



Brush-In Grout

Preparation

The working temperature range of tuffbau tuffjoint Utility is between 2°C and 30°C. Jointing work must not be carried out in ambient temperatures of less than 2°C and night frosts must be guarded against. The area to be jointed should be thoroughly clean and free of all debris before jointing begins.

The paving surface should be dry for the ease of application. Jointing can be done while wet but the mortar will stick together meaning it will be harder to spread.

Application

Tip and spread the brush-in mortar onto the paving surface, pushing and spreading it with a soft rubber squeegee so it flows into the joints.

When the joints are full and will accept no more tuffjoint Utility, a soft rubber-bladed squeegee should be used to remove as much excess mortar as possible from the surface. Moving the squeegee in a diagonal motion to avoid removing any mortar from the joints.

Gently apply water to the joints using a light spray from a hose or hand sprayer. Continue to apply water until the joints are thoroughly wetted and water begins to pond on the surface.

If joints are low in places, pour mortar into low areas and repeat sweeping and watering process.

Clean up and finish

Clean away any excess mortar on the paving with a sponge float (Washboy or Washboy Pro).

Avoid walking on the joints for at least one day.



Clean the area



Pour tuffjoint Utility over dry paving



Spread tuffjoint Utility to fill the joints



Spray water over the joints



Clean using a squeegee and / or sponge float