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MAKING SPACES INTO PLACES

FORBO AT A GLANCE

creating better environments

forbo
FLOORING SYSTEMS

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EVERY SOLUTION. ONE SUPPLIER.

We pride ourselves on offering a truly comprehensive product portfolio with leading edge products specifically designed to cater for each area of a project.

From entrance to exit, whether new build or refurbishment, our integrated flooring portfolio can help you choose the right flooring solutions for your project.

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FIND YOUR PERFECT FORBO COMBINATION



Throughout this brochure you will see our 'perfect with' icons, which suggests products that can be combined in your upcoming projects.

THE RIGHT SOLUTIONS...



At Forbo, we're passionate about Flooring. We produce the largest range of sustainable floor coverings in the world and supply total solutions for every area in every type of building.

This single source solution overcomes the need for multiple supplier visits and ensures total accountability across the project, giving you peace of mind. Also, as Forbo Flooring Systems has been awarded a place on a Crown Commercial Services, ProCure 22 and NEUPC framework agreements for floor coverings, you can be confident that we can also save you valuable time and money.

Designing inclusive environments

When it comes to designing built environments, it's vital to consider those living with neurodiverse conditions, as they can find it difficult to understand and to navigate around the building, similar to people living with dementia. Indeed, dementia-friendly environments are no longer just a consideration for care facilities, which is why Forbo has partnered with the Dementia Services Development Centre (DSDC), at the University of Stirling, to assess over 1,000 of its flooring finishes, to ensure that there is plenty of choice when it comes to creating inclusive environments.

For more information visit

www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/designingfordementia



FOR THE RIGHT REASONS...

We like to think that the floor coverings that we create provide an inspirational basis for interior designs. We aim to help build brands and lasting impressions. With us you'll get more than just a floor.



Entrance flooring systems – With our Nuway rigid engineered barrier matting and Coral textile wipe-off ranges we offer fully integrated entrance flooring systems to keep all interiors clean, dry and safe, looking better for longer and reducing cleaning costs.



Linoleum – quite simply, our Marmoleum collection offers you the largest range of sustainable linoleum floor coverings in the world. Now available in sheet, tile and plank format.



Commercial sheet vinyls – our hardwearing, low maintenance vinyl floor covering collections include compact sheet, acoustic and adhesive free solutions with distinctive aesthetic styling options.



Luxury Vinyl Tiles – Our Allura LVT collection is made with passion and represents the next generation of LVT flooring. The recently refreshed collection offers a variety of constructions for maximum flexibility, including three new adhesive-free ranges, Ease, Puzzle and Click Pro.



Safety flooring – the Step collection combines outstanding slip resistant properties with differentiated aesthetics. Step offers various slip resistant ratings, from R10 – R12, 17 dB impact sound reduction and wetroom ranges.



Static control solutions – Available in both sheet and tile, our ESD collection presents advanced technical flooring systems specifically designed to control static discharge in sensitive areas such as cleanrooms, operating theatres and the electronics industry.



Carpet tiles – our high performance Tessera carpet tile collection offers aesthetic designs, colourways, constructions and textures to complement every interior design scheme.



Floxed flooring – with over 500 designs and bespoke capabilities, our unique Flotex flooring offers ultimate design freedom, all whilst combining the benefits of both textile and resilient floor coverings. Available in sheet, tile and plank format.



Design floors – Whether you're looking to recreate a complex logo or design feature, match that perfect colour or use a designer range, we have the knowledge and technology to help you every step of the way.

MAKING SPACES COVID-SECURE

The Coronavirus pandemic has had a big impact on how we live our everyday lives. In fact, it looks as though some form of social distancing restriction is likely to remain in place for the foreseeable future.

Forbo Flooring Systems' new array of products have been developed to ensure that buildings remain safe, operational and COVID-secure.

Entrance mats

A variety of unique Coral Logo entrance flooring mats have been designed to act as a gentle reminder to practice social distancing and good hygiene, whilst preventing unnecessary slips. Ideal for heavy traffic areas, they offer maximum performance in removing dirt being traipsed into the building.



Circles for 1-2m, perfect for queuing

When it comes to encouraging people to remain a safe distance apart – especially in queues, a selection of Allura LVT circles are now available. The loose circles, which can be inlaid within a square tile format, can be mixed and matched with other circle tiles in the collection to create clear spacing markers within the floor scheme.



Directional arrows, to aid wayfinding

To aid wayfinding and to help clearly identify one-way systems, Forbo has also developed a new service for its Tessera Layout and Outline carpet tile collection and resilient sheet ranges.

