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HARDWOOD FLOORING



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# GERFLOR, SPORTS FLOOR REFERENCE FOR INDOOR...



**CONNOR  
SPORTS®**

**MORE THAN 100 YEARS  
OF EXPERIENCE**

Founded in 1872,  
Connor Sports® is the  
market leader in portable  
and permanent hardwood  
sports flooring systems.

In 1914, Connor Sports®  
installed the first basketball  
court in the USA.

Today, Connor Sports®  
professional engineers  
continue to lead  
the industry in new product  
design and development,  
setting the standard for  
innovative solutions in sports  
surfacing.



TD Garden - Boston (USA)  
Home of the Boston Celtics

# ...AND OUTDOOR PRACTICE



INDOOR FLOORING:

THE BEST PERFORMING PRODUCTS ON THE MARKET

OUTDOOR PLAY AREAS:

WORLD'S LEADING OUTDOOR SPORT SURFACE

LINOLEUM FLOORING:

HISTORIC LEADER IN LINOLEUM SPORT FLOORING



Since 1947, Taraflex has been one pioneer in developing synthetic floors and is today the world leading brand for indoor sports floors.

Its complete range offers the perfect solution to all users and applications, with the highest standards, in terms of performance, comfort and environment.

Since 1974, Sport Court offer everyone the opportunity to share memorable sport and recreational experiences.

Sport Court PowerGame+ outdoor surfaces are great-looking, safe to play on, and can be easily installed in all facilities. PowerGame+ offers the ideal outdoor playing surface for every practice and ambition, from children to champions.

DLW Linoleum has been manufacturing high class sport linoleum for over 100 years and is proud to deliver uncompromising product quality.

Adapted to both specific and multi-funcion use, linoleum high performance floors are a great option to address various applications, from kindergartens to multipurpose halls and with acknowledged sustainable features.



CHAMPIONS DESERVE  
EXCEPTIONAL SPORT SURFACE...



2016 Olympics Games (RIO)  
Competition and training courts

# ... SO WE SELECT EXCEPTIONAL MAPLE LUMBER FOR THEM



Connor® Sports lumber mill  
in Amasa, Michigan (USA)

Connor® Sports hand selects North American maple trees grown north of the 35<sup>th</sup> parallel, where the shorter growing season produces a more dense and uniform woodgrain excellent for sports flooring.



Since its establishment in 1897, the Maple Flooring Manufacturers Association (MFMA) is the authoritative source of technical and general information about maple flooring and related sports flooring systems. Connor® Sports is a charter member of the MFMA and the 1<sup>st</sup> member of that group to be certified by the Rainforest Alliance.



Connor® Sports is proud to be the only ZeroWaste company in the sports flooring industry. Recycling, avoiding waste, developing innovative technology and a strong environmental consciousness are a major part of Connor® Sports corporate policy.



Connor® Sports works with FSC (Forest Stewardship Council®). This organization oversees high conservation value forest and protects the communities and indigenous people that rely on the forest. FSC ensures that everyone delivers the most environmentally friendly product.



# CHAMPIONS TRUST US...

## CHAMPIONS OF SPORT

### HARDWOOD SYSTEMS FOR PROFESSIONAL TEAMS

More than half of the teams in the NBA have purchased a Connor Sports® hardwood system:

- ▶ Boston Celtics
- ▶ Brooklyn Nets
- ▶ Philadelphia 76ers
- ▶ Oklahoma City Thunder
- ▶ Atlanta Hawks
- ▶ Golden State Warriors
- ▶ Sacramento Kings
- ▶ Utah Jazz
- ▶ Milwaukee Bucks



Oracle Arena - Oakland (USA)  
Home of the Golden State Warriors  
NBA 2018 Champions



... AND TOP COMPETITIONS TAKE PLACE  
ON CONNOR SPORTS®

## WHERE CHAMPIONS PLAY™

### BASKETBALL

- ▶ 2020 Olympic Games (Tokyo)
- ▶ 2019 FIBA World Cup (China)
- ▶ 2016 Olympic Games (Rio)
- ▶ NCAA Final Four since 2006 (USA)



