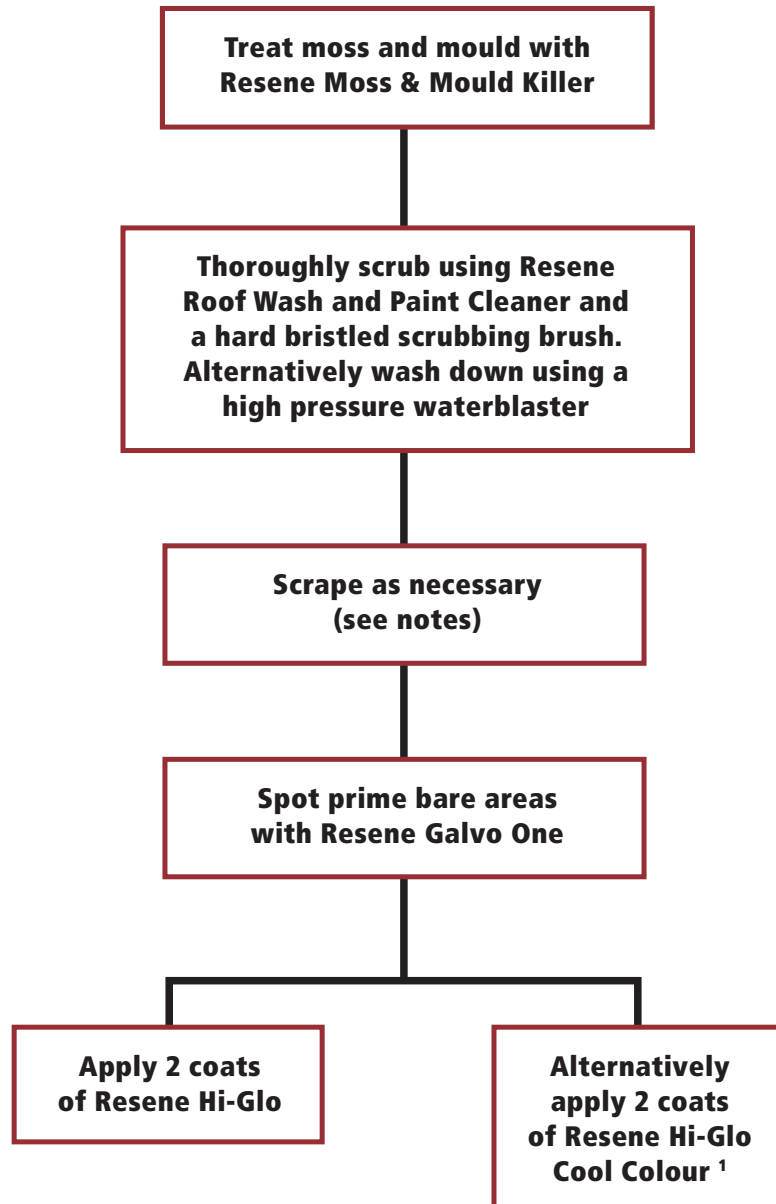




## Repainting roofs in poor condition



<sup>1</sup> To optimise the benefits of the Resene Cool Colour topcoat use Resene Cool Primer.

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- Things to consider**
- **What sort of roof do you have?**
  - **Is your roof painted?**
  - **How long ago?**
  - **What sort of condition is it in, any flaking or rust present?**
  - **Do you live close to the sea, say within 500 metres?**
  - **What colour do you have in mind?**
  - **Have you considered Resene Cool Colour paints?**
  - **What is the floor area of your house?**
  - **Is access to the roof likely to be a problem?**

### Notes:



- Often roofs with flaking paint will also be dirty and have some mould and lichen growth. Preparing them is likely to be time consuming and difficult to judge the level of preparation needed. A balance between removing the paint that is unsound and not damaging the roof must be found.  
This is why Resene recommend scrubbing with Resene Roof Wash and Paint Cleaner and a hard bristled brush to waterblasting.
  - Hard wire brushing or sanding should be confined to the red rusting areas only. This will avoid damaging the protective galvanised layer, which will simply lead to more rusting.
- The prepared area must be primed promptly. Do not leave overnight as dew causes the edges of the paint to lift and you will need to start over. Collect any removed paint and check that the gutters and downpipes are cleaned out.

### Key accessories essential to complete the job

- PAL corrugated roller kit (if painting corrugated iron)
- Resene black 75-100mm brush for cutting in flashings and ends of sheets, Haydn Genius or PAL Legend if painting longrun on trough sections
- Resene Hot Weather Additive
- Resene Roof Wash and Paint Cleaner
- Roller extension pole
- Turps for Resene Galvo One

### Add-ons – to make the job easier or quicker

- Gloves
- Hand cleaner
- Paint pots (especially when 10 litre pails are bought)
- Scraper to remove lichen
- UV protection