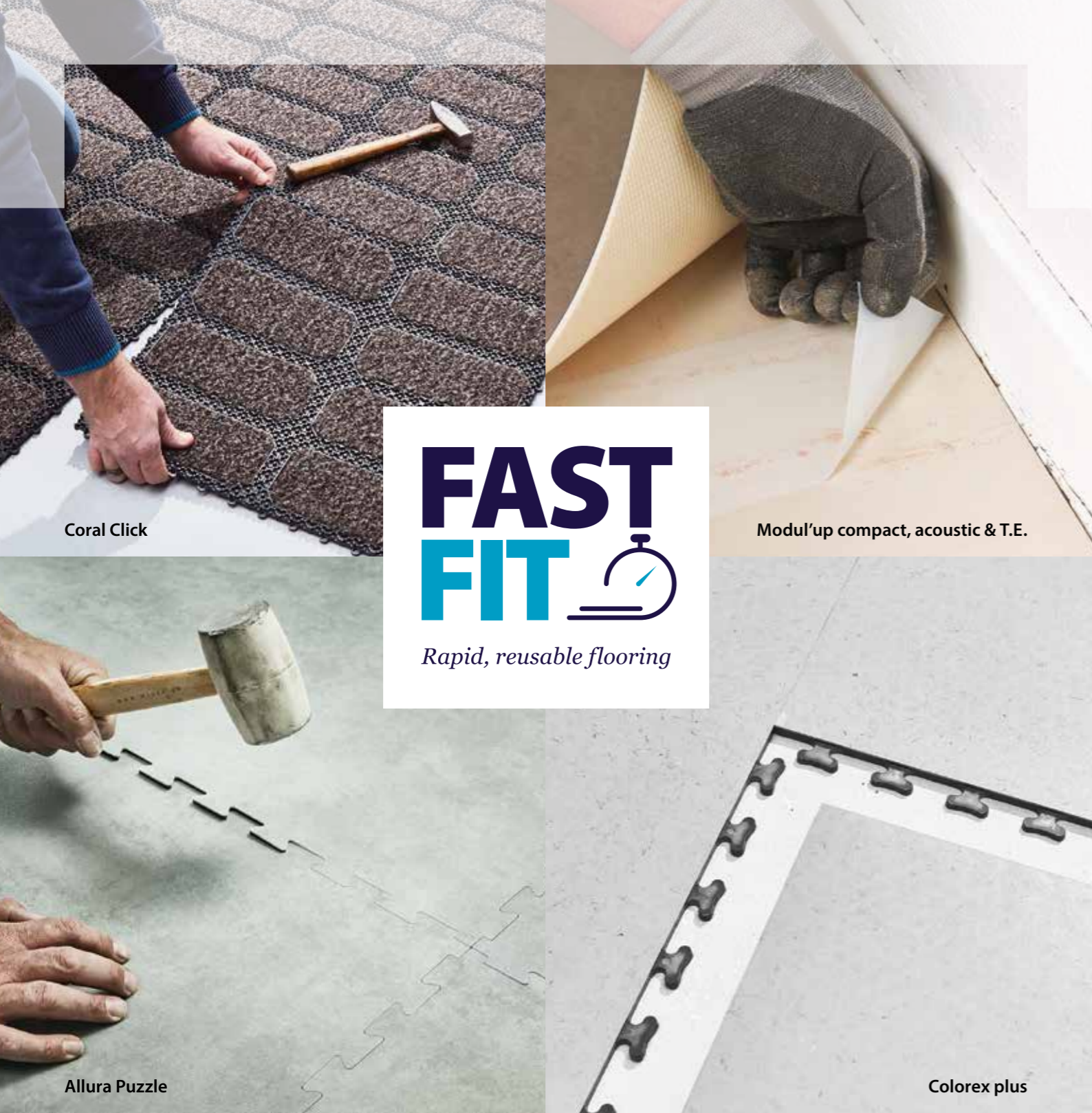
The service allows specifiers to choose carpet tiles that feature directional arrows within the design, or have loose arrows cut into existing resilient installations or resilient materials.



Online consultations

To support the new ways of working, Forbo is offering online consultations with its specification team to discuss all aspects of a project.

For more information please visit www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/covid



Coral Click

Modul'up compact, acoustic & T.E.

**FAST
FIT** 
Rapid, reusable flooring

Allura Puzzle

Colorex plus

FastFit is Forbo's collection of **genuinely adhesive free products**, including entrance products and interior flooring in sheet, tile and plank formats for maximum flexibility.

- **Reduced installation times by over 50%**
- **Free from dust and adhesive odours**
- **Easy to remove, recycle and reuse**
- **Can be walked on immediately after installation**
- **Sheet, tile & plank formats available**

For more information or to order a sample, visit www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/FastFit

Save over
20%
when using
Modul'up*

Reduce
installation
times by over
50%

*Cost and time savings are compared to the use of standard, glued down products.

CASE STUDIES



Peninsula Building Modul'up Compact 43C30001 | dove

PROJECT:
Peninsula Building

LOCATION:
Manchester

FLOORING MATERIAL:
Modul'up 43C30001 | dove

Shaun Bradbury, Managing Director at Wrennalls Group, said:

"My role in the project was to source an alternative floor covering that could be easily and quickly applied, with minimal fuss, mess and disruption to daily operations, as the building is in-use 24 hours a day."

Offering the unique ability to reduce downtime while providing cost and time savings, Forbo Flooring Systems' innovative adhesive-free sheet vinyl collection, Modul'up, was chosen for the refurbishment of a busy high-rise office building in Manchester.

Available in Compact, Acoustic and T.E. constructions.

"I recommended Forbo's Modul'up, which is an adhesive-free sheet vinyl and part of Forbo's Fast Fit collection, as it could be installed while the premises were still in use. We came in on a Saturday morning, completed the fitting over the weekend, and the floor was ready to walk on by 8am on the Monday, in time for the working week."

David Keen, Estates Services Manager at Edinburgh college, said:

As the building is open 50 weeks of the year and seven days a week, we needed to find a flooring solution that was quick and easy to install whilst the college was still open. We soon realised that the new Modul'up adhesive free sheet vinyl was the perfect solution for us, as it ticked all of the boxes in terms of design, installation, performance and sustainability.

The fact that the floor could be walked on immediately after installation really was a great advantage for us. With there being no adhesives, this eliminated the emission and odours, which was particularly important for the wellbeing of all that use the building."

PROJECT:
Edinburgh College

LOCATION:
Edinburgh

FLOORING MATERIAL:
Modul'up 43C30572 | cement medium grey



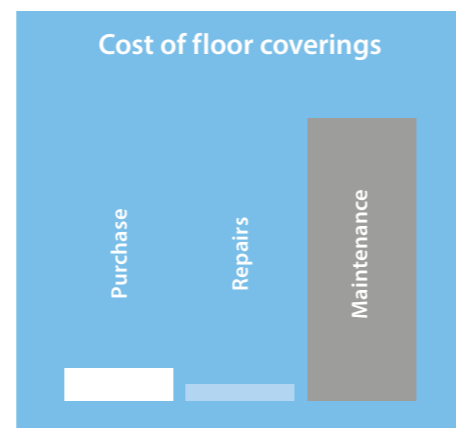
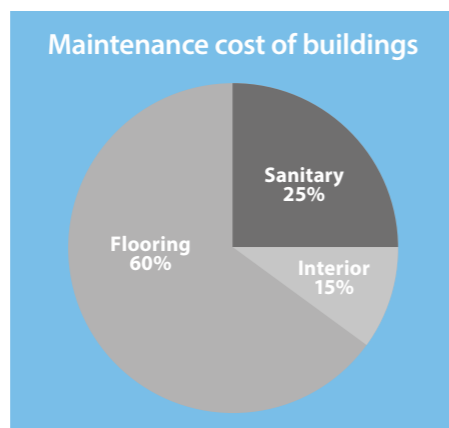
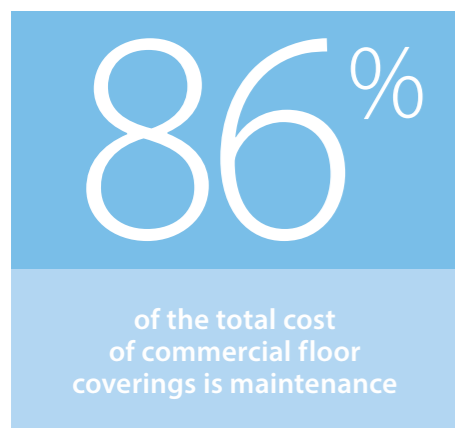
Edinburgh College Modul'up Compact 43C30572 | cement medium grey

ENTRANCE FLOORING SYSTEMS **SAVE MONEY...**



Research shows that up to 95% of the dirt entering a building is brought in on the soles of shoes and the tyres of wheeled traffic. This wet and dry soiling makes interiors look dirty and unattractive, causes structural damage to interior floor coverings and finishes and creates unnecessary health and safety hazards.