2019 FIBA World Cup (CHINA)  
Competition and training courts

# WE USE THE BEST MATERIAL...

**“Hard maple has a fine, uniform texture. It is strong, stiff, hard and resistant to shock and has high resistance to shrinkage”**

Wood Handbook 2010 - US department of Agriculture

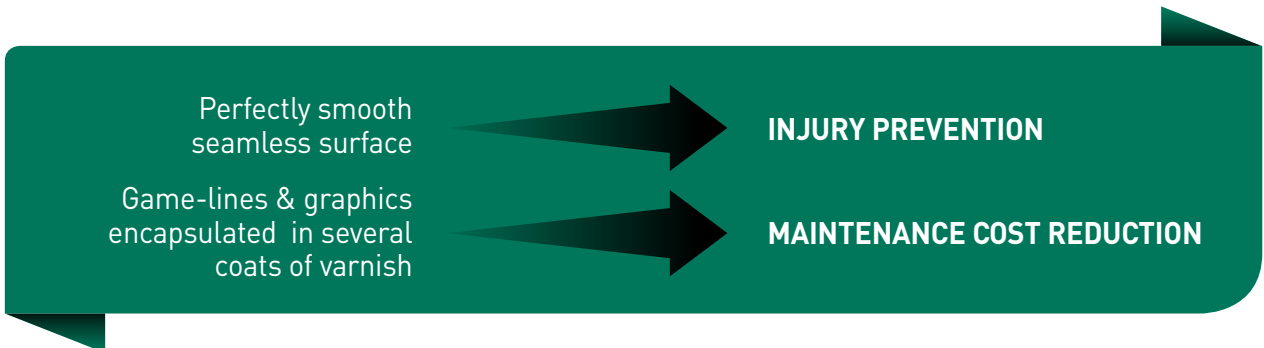


2/3 of the hard maple forest are located in a few hours radius of the manufacturing facility.



## WE CRAFT EXCEPTIONAL FLOORING SURFACES

Connor Sports® hardwood flooring systems are sanded and varnished on site:

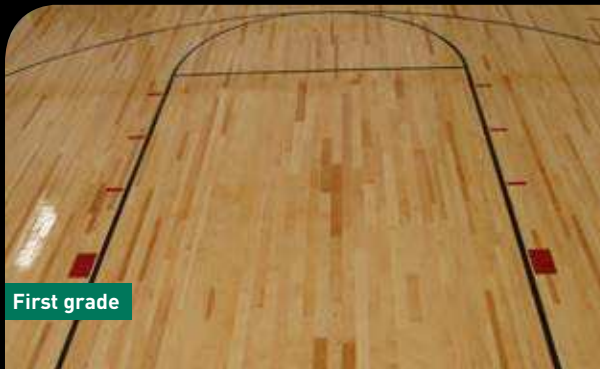


Narrow strips are less subjected to shrinkage than wider strips, 2-strip boards or 3-strip boards. That's why **Connor Sports® supplies 20mm x 57mm hardwood maple strips** ensuring extreme dimensional stability and durability.

- ✓ Long life span: **30 YEARS +**
- ✓ Flexible design: **UP TO 6** refinishing works



