

NatraTex®

Surfaces with depth

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A range of bespoke colourful asphalt surfaces that are an attractive, durable, cost effective alternative to block paving, resin bound, bonded and other types of aesthetic surfacing.

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Versatile

NatraTex isn't just one product. It's a range of specifically designed surface courses to suit your scheme.

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Innovative

NatraTex is manufactured in the same way as conventional black asphalt but without the use of black bitumen.

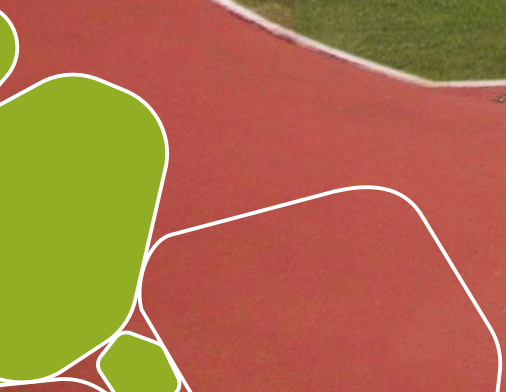
In our state-of-the-art laboratory we have developed our innovative clear binder, which allows for the use of colour compatible aggregate and pigment. This allows for the creation of a wide range of coloured asphalt.

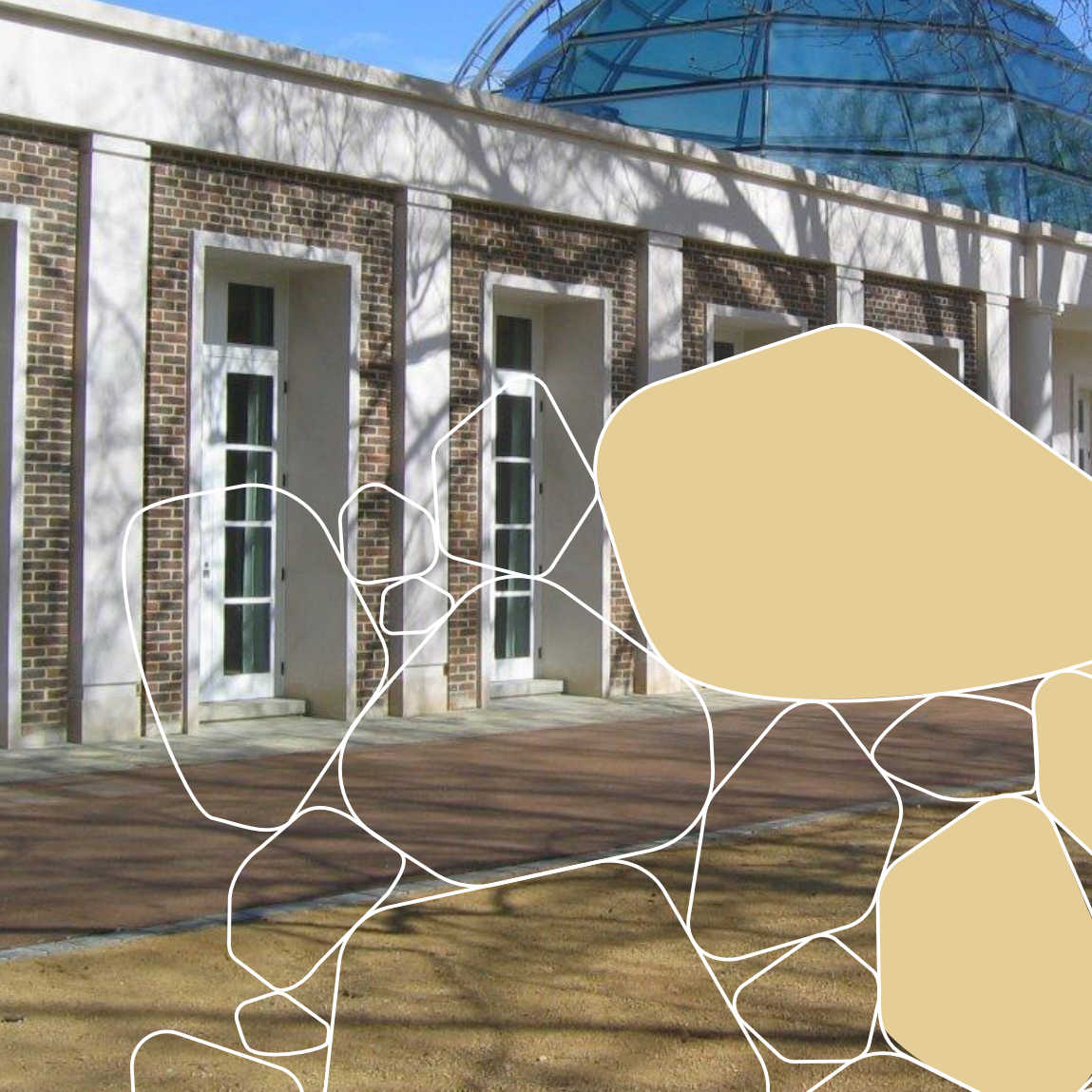
NatraTex Colour is manufactured in exactly the same way as NatraTex Cotswold, The only difference in the manufacturing being increased levels of pigment. This means that it is possible to offer our customers a bright, vivid and distinctive NatraTex Colour range to suit any scheme.

Typically NatraTex Colour products are used in areas of demarcation such as cycle tracks, bus lanes, multi-use games areas and playgrounds.



NatraTex[®]
Colour








NatraTex Cotswold Classic is the flagship product in the NatraTex Cotswold range.

Beautiful products designed to enhance, or contrast with, the surrounding environment. Manufactured to be able to cope with anything from foot traffic to bus lanes. A durable, versatile, good looking and cost effective solution to any scheme.



