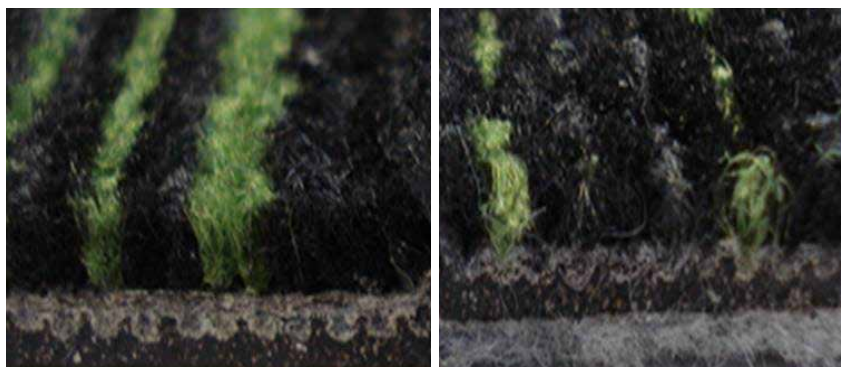


SOFTbac® backing for tessera carpet tiles

Forbo's Tessera carpet tiles are available with SOFTbac® backing which provides an extra layer of cushioning beneath Tessera for better underfoot comfort and improved acoustic and thermal performance, this feels more luxurious than a standard carpet tile and reduces foot and leg fatigue.

The standard 95gsm polyester thin secondary backing with a 600gsm polyester thicker felt.



With SOFTbac®

SOFTbac® is a needle-punched felt made from 100% polyester fibres, thermally bonded using heat (does not contain any chemical binders), which contains 90% post-consumer recycled polyester (coming from 'pop' or water bottles).

- Product thickness: **3.3mm + 0.3mm**
- With SOFTbac® the total weight of any product is **increased by 1,005gsm**
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Advantages of SOFTbac®

- Absorb the impact of foot traffic
- Reduce the incidence of pile crush
- Reduce indentations from heavy furniture
- Reduce tracking from castor chairs
- Increase sound absorption for better acoustics (typically the dB rating is **+3dB** when compared to standard bitumen backed carpet tile)
- Increased thermal insulation helps to cut heat loss so reducing heating bills

Note: SOFTbac® is made to order with a minimum order quantity of **200m²**

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