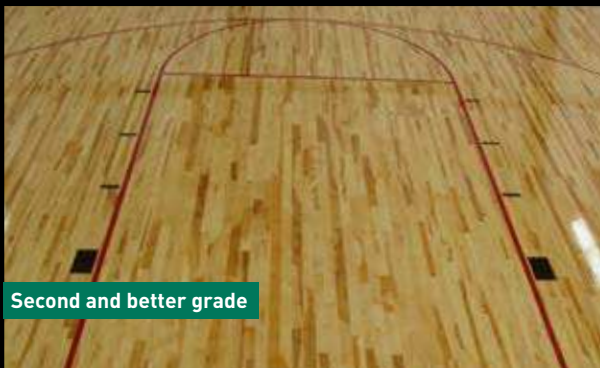
# ... WITH THREE NATURAL GRADES



First grade



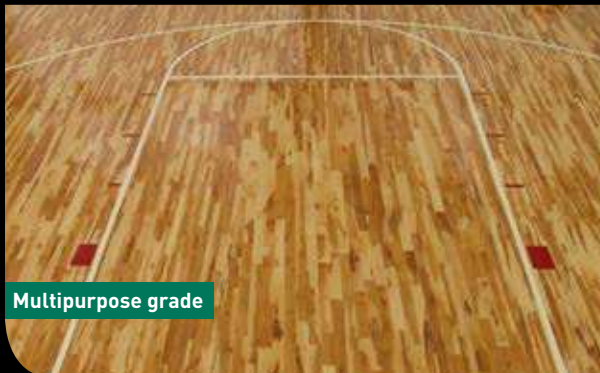
OSE Lions Basketball Club, Hungary - Neoshok 1<sup>st</sup> grade



Second and better grade



Vižmarje (Ljubljana), Slovenia - Neoshok 2<sup>nd</sup> and better grade



Multipurpose grade



Chorale de Roanne, France - Alliance Multipurpose grade



Hoops Factory - Aubervilliers (France)  
Quicklock hardwood system - Second and better grade



# A COMPLETE RANGE OF HARDWOOD SYSTEMS...

## REZILLSLEEPER FLOORING SYSTEM



### FLOORING

North American Maple  
Thickness 20mm / Width 57mm

### RESILIENCE

12mm Rezill pads

### SUBFLOOR CONSTRUCTION

Plywood sleepers  
Thickness: 24mm / length of each sleeper: 2.44m

- ✓ Good compromise between shock absorption and ball rebound
- ✓ Squash certification

OVERALL THICKNESS: 56MM

## ALLIANCE ANCHORED SYSTEM



### FLOORING

North American Maple  
Thickness 20mm / Width 57mm

### ANCHORAGE

Steel pin with anti-squeak collar

### RESILIENCE

19mm Rezill pads

### SUBFLOOR CONSTRUCTION

Double plywood pre-assembled sleepers  
Panels of 2.44m x 1.22m

- ✓ Consistent level of performance throughout the floor
- ✓ High shock absorption and ball rebound
- ✓ Anti-vibration system for comfort of play
- ✓ Highest dimensional stability

OVERALL THICKNESS: 57MM

## NEOSHOK FLOORING SYSTEM



### FLOORING

North American Maple  
Thickness 20mm / Width 57mm

### RESILIENCE

19mm polyurethane Neoshok pads

### SUBFLOOR CONSTRUCTION

Two layers of plywood panels  
Thickness: 24mm / length : 2.44m / width: 1.22m

- ✓ Consistent level of performance throughout the floor
- ✓ High level of shock absorption

