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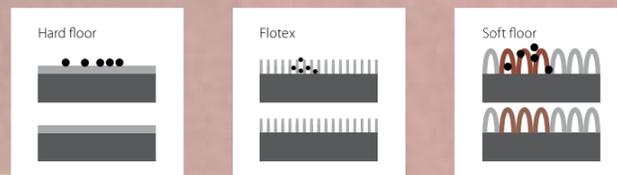
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# a choice not a compromise

The experience of a carpet; warm and comfortable.  
 But what about stains? Wet shoes after a walk in the rain. Children playing, the dog having fun in the garden.  
 A glass of burgundy accidentally dropped. Normally this would spell disaster, but not anymore. Flotex, a unique hybrid, gives you all the warmth and comfort of a carpet with the cleanability and durability of a hard floor. 100% waterproof and hygienic. Everyday splashes and spills can easily be cleaned up, leaving your Flotex looking like new.



Flotex offers consistent protection against a wide variety of bacteria thanks to Sanitized; a highly effective integral antimicrobial treatment that results in a healthier environment.



Thanks to its unique construction, which helps to reduce the amount of allergens in the atmosphere, Flotex has been awarded the prestigious Allergy UK Seal of Approval.



For your peace of mind all Flotex ranges are covered for residential use by a 20 year wear guarantee, ensuring a long and happy product life.



Vacuuming Flotex

Twice as much dirt and allergens can be removed from vacuuming Flotex compared to standard carpet. Also, as its 100% waterproof, Flotex can also be wet cleaned down to the base of the flock, eliminating stains and odours.



## The Flotex range

Whether you are looking to introduce the natural beauty of wood and stone to your home, make a striking style statement, or create a room to simply relax in, Flotex brings you the very best in design choice. With 64 designs and colours across 5 distinct ranges, there is sure to be something to suit even the most discerning tastes.

### flotex<sup>®</sup> moods

On-trend linear effects combine with subtle textured all-overs to create a range that is sure to inspire, whatever your mood.



### flotex<sup>®</sup> metro

A soft, textile inspired design combines with a colour palette spanning 24 colours, offering shades to suit no matter what your taste.



### flotex<sup>®</sup> wood

Ground breaking techniques in High Definition printing bring to life the fine detail of a timber floor in a range that transcends both contemporary and traditional design themes.



### flotex<sup>®</sup> stone

The rich tones of slate, traditional tiles and decorative mosaics are brought to life in stunning High Definition effect.



### flotex<sup>®</sup> classic

A range of timeless favourites that will bring a touch of style to any room in the house.



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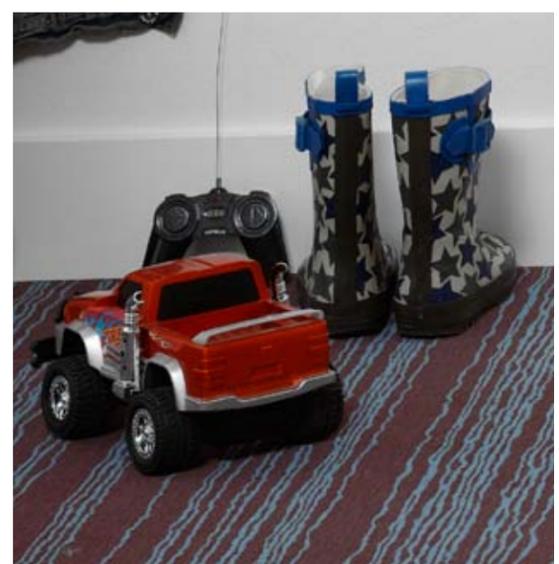


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# flotex®

## moods

Whether you are looking to make a bold style statement or bring a subtle sense of calm to your home, there is something to inspire everyone in this stylish range. Cord and Calgary are part of the complete Flotex range which can be seen at [www.forbo-flooring.co.uk](http://www.forbo-flooring.co.uk).



