

HOW TO LAY YOUR WETCAST PAVERS - ITALIA RANGE

PATIOS ONLY

THIS method will HELP overcome problems such as ants, weeds, sinking, and separating



STEP 1.
Digout topsoil to 120mm.
Install **PREMIER-BASE-COURSE** and rake out



STEP 2.
Compact base course to 60mm thick using feet or preferably plate compactor.



STEP 3.
Check levels with tape measure. Your base course should be approx 60mm below the finished level of your paving.



STEP 4.
Check levels with spirit level.



STEP 5.
Mix **PREMIER-MORTAR-MIX** with water to toothpaste consistency (in a wheelbarrow or mixer) or mix **PREMIER-WASHED-SAND** with cement, water and plasticiser - sand and cement can be ordered from Premier Group.



STEP 6.
Trowel 5 spots of mortar mix onto base course. Then lay a strip of mortar where the next joint will be.



STEP 7.
Gently lay the paver onto the spots (the mortar should squash down and spread out to 20mm thick. Use a sponge to wet the back of each paver before you lay.



STEP 8.
Gently tap paver down to desired level with rubber mallet. Joints should be approx 10mm wide at top of paver.

DO NOT BUTT HARD TOGETHER.



STEP 9.
Check levels across pavers continuously and tap down if needed.



STEP 10.
You should end up with approx 40mm paver, 20mm mortar, 60mm base. When all pavers are laid - **DO NOT WALK ON FOR 24 HOURS.**



STEP 11.
Wet the surface of the pavers and pour on the Premier P30. Wet the grout thoroughly and sweep into the joints. Only grout 4-5m2 at a time. Ensure the grout is a wet slurry!



STEP 12.
Sweep off the remainder of the grout 45 degree to the grout lines.



STEP 13
Only seal if required.
PAVERS MUST BE 100% DRY BEFORE SEALING.