If effective measures are not taken to avoid this problem, the repair and maintenance costs of a typical floor covering over its lifespan could be nine times the cost of the original investment. A well designed entrance flooring system will prevent dirt and moisture from being tracked in and thereby prolong the life of interior flooring and reduce cleaning, repair and overall maintenance costs.



...AND **PROTECT** PEOPLE AND INTERIORS



Entrance flooring systems also have a critical safety role to play.

Falls, slips and trips at the same level account for **29% of non fatal injuries to employees per year***, causing suffering and financial loss for individuals, companies and society at large.

Wet and dry soiling can both create slip hazards but by taking sensible decisions over flooring surfaces and installing effective entrance matting, the potential for slipping can be dramatically reduced.

There are two major pieces of legislation/guidance documents that affect the specification of EFS's.

British Standard 7953: 1999 Part 3.1 Guidance document

- Definition of an EFS
- The role of an EFS
- Product types

British Standard 8300-2:2018

Making entrances safe and accessible for all.

The British Standard states why we need an entrance system and also what its role is.

The WELL Building Standard® also recommends the use of entrance matting as an important tool to reduce pollutants entering the building.

The role of an entrance flooring system British Standard 7953 Part 5.1

"The entrance flooring system should scrape, wipe and retain soil, making contact with both feet of people entering the building and, in the case of wheeled traffic, with the circumference of the wheels."

British Standard 7953: 1999 states that an EFS is necessary in order to:

- Reduce the risk of slip injuries
- Prolong the life of the interior floor finish
- Reduce the cost of ongoing maintenance

Health and Safety and the Equality Act legislation imposes a duty of care on those who own and manage public buildings to prevent interior floor surfaces from becoming hazardous.

*Source, Health and Safety Executive – Kinds of accident statistics in GB, 2019

The safety needs of the elderly, the infirm and those with impairments must be given a high priority. Floors must be kept clean, dry and safe and offer an appropriate co-efficient of friction (slip-resistance) for pedestrians and good wheel grip for wheel chair users.

Equality Act 2010

British Standard 8300-2:2018 Design of Buildings and their approaches to meet the needs of disabled people – Code of practice

"...The ingress of soil and surface moisture to buildings, or their transfer between adjacent internal areas, should be reduced to the lowest practical level, e.g. through the use of appropriate entrance matting systems conforming to British Standard 7953..."

Loose lay mats and coir are advised against.

nuway® rigid entrance systems



Nuway Tuftiguard

nuway® tuftiguard

The original and most widely used rigid entrance mat in the UK. Reversible, effectively doubling its lifespan and guaranteed for up to 15 years. Available in open or closed format with single or double wiper strips for increased moisture removal.



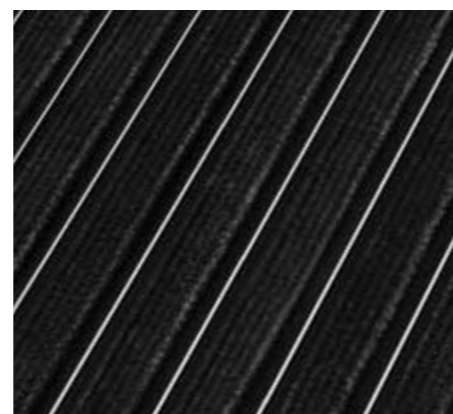
Tuftiguard Plain

Ideal for external entrances.



Tuftiguard Classic

Our best seller. With a choice of 4 scraper bar options.



Tuftiguard Design

For increased colour and design.

A well designed entrance flooring system will prevent dirt and moisture from being tracked into the building, prolong the life of interior flooring, reduce cleaning, repair and overall maintenance costs and prevent slips and trips.

THE NUWAY COLLECTION AT A GLANCE

nuway® tuftiguard design

The performance of Tuftiguard Classic but with a choice of scraper bars and wiper strips.



Nuway Tuftiguard black anodised

nuway® tuftiguard bamboo

Ideal for use alongside timber finishes and offering excellent sustainability credentials. The Bamboo scraper bars are available in Tuftiguard Classic and Tuftiguard Design.



Nuway Tuftiguard Bamboo

nuway® tuftiguard HD

For entrances with intense traffic and high point loads.



Nuway Tuftiguard HD

nuway® connect

Single sided product offering 'mix and match' opportunities including bristle, Ultragrip rubber and Coral inserts.



Nuway Connect

nuway® grid

Single sided product available with 12 inserts, including new Ultragrip Rubber for sure footing in multi-directional entrances.



Nuway Grid

coral® textile clean-off systems



Coral Brush 5705 | Bondi blue

Coral has been the international market leading textile entrance flooring brand for more than 50 years and now offers more choice than ever before. Each range in the collection has been designed to meet differing soiling needs as every entrance is a unique environment.

coral® duo

The ultimate dirt and moisture remover.

coral® brush

The great all-rounder.



Coral Duo



Coral Brush

THE CORAL RANGE AT A GLANCE

coral® welcome

Where design meets environment.



Coral Welcome

coral® classic

The ultimate moisture absorber.



coral® click

'Off the shelf' adhesive free matting system.



Coral Classic



Coral Click

coral® classic tiles & coral® brush tiles

Excellent moisture absorbing qualities combined with the convenience of a modular format.

coral® logo

Make a great first impression.



