

# Resene Silvalusta

Resene Silvalusta is a solventborne black bitumen cut to brushing viscosity with the addition of a leafing grade aluminium flake.

## exterior

## Typical uses

- Bitumen roofing
- Downpipes and flashings
- Galvanised iron (new and old)
- Roof gutters and channels
- Water pipes

<b>Vehicle type</b>	Bitumen
<b>Pigmentation</b>	Aluminium paste
<b>Solvent</b>	Hydrocarbon
<b>Finish</b>	Matt
<b>Colour</b>	Silver
<b>Dry time (minimum)</b>	1 hour
<b>Recoat time (minimum)</b>	24 hours
<b>Primer required</b>	No
<b>Theoretical coverage</b>	15 sq. metres per litre
<b>Dry film thickness</b>	23 microns at 15 sq. metres per litre
<b>Usual no. of coats</b>	2
<b>Abrasion resistance</b>	Poor
<b>Chemical resistance</b>	Poor – acids and alkalis
<b>Heat resistance</b>	Thermoplastic
<b>Solvent resistance</b>	Poor
<b>Durability</b>	Good
<b>Thinning and clean up</b>	Mineral turps
<b>VOC</b>	509 grams per litre

## Physical properties

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1. Excellent intercoat adhesion and to all surfaces.
2. Totally resistant to moss and mould growth.
3. Excellent reflective value.
4. Ideal on tar exteriors to reduce temperature.

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## Surface preparation

Clean down thoroughly to remove all dirt, dust and loose material. Ensure surface is free from oil, grease, moss and mould.

If moss and mould are present, treat with Resene Moss & Mould Killer (see [Data Sheet D80](#)). Waterblasting at 21,000 kps (3000 psi) is the best surface preparation method prior to painting weathered or existing painted surfaces.

## Application

Apply by brush, roller or spray. Many coats can be applied for maximum protection with no shrinking or cracking of the film.

## Precautions

1. Resene Silvalusta develops maximum brilliance after six weeks weathering.
2. FLAMMABLE – Keep away from heat and open flame. Keep closed when not in use.
3. Avoid breathing vapour – use with adequate ventilation.

*Please ensure the current Data Sheet is consulted prior to specification or application of Resene products.  
If the surface you propose to coat is not referred to by this Data Sheet, please contact Resene for clarification.*

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