

ACCRINGTON BUS DEPOT SPECTRUM CASE STUDY

THE NEED:

A considerable investment in a new 'state of the art' bus depot in Accrington, required safety and directional markings to complete the external works. As is typical with such locations there was a variety of substrates with high levels of heavy traffic anticipated. Therefore, the clients key requirements were:

- Durability to maximise service life and reduce costly future disruptions;
- Clear visibility of safe routes for both pedestrian and vehicular traffic to minimise risk of incidents;
- Safety of all pedestrians particularly in damp conditions by providing high slip-resistance values to walkways.

SOLUTION:

It has been well-proved that modern acrylic technology provides a versatile and durable option for a variety of substrates. Therefore exceptionally hard-wearing MMA products were specified for high traffic areas, with single pack acrylics utilised in lower direct traffic areas. Where applicable, slip-resistant versions were specified for walkways. All safe walkways were coated with high slip-resistance Ultragrip in very visible colours; road markings were installed using Ultraline MMA lining and raised kerbs and off-highway markings were coated with Vialine solvent-based acrylic.

SUMMARY:

The finished project demonstrates how different products can blend seamlessly to provide excellent underfoot safety combined with clear way-finding. This results in safer pedestrian/vehicle interaction, lowering potential risk exposure, whilst providing high durability and cost effectiveness. Feedback from the client confirmed the effectiveness and visual clarity of the installation.

SYSTEMS USED:

- SPECTRUM ViaLine incorporating EnviraPac
- Yellow
- White
- SPECTRUM UltraLine MMA
- White

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- SPECTRUM UltraGrip MMA
- Red - Green