Coral Tiles



Coral Logo



MARMOLEUM – NATURAL BY NATURE

Marmoleum is Forbo's brand of **linoleum** flooring which is a natural flooring product consisting of linseed oil, pine rosin, wood flour, limestone, pigments, and jute.



THE PATH TO **CARBON NEUTRAL** BUILDINGS IS MADE FROM LINSEEDS, **NOT PLASTIC**

Marmoleum has a heritage which dates back over 150 years and is one of the most sustainable floor coverings available on the market.

Due to its unique properties, 97% natural raw materials and modern manufacturing processes, Marmoleum is also CO₂ neutral* – without needing offsetting.

As we all now consider how to make more conscious decisions when it comes to selecting building and interior materials, we wanted to make Marmoleum count towards helping to reduce the embodied carbon of future and refurbished buildings.

Discover the versatile world of Marmoleum with over 300 colours and more than 12 different structures to choose from, available in sheet and modular tile formats.

For more information please visit: www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/liveforward

*the weighted average of our Marmoleum portfolio is CO₂ neutral (cradle to gate) - without offsetting.



Infection control & Allergy UK

Independent testing by the University of Glasgow has proved that Marmoleum has a unique suitability for a diverse range of environments where hygiene and control of bacteria such as MRSA or E. coli is an everyday concern.

Marmoleum is also an Allergy UK approved floor covering.

For more information on Allergy UK visit: www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/allergy

Topshield

All Marmoleum floors include Topshield, a double UV-cured finish which is scratch and scuff resistant, easy to maintain and ensures a long lasting appearance retention.

Topshield is also naturally bacteriostatic, resistant to chemicals and hand disinfectants, making it an ideal solution for all heavy traffic environments such as schools, healthcare, offices and public buildings.

Welding

In the majority of installations, Marmoleum does not need to be welded as it is completely dimensionally stable and will not shrink. However, if welding is the preferred option, there are matching welding cords for every Marmoleum design.

For more information please visit: www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/installation

LINOLEUM



Sheet Marmoleum

The collection of sheet Marmoleum includes three ranges, Marbled, Solid and Linear.

Marbled



Inspired by Mother Nature's colour palette, our new Marmoleum Marbled collection incorporates 90 colourways and two new marbled designs that will complement any contemporary interior space.



Marmoleum Marbled

Solid



Our Marmoleum Solid collection presents 5 individual textures that provide the foundation for creating pure distinctive modern spaces. This innovative linoleum flooring range combines several levels of plainness with exciting twists of colour and structure.



Marmoleum Solid

THE MARMOLEUM COLLECTION AT A GLANCE

Marmoleum Modular



(Tile & plank Marmoleum)

Our Marmoleum Modular collection presents sustainable linoleum tiles in various sizes & designs which include linear, concrete, stone and marble, that allow you to mix and match and create stunning floor designs.



Marmoleum Modular

Acoustic, Decibel, Ohmex



(Acoustic & Static dissipative)

In addition to our 'standard' ranges, we also offer a number of linoleum floor coverings developed to meet specific technical or comfort requirements, including static control, sound reduction and shock absorption.



Acoustic Linoleum



Bulletin Board

Bulletin Board



(Off the Floor Linoleum)

Pinboard linoleum, or Bulletin Board, offers a practical, simple solution to collect and exchange thoughts and ideas whenever people plan, create and meet. Simply share your thoughts by pinning your idea onto the wall.



Furniture Linoleum

Furniture Linoleum



(Off the Floor Linoleum)

Furniture Linoleum is a decorative surfacing material that can be applied to vertical, horizontal and curved surfaces, providing interior furniture with a truly distinctive and individual look.

PROJECT VINYL



Allura 60305 | light honey oak + 62485 | taupe sand

Forbo Flooring Systems has been manufacturing vinyl floor coverings for over 100 years and our project vinyl brands are well established in the world of flooring.

Our complete vinyl portfolio offers flooring solutions that encompass general purpose (both heterogeneous and homogeneous), slip resistant, acoustic, static control and wetroom solutions.

Produced and designed in Europe, Forbo's project vinyl ranges offer eye-catching designs along with exceptional performance and a low maintenance, stain resistant finish.

sphera[®] homogeneous vinyl

eternal general purpose vinyl

allura luxury vinyl tiles
(including loose lay and adhesive free options)

step[®] safety vinyl
(including wetroom)

sarlion[®] acoustic vinyl

colorex[®] & **sphera**[®] static control flooring

modul'up adhesive free project vinyl

Sphera

Homogeneous vinyl



Sphera is Forbo's premium, homogeneous vinyl collection, styled by our European design team and produced in an advanced purpose-built plant using the latest manufacturing technology.

Sphera SD | EC range ensures the highest hygienic properties and provides permanent ESD control.



Sphera Energetic

THE PROJECT VINYL PORTFOLIO AT A GLANCE

Eternal & Bespoke printed vinyl

General purpose vinyl

Forbo's Eternal general purpose vinyl collection offers a superb combination of state-of-the-art designs in a strong, durable, fit-for-purpose range; suitable for any commercial interior.



Eternal Material

Create your own, truly individual floor with Forbo's bespoke digital printed Eternal or Step safety vinyl.

Allura

Luxury Vinyl Tiles



Produced and designed in Europe, Allura is a versatile luxury vinyl tile collection with products that suit a wide range of applications and functionalities including loose lay, adhesive free, click and interlocking formats.



Allura 63420 | burned oak + 63432 | smoke cement

Fast Fit

Adhesive free project vinyl



With millions of m² sold around the world, Modul'up is a proven adhesive free floor covering, perfect for high traffic applications. As Modul'up does not require any adhesive, installation time is reduced by up to 50% compared to standard, glued down products.

Refreshed for 2021, Modul'up is available in three constructions. Compact, acoustic 19 dB and a TE construction (which is suitable for use on damp sub floors with up to 97% RH).



Modul'up

Surestep, Safestep & Wetroom

Safety & Wetroom



Step offers various slip resistant ratings from R10-R12, including floor and wall coverings suitable for wetroom applications and our new Surestep Decibel range achieves a 17 dB sound reduction rating. The digitally printed Step collection takes safety flooring to a new dimension. Choose from our two stocked ranges, or create your own design.



Surestep Original

Sarlion and other acoustic vinyls

Acoustic vinyl



As a specialist in acoustic floors with more than 30 years' experience, Forbo can offer a range of acoustic floor covering solutions including sheet, tile and adhesive free options. With impact sound reductions ranging between 14 dB and 19 dB, we have a solution for any project where sound reduction is a key priority.