NatraTex is a high quality, asphalt surface course.

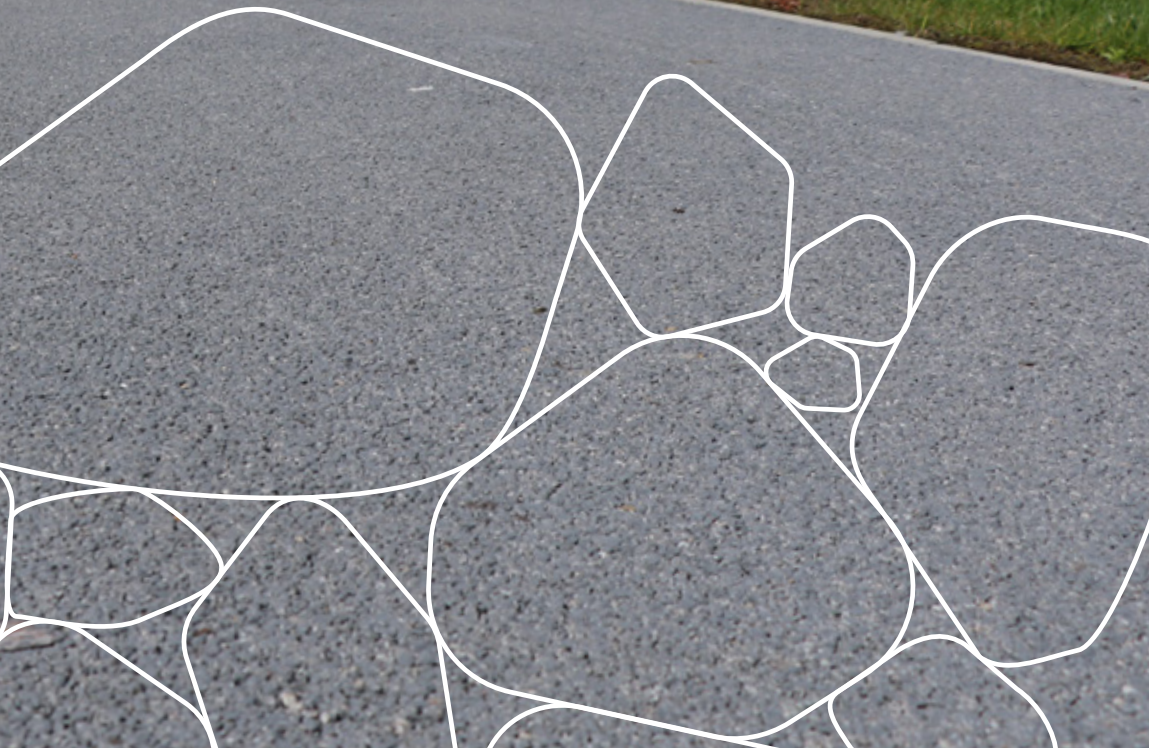
It has very similar characteristics to that of a conventional macadam. It's laid at the same depth and on the same sublayers (base and binder course).

Application

And finally...we know as soon as the project's completed how likely it is that they'll be bollards that needs replacing or a small utilities reinstatement needing to be done. That's why we can supply NatraTex Cold-Lay, our range of NatraTex but in a 25kg bucket.

For further information please download our Technical Guidance Notes, which are available on our website: www.natratex.co.uk

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Technical

Thickness and Usage

Natratex is supplied in nominal sizes of 6mm and 10mm, depending on usage.

Aggregate size (nominal)/grade	Finish thickness	Intended use
6mm Medium	25mm	Pedestrian use, footpaths, playground, cycle routes
6mm Dense	30mm	Light domestic (Driveways, housing estates, car parks**)
6mm Heavy-Duty	30mm	Driveways and residential roads
10mm Dense	35mm	Residential roads / housing estates and car parks**
10mm Heavy-Duty	35mm	Main carriageways

** excludes gravel aggregate.

Preparation

NatraTex should be installed in accordance with BS594987:2015 which is the standard for Asphalt for Roads and Other Paved Areas.

All equipment needs to be clean to avoid contamination.

Installation Contractors

Reputable contractors with a knowledge and skill set that are able to lay "conventional asphalt" should be able to lay NatraTex. For a list of contractors in your area that have installed NatraTex; please email tech@bituchem.com or call our Sales Office on 01594 826768.

Maintenance and Aftercare

Our products are very low maintenance, making them ideal for a range of applications and sectors.

We produce NatraTex Cold-Lay (available in 25kg containers), for use in areas where there has been changes to raised iron works or small repairs due to bollard replacements etc.

The background of the entire page is a photograph of the Fossebrook School building, a modern structure with extensive timber cladding and large windows. Overlaid on this background are three white-outlined, irregular polygonal shapes. The top-left shape contains a close-up of dark, textured gravel. The top-right shape shows an orange road roller with a worker on top, compacting a grey asphalt surface. The bottom shape is a large, irregular polygon containing the school's name.

Fossebrook School

Construction work started on Fossebrook Primary School in Autumn 2015 and was completed in 2016 by Willmott Dixon. This state-of-the-art newly built primary school initially provides 210 primary school places to Leicestershire children.

As well as the striking single storey timber construction, a great deal of thought was given to the external works.

A photograph of a school building with a wooden roof and a playground area in the foreground. The building has large windows and a modern design. The playground area is made of light-colored sand or gravel. The sky is blue with some clouds.

"The children wanted a colourful play area, but with informal demarcated meeting areas where they could talk and play with their friends.

NatraTex® Cotswold Classic and NatraTex® Colour Grey were used to both compliment the school buildings and meet the brief required. NatraTex® is both colourful, durable and versatile."

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