OVERALL THICKNESS: 63MM



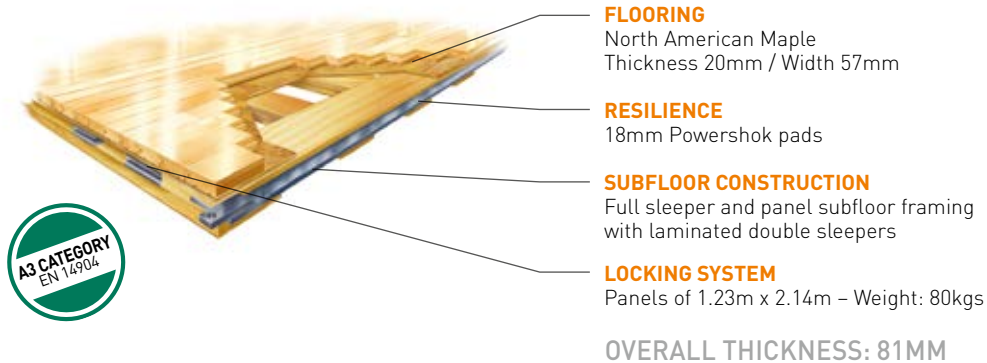
... FOR PERMANENT INSTALLATIONS



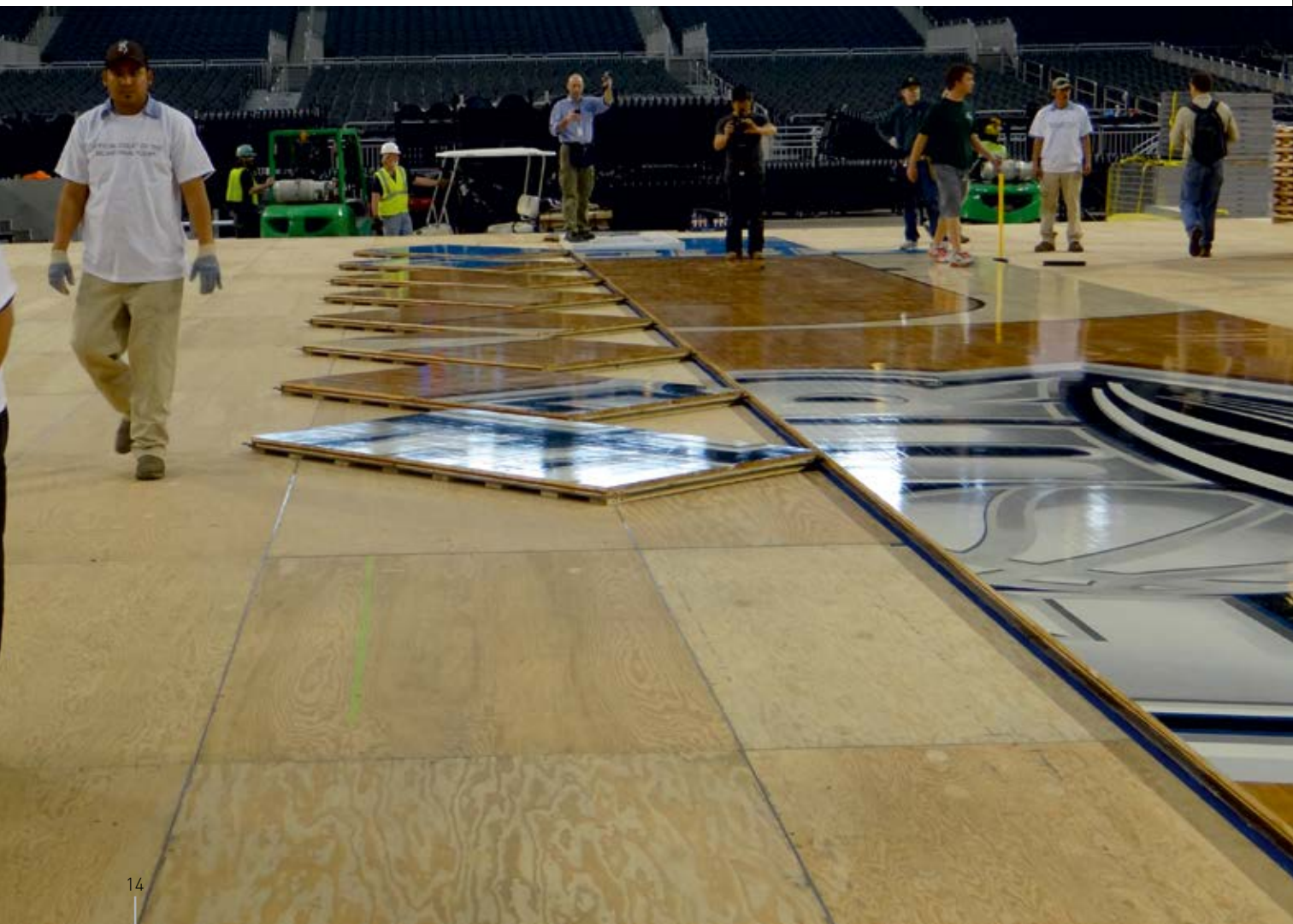
Sports hall - Sárvár (Hungary)  
Neoshok hardwood system - Second and better grade

# A UNIQUE PORTABLE SYSTEM...

**QUICKLOCK™**



- ✓ Easy & fast installation and removal
- ✓ Customised solutions
- ✓ Factory prepared panels (sanded and varnished)





... FOR TEMPORARY EVENTS



NCAA final four (USA)  
Competition and training courts



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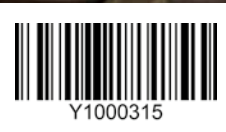
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