISH**

Has a smooth texture like polished marble for use indoors and outdoors

#### **TOPTINT STONE**

Looks and feels like natural stone in every detail



Designed to inspire, TOPTINT provides architects and designers with total freedom to express themselves.

It is ideal for internal floors, external walkways and the creation of eye-catching urban landscapes and is available in a wide array of colours, textures and finishes.









TOPTINT PRINT is available in a ranage of lifelike patterns



# **BENEFITS**



#### **CHOICE OF FINISHES**

TOPTINT is available in an array of colours, helping you achieve everything from the natural look to highly polished aesthetics and prints simulating the look of brick, wood and stone.



#### TOTAL FLEXIBILITY

As we design your mix to suit the application we can ensure that the right solution is found. Depending on the application TOPTINT can prove to be an easier and quicker to lay product than other paving options.



#### **EASY TO LAY**

TOPTINT concrete is as simple to lay as conventional concrete.



# HIGHLY DURABLE

As TOPTINT colour is integral to the mix it is a long lasting and frost-resistant solution, requiring little ongoing maintenance making it a more sustainable long term solution.



#### WIDE CHOICE OF COLOURS

TOPTINT Colour contains an integral colour pigment which is UV stable meaning that the colour will not degrade from natural sunlight. Also because we use a liquid pigment, the colour is evenly mixed throughout the concrete.

Standard colours include; Wheat, Sandstone, Alpine Green, Harvest Tan, Cotswold, Mahogany, Victorian Grey, Welsh Slate, Charcoal, Brick Red, Tile Red, Brindle and Antique White.

However colour matching and specialist colours are available on request depending on the size of application.



# CASE STUDY

National Cycling Centre Manchester

#### **SOLUTION**

TOPTINT was chosen by the project's landscape architects for the pathways in Manchester's BMX velodrome, one of the leading training tracks for the 2012 Olympic cyclists.

After many samples were viewed, TOPTINT Exposed was selected in a cream colour pigment along with an imported aggregate.

Critical to this decision was TOPTINT's aesthetic qualities, along with its slip resistance and ability to stand up to the British winter.

The Hepworth
Wakefield

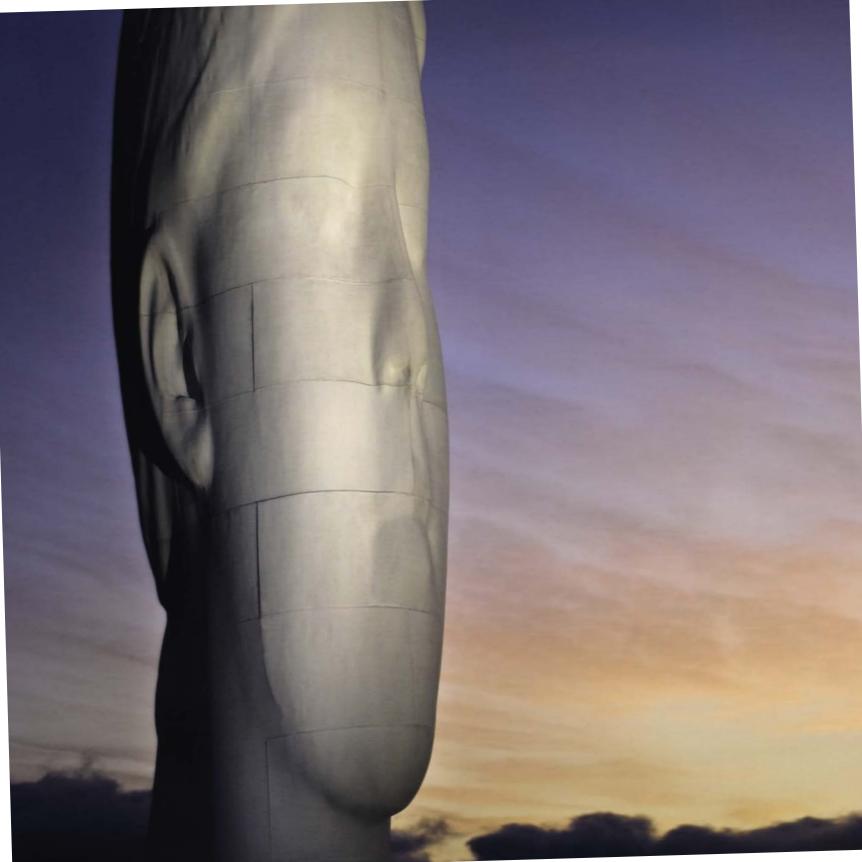
#### SOLUTION

When architects and concrete suppliers work closely together the results can be as rewarding as they are inspiring.

A perfect illustration of this is the Hepworth, where the bold and striking design by prize-winning architects David Chipperfield was brought to life with the use of a bespoke aubergine coloured concrete named Hepworth Brown, specially developed using TOPTINT/Topflow.

The finished gallery with its signature trapezoidal blocks and distinctive finish is rightly considered by many as a work of art in its own right.





At Tarmac we pride ourselves on providing more than innovative concretes. We deliver solutions.

Day after day, year after year we push ourselves to create advanced products that move the industry forward. Concretes that surpass the requirements of ever more demanding environmental legislations and go beyond the expected to achieve the exceptional.

Every solution starts with a challenge.

# **MORE ANSWERS**

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