Sarlion

Colorex

Static control



For areas that require a more specialised type of flooring, such as electro static discharge (ESD) protection or ISO standard clean rooms, Forbo has a range of Colorex products that meet the very highest standards. Colorex is the ideal static control flooring system for sectors such as electronics, pharmaceuticals, health, data centres and server rooms.



Colorex SD

AN INTRODUCTION TO CARPET TILES



Today's office environments frequently accommodate layout changes, which is why carpet tiles, with their ability to quickly adapt to new requirements, can reduce the cost of reorganisation. Where carpet tiles are installed, telephone, network, electrical and other underfloor systems remain easily accessible for these changes to be made.

- Colour co-ordinated for maximum design flexibility
- Quicker to install than broadloom carpet
- Installation wastage is reduced
- Damaged or soiled tiles can be replaced
- Wear rotation to extend flooring lifespan
- Renovation with minimal disruption
- Compatibility with access systems
- Multiple sizes available

TESSERA AT A GLANCE

tessera® loop pile

Carpet tiles with a standard loop pile construction are designed to maintain their good looks in the most demanding heavy traffic areas of buildings, such as corridors and reception areas, while multi-height loop pile carpet tiles offer distinctive in-built texture and contemporary styling coupled with a robust and durable construction.



tessera® random lay. batchless

A random-lay carpet tile is cleverly designed so that it may be laid in any direction to produce a totally individual floor design and fitting waste is reduced to less than 2%. Different production consignments of 'batchless' tiles can be used together in an installation without the usual risk of visible batch variation or the need to hold attic stock.



tessera® loop pile plank

As modular flooring is a major trend, Forbo has developed a unique range of Tessera planks of 100 x 25cm and 100 x 20cm ranging from colourful and complex designs to minimal, sophisticated aesthetics with which stunning floorplans can be created.



tessera® cut and loop

Cut and loop pile tiles feature a clever hybrid construction that offers all the robustness of a conventional loop pile product but with the superior aesthetics and more luxurious feel of a cut pile carpet tile.



ADVANTAGES OF FLOCKED FLOORING



Flotex planks Ombré | 149001 | boreal + Montage 147001 | boreal

Flotex is the only product available in the flooring market that combines the appeal of a textile floor covering with the durable and cleaning advantages of a resilient. Flotex is available in a wide range of colours and commercially viable designs, all whilst being able to withstand extreme wear and high traffic – perfect for very busy locations in leisure, education, office and retail environments. Flotex flocked flooring products are available in sheet, tile and plank formats.

The SCIENCE of Flocking

There's a science to creating Flotex, that's what makes it so unique. Offering the warmth, comfort and acoustic properties of a textile combined with the durability and easy-to-clean benefits of a resilient flooring, Flotex is a smart floor covering. Inspired by smart cities and urban landscapes, Flotex is designed to enhance the performance of any interior, and it's built to last. There's nothing quite like Flotex flocked flooring.

What will do you with the freedom?

the
Art
of FLOCKING

Always flawless, so do your worst! Looking immaculate whatever comes its way, and designed to handle high traffic, Flotex flocked flooring really is a star performer.

10
YEAR
GUARANTEE

With a 10 year guarantee, it's well suited to areas where durability and cleanability are essential. There's no need to decide between functionality or style, why not have both with Flotex?



Breathe easy in the knowledge you chose Flotex Flocked flooring. With the prestigious Allergy UK Seal of Approval™, Flotex contributes to better indoor environments in which to live, work, learn and play.



Slip resistant and offering up to 22 dB impact sound reduction, Flotex really is a reassuringly safe and sound flooring solution. All Flotex ranges are phthalate free and our Colour sheet ranges are VOC/emission free.

FLOTEX AT A GLANCE

flotex® colour



Four versatile and fresh designs make up the Flotex Colour collection: Metro, Calgary, Penang and Canyon. Together they offer a range of 90 unique colourways, all available in sheet and tile format and all complemented by 22 borders.



Flotex Colour Canyon

Flotex linear tiles



These linear designs have been designed to work alongside each other to create striking and intriguing effects in commercial spaces.



Flotex Integrity

flotex® planks



The performance attributes of Flotex along with the design versatility of the Plank collection, make it ideal for use in workspaces as well as high traffic areas such as call centres, hotels and transport hubs.



Flotex Planks Ombré

flotex® naturals



Flotex Naturals offers photorealistic images of natural wood textures and colours.



Flotex Naturals

flotex® vision



Rock your interior with Flotex Vision, a unique collection of over 500 digitally printed, high definition flocked flooring designs which hit the right note. You can even create your own for a totally individual solution.



Flotex Vision

BESPOKE AND DESIGNER SOLUTIONS

Whether you are looking to recreate a complex logo or design feature, match that perfect colour for your interior or visualise an entire flooring design scheme, we have the knowledge and technology to help and guide you every step of the way.



Surestep

Digitally Printed Vinyl

Eternal Digitally Printed vinyl is a series of digitally printed flooring designs which offer a new dimension in colour and design, whilst retaining the full performance specification of the Eternal core collection. We now also offer a digitally printed safety flooring which opens the door to all and any bespoke design, a first of its kind only available from Forbo.



Flotex Vision

Flotex Vision Bespoke

Advanced digital printing technology allows for bespoke digital printing on textile flooring, tailored to your unique design specification from as little as 60m².

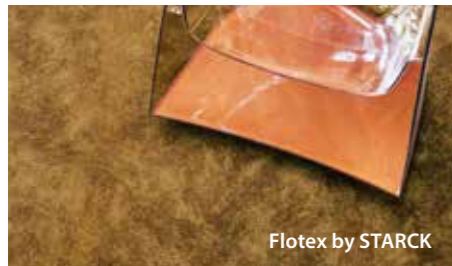


Flotex Tibor

Flotex Designer Collections

flotex® tibor **flotex® sottsass**

Our Flotex Designer collection offers up to the minute artworks for the floor from world renowned designers. We have already collaborated with design legends Sottsass Association and Tibor Reich.



Flotex by STARCK

Flotex Designer Collections

flotex® BY STARCK®

Forbo Flooring Systems has collaborated with visionary creator Philippe Starck in designing a highly innovative collection of floor covering systems: Flotex BY STARCK.