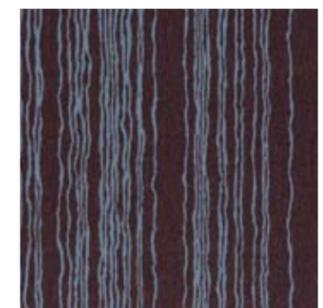
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Cord Toffee  
**HD**



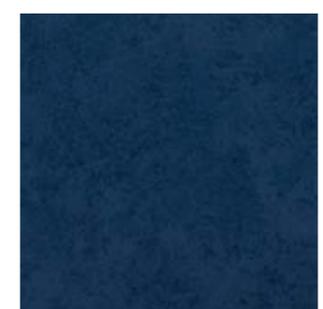
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Cord Grape  
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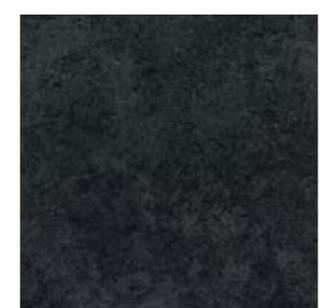
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Calgary Azure



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Cord Steel  
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Calgary Ash



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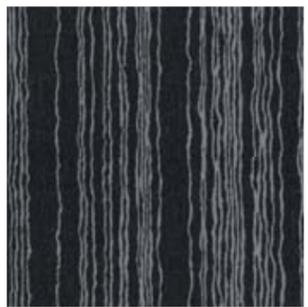
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## moods

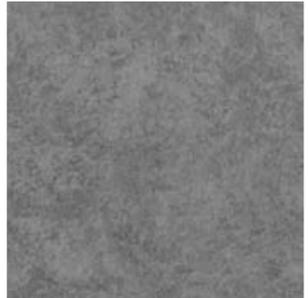
The soft textured pattern of Flotex Calgary brings a touch of comfort and muted ambience to any room in the house, providing simple, classic flooring to accentuate the other features of the room.



520011  
Cord Jet  
**HD**



290012  
Calgary Cement



290009  
Calgary Moss



290008  
Calgary Saffron



290006  
Calgary Sahara



290007  
Calgary Suede



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## metro

Whether you are looking for a neutral blank canvas or a colour pop for a child's bedroom, with 24 colours to choose from Flotex Metro provides the perfect base on which to style any room in the house. Easy to clean thanks to the fact that it is 100% waterproof, Flotex is sure to stand up to the demands of daily family life.



urban



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Anthracite

natural



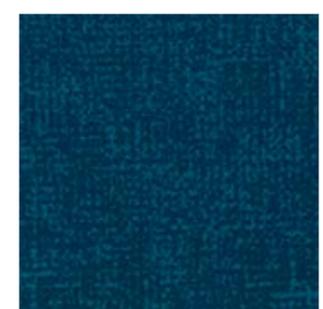
246011  
Pebble

vibrant



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Lagoon

tranquil



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Horizon

Please turn over to see the full range.



# flotex® metro

Colour is an intensely personal choice, and picking a floor covering to act as a base for styling your room is an important task. With 24 colours to choose from, Flotex Metro is sure to give you food for thought when creating your perfect interior scheme. To help with your colour selection we've created 4 trend colour families within the Metro range – Urban, Natural, Vibrant and Tranquil – all designed to reflect your styling choice.

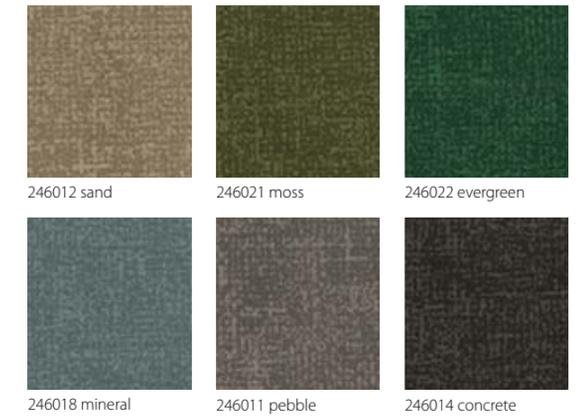
## urban

The 6 earthy tones of the Urban colour family provide the perfect backdrop to a classically styled interior, proving a blank canvas which works well with any seasons trend colours.



## natural

Drawing inspiration from the soft, understated colours of nature, the Natural colour family offers a selection of neutral hues suitable for any room in the house.



## vibrant

For a splash of colour, the playful palette of the Vibrant colour family will bring a fresh look and add a zing to children's bedrooms.



