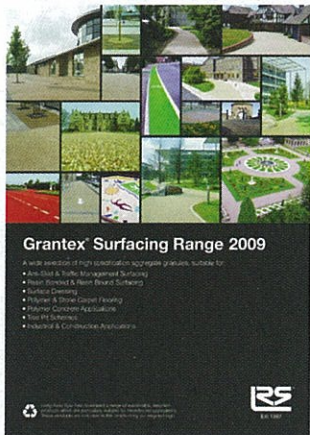


Skid to a halt with Long Rake Spar!

THE GRANTEX brochure acts as a useful reference to architects, builders' merchants, and contractors, featuring its High Performance and Domestic and Corporate products. The High Performance range offers a huge variety of bauxites, granites and basalts available for anti-skid surfacing and traffic management schemes. These products are hardwearing and skid-resistant, making them suitable for heavily trafficked areas. The Domestic and Corporate product range offers a wide choice of natural coloured aggregates for binding with resin and bitumen to provide an attractive, low maintenance surface which is popular for a range of applications from domestic driveways to large corporate landscaping schemes.

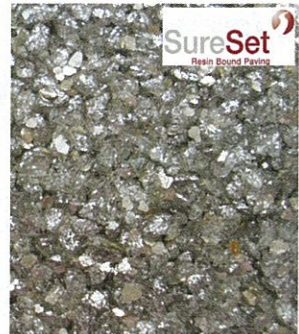


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SureSet shows some "Razzle Dazzle"

SURESET, SUPPLIER of permeable resin bound paving, has introduced a new finish to its comprehensive range. The name of the new finish, 'Razzle Dazzle', reflects both the appearance of the material and the effect it creates when laid. Incorporating a blend of recycled glass with metallic flakes, the unique finish

produces a glistening effect, constantly changing as natural light catches and reflects off of the surface. As with all SureSet resin bound paving products, the Razzle Dazzle mix is permeable, allowing water to drain through the surface reducing surface run off and the risk of puddles forming.

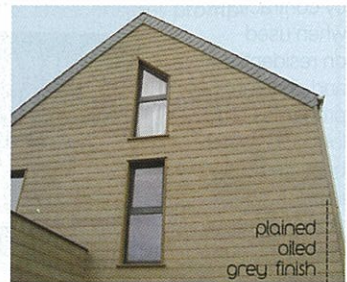


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Sivalbp bring French style to timber finishes

SIVALBP, THE French timber cladding manufacturer, is targeting the UK with innovative and new products. The company's ultra modern and environmentally friendly plant includes more than nine wood transformation processes like kiln-drying and thermal modification facilities, finger-jointing and an advanced finishing line. The company uses

Spruce, Red Douglas fir, Siberian Larch, Mountain larch, clear Pine, and Western Red Cedar, and specialises in offering a wide choice of finishes for external and internal uses - like Opaque paint, Silver grey plain oiled finish, transparent stain, oiled and waxed oiled finishes, offering optimal and sustainable solutions for harmonious in vogue constructions.



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Lindapter unleash 'the claw'

STEELWORK FIXING specialist Lindapter has launched the Type LS, a premium self-adjusting clamping system manufactured from high-grade stainless steel, designed for use in harsh environments or in conditions that demand high chemical resistance. Dubbed 'The Claw' by Lindapter's R&D team, due to the aggressive curved and pointed shape, the clamp is suitable



for various flange thicknesses and slopes up to 10°. Demonstrating the benefits of eliminating onsite drilling or welding, the latest Type LS allows the fixing to be installed without damaging the protective coatings of steelwork. Specialist tools or packing pieces are not needed, dramatically improving ease of use, assembly speed, and labour costs.

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Helifix take a bow!

A FORMER Cardiff coach house, now a private residence, was suffering from a lack of lateral restraint to its side elevations - but has been rapidly and sympathetically stabilised using BowTies from structural repair specialist Helifix Ltd. Constructed over 100 years ago with 345mm thick solid walls, the building's side walls had begun to bow and needed to be effectively and reliably secured. Stainless steel threaded BowTies were inserted into the pre-drilled masonry and then driven through the first and second joists before being bonded into the masonry to stabilise the walls. Once the holes had been made good there was virtually no sign of the structural repairs.

Chilstone add to Victorian style

CHILSTONE ARCHITECTURAL, working with developer Clearwater, attended the opening of the fine new Holy Cross Church Centre in Uckfield, East Sussex. The centre features a large tastefully designed group of villas in a late Victorian style. The buildings have been created to complement the nearby church of The Holy Cross and are notable for the fine detailing not

least in the stone and woodwork. Chilstone provided the bespoke stonework, which included quoins and mullioned window surrounds. Chilstone have recorded a record year in 2009, with a lot of architectural work in progress, but the company is also noted for its hard landscaping and garden ornaments



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