HemingwayDesign X Forbo

Designer Collections

HEMINGWAYDESIGN X **forbo**
FLOORING SYSTEMS

HemingwayDesign has collaborated with Forbo to produce our first product collection. Inspired by pop art and graphics, visit www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/hemingwaydesign to find out more.



Coral Logo

Entrance Flooring Systems

As well as providing a high performance entrance system, our Nuway engineered mats and Coral textile clean off systems both offer the opportunity for unique design solutions.



Aquajet

Aquajet

Our unique Aquajet water cutting technology enables reproduction of the most intricate designs using Marmoleum and allows for endless creativity. Whether it is a thematic floor, a work of art or a company logo, the possibilities with Aquajet are limitless.

OUR FLOOR COVERINGS IN USE

Forbo's products are available in a vast array of colourways and offer a wide choice of performance attributes. To celebrate this diversity, we wanted to share with you some of the flooring schemes created using our products across a broad range of market sectors.



Glan Clwyd Hospital

Products – **Sphera Element & Eternal Wood**

Calming colours and patterns have helped to create a special environment for mothers and babies at Glan Clwyd Hospital. Forbo Flooring Systems' Sphera Element has been specified throughout the Mother and Baby Unit, due to its bright and fresh appearance, high-performance and durability. Easy to work with, the Sphera sheets were laid throughout the unit and hand cut to shape to create a beautiful butterfly designs.



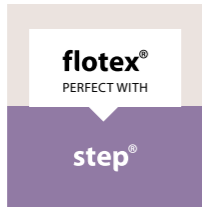
OUR FLOOR COVERINGS IN USE

Erskine Court Care Home

Products – **Flotex Metro, Flotex Naturals, Surestep & Safestep R11**

Forbo Flooring Systems has played a vital role in bringing the outside in during the design of a new extra-care housing scheme, for Southampton City Council thanks to its range of colourful and practical floor covering solutions available. The result is a design that ensures that the residents have a bright, healthy and hygienic environment to live in and subsequently, the project won a Commended award in the Fly Forbo competition.

Design Consultant Alex Salway, from Daring Design UK Ltd, designed the interior of Erskine Court for Southampton City Council; a 'housing with care' facility designed for the over 55s and one of the first of its kind in Southern England. Residents have access to care 24/7 if they need it, while also maintaining their independence and having space in which to socialise and be part of a community.



Halifax Flagship

Products – **Surestep, Allura Flex Wood, Tessera Inline, Tessera Diffusion, Bulletin Board, Coral Classic & Nuway Tuftiguard**

The versatile and contemporary aesthetics of Forbo Flooring Systems' portfolio has led to an array of its floor coverings being installed at the UK's first-ever Halifax flagship branch. The state-of-the-art project, which is unlike any traditional bank, has been awarded top honours in the annual Fly Forbo 2018/19 competition.

Designed by leading retail and brand consultancy firm, Honest, the 13,500 sq ft Halifax branch located on Oxford Street in Central London, replaces the former Dorothy Perkins and Burton flagship store. Spanning over three floors and split into different zones, the interior design incorporates vibrant colours and inviting furnishings to create a welcoming and homely environment.



OUR FLOOR COVERINGS IN USE



Project Rejuvenate by Parker Hannifin

Products – **Tessera carpet tiles, Marmoleum Concrete, Allura Flex & Surestep original**

With the help of Forbo Flooring Systems' integrated portfolio of solutions, the Bioscience Filtration Division of Parker Hannifin in Birtley, County Durham, was transformed into a contemporary, uplifting and dynamic workplace environment. Labelled 'Project Rejuvenate', the scheme designed by Blake Hopkinson Architecture was awarded top marks in the annual Fly Forbo 2019/20 competition.

Comprising office spaces, laboratories and a separate manufacturing block, the 3950m² Birtley headquarters is responsible for the design, supply and delivery of single-use filtration systems for pharmaceutical and biopharmaceutical manufacturing. Having been adapted in a relatively ad-hoc and sporadic manner over the years, Blake Hopkinson Architecture was brought on board to take a holistic approach and completely remodel the whole site to reflect the global values of the Parker Hannifin brand.



Edinburgh College

Products – **Modul'up adhesive-free vinyl & Tessera carpet tiles**

For the refurbishment of Edinburgh College's busiest campus, its FM team called upon Forbo Flooring Systems' Modul'up adhesive free sheet vinyl for its unique ability to be installed quickly and easily, while reducing downtime and disruption to day-to-day college life – as the floor covering could be walked on immediately after installation.

Based in the North of Edinburgh, Edinburgh College Granton Campus is the largest of the college's four campuses. A modern, practical and accessible building packed with state-of-the-art facilities, the building spans over 30,000 sqm of space across three floors and sees 1,800 students and staff come through its doors every day.



OUR FLOOR COVERINGS IN USE



Tudor Place

Products – **Allura LVT, Marmoleum, Sarlon Acoustic Vinyl, Tessera carpet tiles & Coral Classic entrance matting**

Capturing the traditional charm of the Tudor period, London-based design studio, Upcircle, designed Chester's newest student accommodation by taking inspiration from the city's history and architecture. With the help of Forbo Flooring Systems' comprehensive portfolio a warm, striking and sophisticated interior was created.

From the branding and signage through to the interior design, Upcircle's multi-disciplinary expertise has helped to shape Fresh Student Living's latest development, Tudor Place. Located only a stone's throw away from Chester City Centre, the four-block student accommodation complex comprises 323 bedrooms and studios, as well as an array of modern facilities such as an on-site gym, a multi-media room and a communal lounge.



Bovis Homes

Products – **Novilon Nova & Novilon Viva**

The contemporary aesthetics of Forbo Flooring Systems' Novilon cushioned vinyl, combined with its exceptional performance characteristics, has led Bovis Homes to incorporate the floor covering within its West Midlands region's Affordable Social Housing Specification.

At Bovis Homes' Kingsmere development in Bicester, which consists of a mix of affordable and open market properties, Forbo's Novilon was installed in all of the screeded ground floor rooms in the rented plots, such as the kitchen, hall, guest cloakroom, lounge and first floor bathroom and in the shared ownership homes, the floor covering was fitted to the ground floor kitchen and guest cloakroom, as well as the first floor bathroom.



