



## No change, no fade

We only supply factory produced **coloured mortar** so however many batches you need, you will always get exactly the same colour. In addition we only use 100% synthetic iron oxide pigments which are **guaranteed by the manufacturer** not to fade or wash out – unlike some popular pigments such as Carbon Black.

## Make your mark



Many developers share their sites with competitors, all trying to establish their reputation and fighting to be noticed. A glossy brochure and newspaper advertisement is all very well but you couldn't make your own distinctive mark more impressively than with coloured mortar.

Make that new home or office that little bit different from the rest: with

Tarmac coloured mortar you can make sure it is – and all for the price of a new front door.

Dare to be different – have a look at the colours available, shown on the middle spread of this brochure, and contact your local Tarmac representative for more details.



Uniclass L641	EPIC F32
CI/SFB	Yq4



## Tarmac coloured mortars

For additional information including product and safety data sheets please contact your local sales representative or our marketing department on 01902 382 632

Other mortar brochures available from Tarmac include:

- dry silo mortars
- lime mortars
- coloured mortars
- technical specification sheets
- lime mortar yield



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**Health and Safety Note** Due to the alkaline nature of cement, prolonged contact with mortar can cause minor skin irritations and in extreme cases, burns. Parts of the body that may come into direct contact with wet mortar should therefore be kept covered. If contact does occur, wash immediately and thoroughly with clean water.

# mortars colour

Tarmac is the only company with teams dedicated to such a wide range of mortar service methods and we believe we can offer the finest products and service **for all your mortar needs**. This includes coloured mortar, an often undervalued product.

Read on to see why you should consider **using coloured mortar** – and how it doesn't cost nearly as much as you think.

## consider colour



**Tarmac is able to supply over 100 different shades of mortar**

Tarmac's limebond coloured mortar can make an enormous permanent difference to a building for a very small additional cost. Using coloured mortar on an average residential house could cost as little as the equivalent of a front door. Or imagine a corporate headquarters on a commercial estate standing out magnificently from the crowd, probably for less money than a new mobile phone.

What a difference it makes. Kerbside appeal is immediately increased – and not just for the house or building in question. All surrounding buildings will benefit from the contrast, improving the overall appeal of the project.

With many different coloured bricks available, Tarmac is able to supply over

100 different shades of mortar to ensure the most pleasing match and to allow the architect and builder unrestricted creativity when it comes to making their building that bit different. Coloured mortar can be used throughout a building or with considerable impact on certain sections, such as corporate logos or murals. The options, whether subtle or bold, are as endless as your imagination.

If you are working with a building that already has coloured mortar, for example an extension or the second phase of a project, we can colour match that mortar and supply you with the right colour to continue.

## choosing from our range



This brochure contains a mortar shade guide which shows a representation of the actual colours of the mortar, as well as the number of different shades available. Having chosen the range of colours you are interested in, we will then show you a selector box containing actual samples of the coloured mortar which can be placed between bricks

to give you an even better indication of how it will look.

Once you have selected your colour, you can construct a trial panel on your site from free 25kg bags of your chosen coloured mortar. Then it's time to start work and prepare to be noticed!

## shades

**key – The bold 'Y' number indicates which colour is shown (e.g. Y168)**  
Each colour is available in a range of shades from light (left-hand number) through to ultra dark (right-hand number).

**black – grey**

Y4	Y1	Y2	Y3	<b>Y14</b>	Y15
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**black – brown**

Y148	Y63	Y77	Y92	<b>Y73</b>	Y90
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**chocolate – brown**

Y135	Y82	Y80	Y83	<b>Y76</b>	Y91
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**red-brown**

Y142	Y53	Y54	Y55	<b>Y165</b>	Y166
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**lilac**

Y33	Y42	Y71	Y81	<b>Y79</b>	Y155
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**maroon-brown**

Y78	Y8	<b>Y9</b>	Y10	Y62	Y123
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**chestnut-brown**

Y179	Y180	Y181	Y182	<b>Y183</b>	Y184
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**golden-brown**

Y74	Y5	<b>Y6</b>	Y7	Y40	Y122
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**copper-brown**

Y141	Y94	<b>Y95</b>	Y96	Y97	Y125
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**terracotta**

Y127	Y23	<b>Y24</b>	Y25	Y107	Y156
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**lilac-brown**

Y162	Y84	Y85	Y86	<b>Y128</b>	Y124
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**red-pink**

Y119	Y17	Y18	Y19	<b>Y138</b>	Y157
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**straw-brown**

Y172	Y167	<b>Y168</b>	Y169	Y170	Y171
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**marigold**

Y99	Y20	<b>Y21</b>	Y22	Y140	Y158
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**khaki**

Y146	Y87	Y88	Y70	<b>Y136</b>	Y163
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**yellow**

Y35	Y11	<b>Y12</b>	Y13	Y139	Y154
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**buff**

Y111	Y112	<b>Y113</b>	Y114	Y115	Y116
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All of our mortar products are manufactured in compliance with BS EN ISO 9001:2000

**white – Y101** according to availability of local white sand and pigment

The colour references above represent the closest colour match that the printing process will allow and are for guidance only. Please contact your local area office to obtain accurate, actual coloured mortar samples.