



Americana

CONTRACT CARPET TILES

By Flooring Industries

Product Description

Americana

- ◆ Americana carpet tiles are a robust commercial entrance product manufactured with an attractive diagonal striped design in 6 practical colours. Americana can either be installed broadloom or quarter turn. The product is needled from blends of coarse polypropylene, which makes a practical and very durable product suitable for most commercial buildings. Americana will reduce the effects of damaging grit and grime entering from the streets and being deposited onto the carpeted areas of the building, thus increasing the life and improving quality of those carpeted areas.
- ◆ Americana is a standard stock product and readily available for delivery being supplied to a network of dealers throughout the United Kingdom, via our website @
- ◆ www.flooringindustries.co.uk

Usages

- ◆ Offices
- ◆ Schools
- ◆ Universities
- ◆ Public Buildings
- ◆ Hotels
- ◆ Banks
- ◆ Showrooms

Americana



Carolina



Memphis



California



Everglades

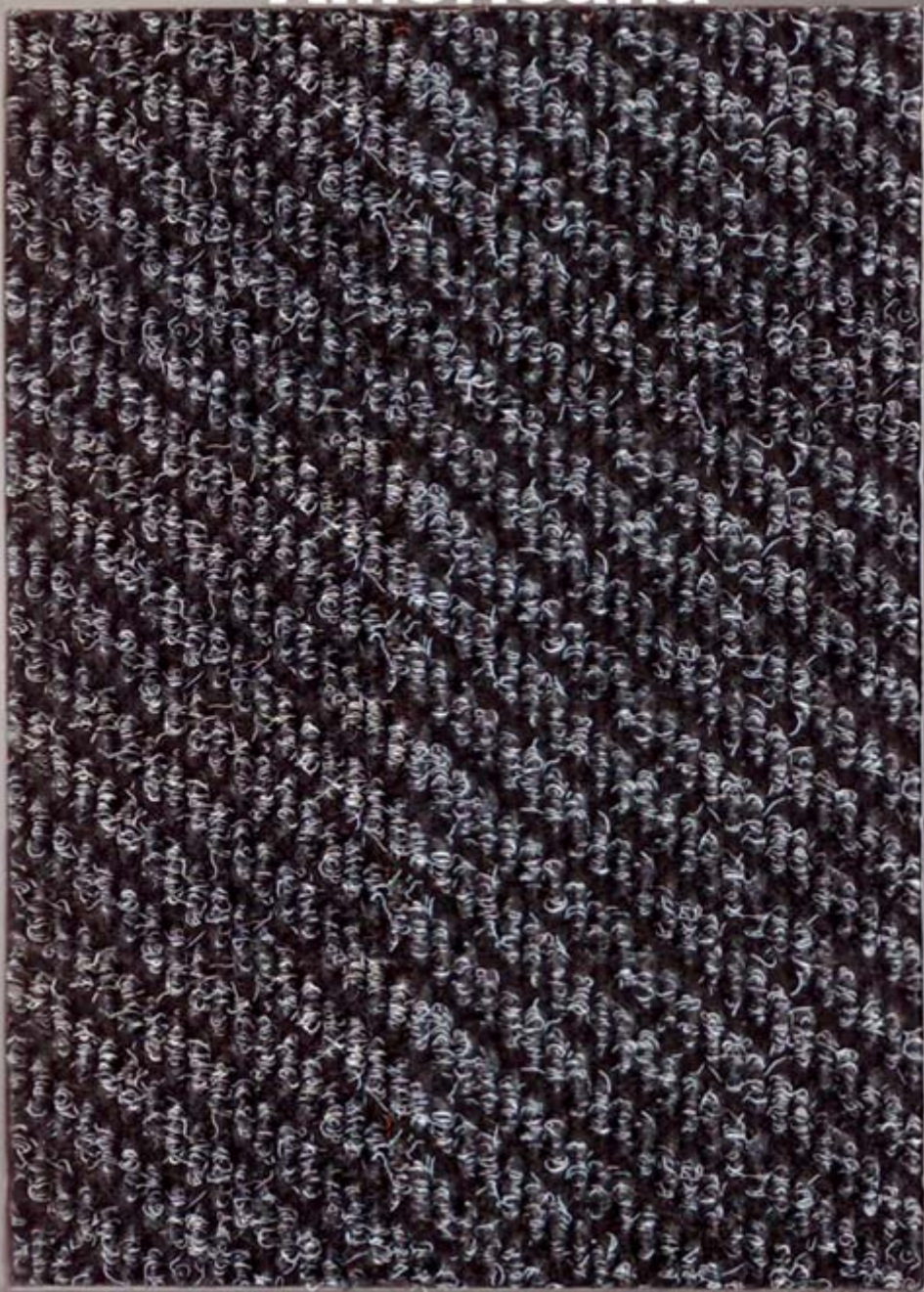


New Mexico



Kentucky

Americana



Technical Specification

Americana Carpet Tiles

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Warranty

10 years subject to Flooring Industries Conditions

Construction

Fibre bonded Diagonal Rib

Fibre Type

100% Polypropylene

Total weight

4.7kgs sq. mt. (Nom)