FURTHER INFORMATION

Creating Better Environments

From how they're made to how they perform, we make outstanding floors that are truly sustainable. That's because our floors are good for people, good for buildings and good for the environment. So, from the building they're in to the world outside, we're helping our customers work, live and relax in better environments.

It's about the things you can't see

A Forbo floor is always beautiful and stylish to look at. A floor that's comfortable to live, work and play on. But looks aren't everything; often, it's the things you can't see that really matter.

From how it's made, our footprint...

From how we run our factories to how we choose our ingredients, the way we make our floors is a big part of how we meet our mission to create better environments.

...To how it performs, your footsteps...

We include the whole life of a floor when we think about its sustainability performance. Which means we make sure our floors start performing from the moment they're fitted. For more details, please visit our web site www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/cbe

Green information

We provide environmental data sheets for our products which are available online. Please visit www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/cbedownloads to download the data sheets.

We also provide high quality electronic information such as **BIM models** with all the relevant and up-to-date information included. Visit www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/BIM to find out more.

Site certification

As well as reducing our impact on the planet, we're also working on caring for the people that touch our business, from employees to suppliers. That's why all our UK manufacturing facilities and most of our sites in Europe are certified to **OHSAS 18001 – Occupational Health and Safety and SA8000®**. The SA8000 Standard, established by SAI and one of the world's pre-eminent social standards, is a tool for implementing international labour standards to protect workers along each step of the supply chain.



We use several transparent independent third party certification systems for our flooring products. We're also keen to include our products in the building rating systems for a sustainable environment.

It's good for Forbo because it helps us share our sustainability story and spot opportunities to improve.

And it's good for you because it shows that other environmental experts agree that our floors are among the most sustainable and high performance available.

The **Nordic Swan, Blue Angel, BREEAM** and **Natureplus** are just a few of the sustainable product labels that Forbo complies to. Just visit www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/cbe to find out more.

BREEAM

[Building Research Establishment Environmental Assessment Methodology]

BREEAM is the world's most well-known environmental assessment for buildings. For a full list of all our BREEAM certified products, please visit www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/cbedownloads

SKA

Ska rating is an environmental assessment method, benchmark and standard owned by RICS (Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors). It's for use in non-domestic fit outs and is mainly used in the office, retail and higher education sectors.

For a full list of our products which meet Ska rating criteria please visit www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/ska

Forbo's commitment to SA8000 the ethical labour standard

Social Accountability 8000 (SA8000) is the leading international social certification standard. Since its inception, in 1997, the standard has evolved into a framework that assists organisations to demonstrate their dedication to the fair treatment of workers – both within their business and supply chains – regardless of an organisation's size, geographic location or industry sector. SA8000 measures social performance in eight areas important to social accountability in workplaces through a management system that demands continuous improvement in all areas.

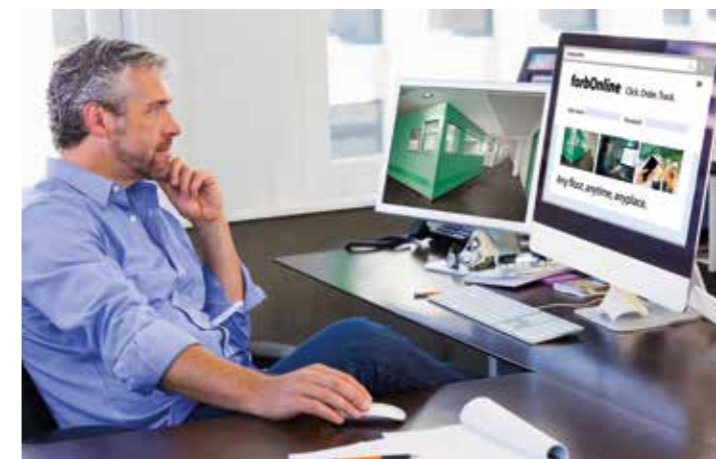


Summary

Forbo recognises that the SA8000 Standard leverages the power of both businesses and consumers to purchase products made from workplaces that enrich, not denigrate, the livelihoods of people.

forbOnline

If you have a Forbo account, you can make life easier by registering with ForbOnline. Forbo Flooring Systems' new online portal allows you to check stock, request a quote, place an order, arrange a return and much, much more. ForbOnline can also be accessed on all your electronic devices including tablets and smartphones.



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EVERYTHING YOU NEED IN A COUPLE OF CLICKS

www.forbo-flooring.co.uk

If you've been online to look at our website recently, you'll know that we've made it easier than ever to find all the information you could possibly need on our products in just a few clicks.

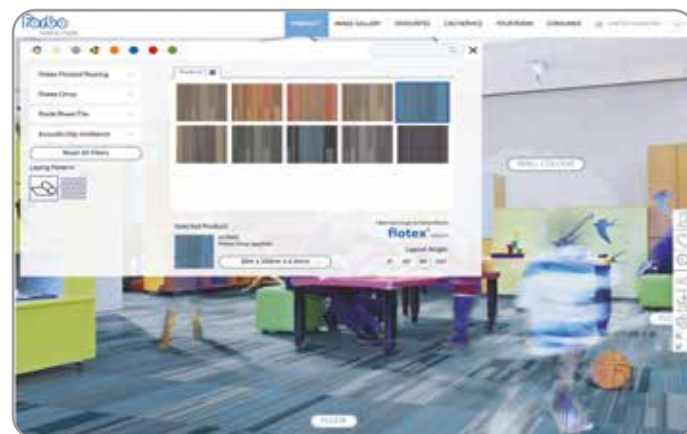
DOWNLOADS



All our brochures, technical specifications and installation instructions can also be downloaded – just click www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/downloads

In our Installation & Floorcare section you'll also find links to an ever increasing series of Youtube guides or you can visit our FAQ section for when you need an answer quickly.

