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**FACT SHEET**

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**WATERBASED or SOLVENT BASED PAVING**

***PAINT SELECTION***

The following table compares some essential properties between Vipond's Paving Paint and Vipond's Ecopave

<b>Property</b>	<b>Paving Paint</b> (solvent based)	<b>Ecopave</b> (waterbased)
Durability	Excellent	Excellent
Interior or exterior	Yes	Yes
Ease of application	Easy to apply	Easy to apply
Clean Up	Mineral Turps	Water
Drying Time	Recoat 16 hours	Recoat 2 hours
Foot Traffic	12 hours	2 hours
Gloss Level	High	Satin
Slip Resistance	Poor (add anti skid)	Excellent
Cleaning the painted surface	Easy	Difficult

Recoat	Anytime after a clean and degloss	Anytime after a clean
Colour Range	Unlimited	Unlimited
Hot Tyre resistance	Good	Excellent
Chemical Resistant	Limited	Limited
Environment Friendly	No	Yes

Vipond's Ecopave has the superior features and benefits and should be the preferred selection except if the requirement is a gloss finish and the finished surface needs to be easily cleaned. The satin finish on the Ecopave tends to hold more dirt and more effort is required to clean it. A coat of Ecopave Clear Gloss will make cleaning easy but the gloss will make the floor slippery when wet.

The speed of application and drying time of Ecopave means the job can be completed in one day. Solvent based systems can take more than two days.

These type of coatings are maintenance coatings and will require a touch up depending on the traffic. Ecopave can be recoated at anytime after a simple clean.

Ecopave is much more environmentally friendly with low VOC's.

Both of these products can be applied to timber and metal if they are correctly primed.

The cost of these two products is very similar.

If a chemical resistant finish is required such as a mechanics workshop then a two pack system should be considered. We can offer an outsourced product and specification for this requirement.

*The above facts are supplied to ensure that the best results are achieved when using Vipond's Products on concrete. This information relies on over 50 years of practical experience. Please refer to the label and colour card for application information, but if you require a detailed product information sheet or details on purchasing these products please call Vipond's Customer Service on 03 93504188.*