Pile weight

1150 g/m² (Nom)

Backing

Bitumen with glass fibre

Dimensions

Pile height 4mm, Total height 9.5mm, Tile size 50cm x 50 cm

Dimensional Stability

ISO 2551

Colour fastness

ISO105 B02/ E01 / x12

Light >6, Water 4-5, Rubbing 4-5, BS 1006 Shampoo 5

Flammability

BS4790/ Bs5287 Low Radius

Static

Permanently antistatic ISO DTR 6356 < kW

Usage

Extreme Heavy Contract

Castor Test

EN1307 Rating 2.9 Class A suitable for continuous use

Acoustic

ISO140/8 >24db

Thermal retention

ISO11092 0.13 Pass

Environmental

Compatible production. Gut 15410 Minimal odours and emissions, Recycled waste

Installation

Install to BS5325, CFA: best practice guide. Broadloom or Tessellated

We reserve the right to improve and change the specification of the product without notification

Americana Standard Installation Specification

Product:

- ◆ **Americana** 50x50cm x 9.5mm thick bitumen backed entrance carpet tiles manufactured 100% Polypropylene. Available in 6 standard colour ways

Preparation:

- ◆ Installation should be carried out in accordance with the recommendations detailed in British Standard Code of Practice for Installation of Textile Floorcoverings BS 5325: 1983 (or any revision of this standard). It is also recommended that the installation should be in accordance with The Contract Flooring Association Manual for Installation of Textile Floorcoverings (October 1989). If surface tackifiers or other adhesives are to be used, the adhesive manufacturer's guidelines with reference to the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (COSHH) Regulations and Section 6 of the Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 (as amended by the Consumer Protection Act 1987) should be consulted. Before commencing to lay tiles check that they are from the same batch number, which is stamped on the back of each tile. It is important that batches are not mixed as shades may vary from batch to batch.

Surface Preparation

- ◆ The floor should be clean, level, dry and free from any contaminants such as oil, grease and polish. A new concrete slab should have moisture content, when measured with a hygrometer, less than 75% relative humidity.
- ◆ Dusty floors and surfaces that are very absorbent should be swept clean and the surface sealed with an approved sealer. The sealer should be allowed to dry before the application of any tackifier or adhesive system.
- ◆ Concrete screeds should be sound and any damaged areas or holes should be made good using an approved screeding material.
- ◆ Vinyl tiles should be firmly adhered to the floor and all surface treatments should be removed prior to the application of the tackifier.
- ◆ Floorboards should be level and firmly fixed. Uneven surfaces should be levelled by the application of hardboard or plywood, and the latter may require sealing to prevent the absorption of applied tackifier

Application of surface tackifier

- ◆ In all Installations it is recommended that an all-over surface tackifier method should be used. We recommend an anti-slip surface tackifier such as F.Ball Styccobond F41 applied using a roller and tray. This method ensures that the correct amount of adhesive is applied and avoids over-application, which may cause problems with raised floor panels and timber floors. Never pour surface tackifier directly from the drum onto a raised flooring system. The tackifier must be allowed to dry to clear tacky film in accordance with the manufacturers instructions. Under no circumstances must the tiles be laid in wet tackifier.

Recommended Materials

- ◆ Flooring Industries Ltd recommends the following materials: -
- ◆ Tackifer F41
- ◆ Sealer F70
- ◆ Screeding Stopgap Powder/Liquid system as appropriate
- ◆ Surface cleaner Styccoclean
- ◆ Fabricated underlay:
- ◆ See Flooring Industries Installation guide Surface Preparation timber Floors only if required
- ◆ Carpet Tiles
- ◆ Tufted carpet tiles Bitumen backing with glass fibre non-woven fleece
- ◆ Carpet Manufacture and reference:
- ◆ Flooring Industries Ltd P.O Box 290 Watford Hertfordshire Wd24 7LA Telephone no. 01923 211151 Fax no. 01923 818564

Reference:

- ◆ Americana
- ◆ Type:
- ◆ Type N carpet tiles
- ◆ Classification:
- ◆ Heavy Commercial Usage
- ◆ Width:
- ◆ 50x 50 cm
- ◆ Height:
- ◆ 9.5 mm
- ◆ Colour Pattern:

For complete technical literature or samples phone

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