FORBO ROOM PLANNER

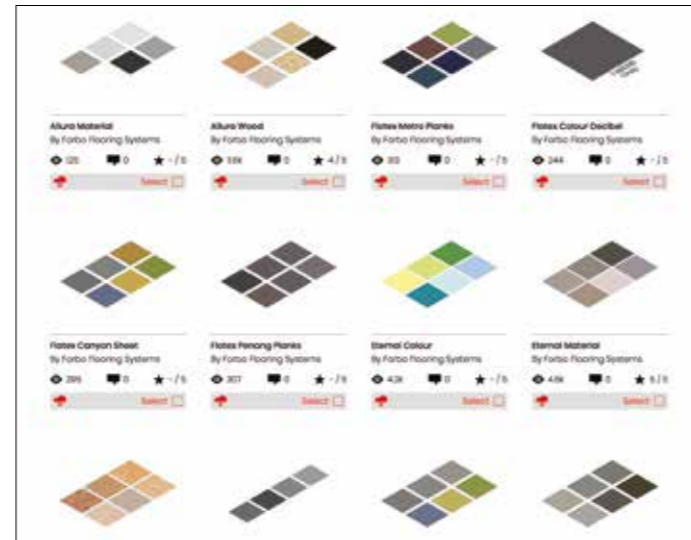


Our Room Planner allows you to drop products from across our product portfolio into a selection of room shots, giving you the freedom to visualise how your scheme will look. If it is inspiration that you are looking for why not have a look at how our customers have used our products by visiting our 'Inspiration and references' page on our website.

For more information, please visit www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/roomplanner

BIM

Forbo offers a range of free BIM objects (revit & archicad) for a wide selection of products from across our portfolio. These can be downloaded directly from our website or by visiting www.forbo-flooring.co.uk/bim



SAMPLE SERVICE

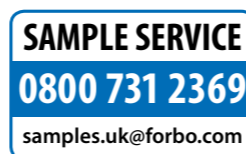


We realise how important it is to physically see a product sample before purchasing our floor coverings. That's why we have many different ways to order loose samples.

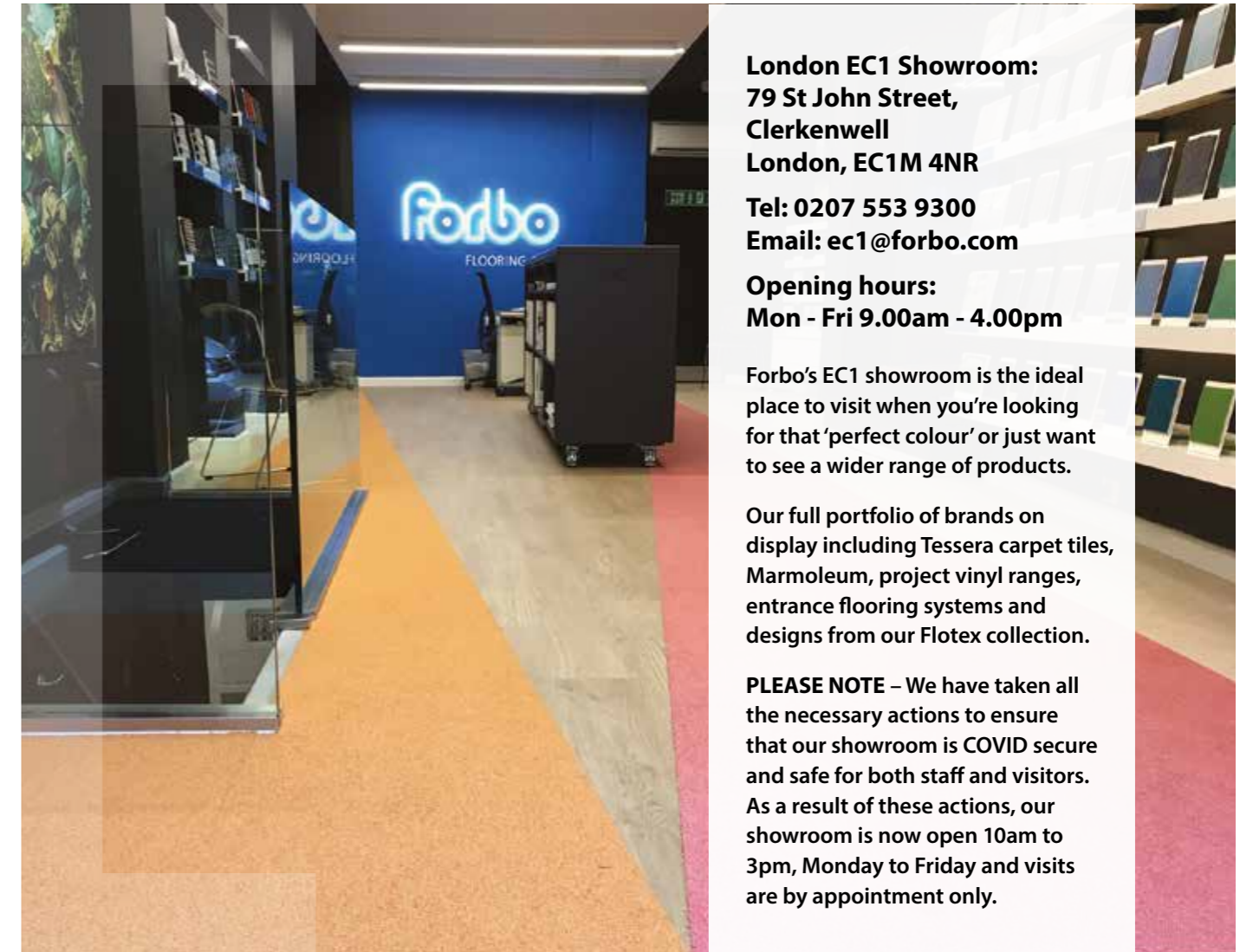
All commercial sample requests received before 2.30pm will be processed for next working day delivery.

Samples can be ordered over the phone, by calling **0800 731 2369** (Mon-Fri, 8.30am-5.00pm)

Samples can be ordered 24/7 by visiting www.forboflooring.co.uk/samples or by emailing samples.uk@forbo.com



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Forbo's EC1 showroom is the ideal place to visit when you're looking for that 'perfect colour' or just want to see a wider range of products.

Our full portfolio of brands on display including Tessera carpet tiles, Marmoleum, project vinyl ranges, entrance flooring systems and designs from our Flotex collection.

PLEASE NOTE – We have taken all the necessary actions to ensure that our showroom is COVID secure and safe for both staff and visitors. As a result of these actions, our showroom is now open 10am to 3pm, Monday to Friday and visits are by appointment only.

For further information on any of the products in this brochure, please don't hesitate to contact us on the number below and we'll be pleased to send you additional literature and samples as required.

Samples:

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Downloads & CPDs:

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