## tranquil

Cool and calming, the Tranquil family colours are perfect for creating the ultimate relaxing atmosphere, no matter how busy your home.



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# flotex<sup>®</sup> wood

Capturing the warmth and beauty of natural woods using the latest in High Definition printing techniques, Flotex Wood brings a touch of class to any room in the house. Quiet and comfortable, Flotex gives you a surprisingly practical floor.



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Smoked Beech  
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010042  
Steamed Beech  
**HD**



010034  
Pear Wood  
**HD**



010040  
Antique Pine  
**HD**



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Reclaimed Pine  
**HD**

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# flotex<sup>®</sup> wood

This unique range brings you the allure of a modern wood floor, while remaining quiet and comfortable underfoot.

Flotex is also hygienic thanks to the constant protection of its integral Sanitized treatment.



010033  
English Oak  
**HD**



010035  
Distressed Oak  
**HD**



010037  
Blackened Oak  
**HD**



010036  
American Oak  
**HD**



010039  
European White  
**HD**



010038  
White oak  
**HD**



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# flotex®

## stone

From the classic Farmhouse Tile to the timeless Cornerstone effect, combine the elegance of natural stone with the quiet warmth and comfort of a Flotex floor.



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Farmhouse Tile  
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010044  
Quarry Tile  
**HD**



010050  
Salt Glaze  
**HD**



010049  
Charcoal Glaze  
**HD**



010043  
Cornerstone  
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# flotex<sup>®</sup> stone

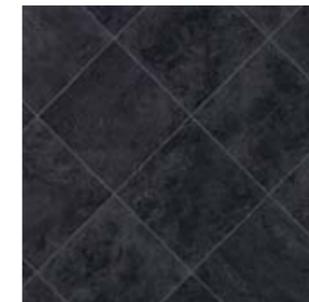
Capitalising on the current trend for oversized and diagonal laid tiles, Flotex Stone provides you with a choice of flooring that is both exciting and practical. For those concerned with asthma or allergies Flotex has also been approved by Allergy UK.



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Lava Stone  
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010046  
China Black  
**HD**



010052  
Welsh Slate  
**HD**



010047  
Limestone  
Pavement  
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Roman Spa  
**HD**



010017  
Cork Amber  
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# flotex® classic

Featuring 6 traditional designs, Flotex Classic will make a lasting impression that is sure to impress, backed by 20 year wear guarantee.



146002  
Newlyn Bracken



146007  
Newlyn Spring Meadow



125001  
Isla Sandpiper



155022  
Argyle Limestone



059025  
Kingston Terracotta



059007  
Kingston Green



# taking care of your **flotex**

Cleaning your new Flotex floor couldn't be easier. By following the simple instructions below you can ensure the beauty of your floor will last for many years to come. Our Cleaning and Maintenance instructions can also be down loaded from the website [www.forbo-flooring.co.uk](http://www.forbo-flooring.co.uk).



## Every day cleaning

For best results vacuum regularly with an upright vacuum cleaner. It's a good idea to set the brush adjustment on the lowest setting so that the brush actually touches the pile. When vacuuming, push forward at normal speed and pull back at half speed. This gives the brush time to sweep out any fluff etc that may have been pushed between the fibres.

## Wet cleaning

One of the advantages of Flotex is that it can be wet cleaned. This can be carried out with a machine such as Vax or hot-water extraction machine available from dry cleaners and DIY machine hire shops. The recommended detergent supplied with these machines is suitable for use on Flotex. However, it should only be used in a very weak solution; about one part detergent to one hundred parts water. You should always rinse Flotex with clean water after using any detergent. Mopping or wiping is not recommended as this only cleans the top of the pile.

## Clean away as easy as scrape, scrub, rinse

### Scrape

Scrape off as much of the spillage as possible into a paper towel or cloth. Use a paint scraper or blunt utensil.



### Scrub

Pour a liberal amount of hot water onto the area. Add a small amount of detergent (appr. 1 teaspoon of detergent to 5 litres of water). Use a suitable carpet shampoo or detergent. Then scrub using a stiff brush and scrape the dirty solution into an absorbent cloth.



### Rinse

Rinse thoroughly with clean water. Scrape the excess water into an absorbent cloth and leave to dry.



## Technical specifications

Flotex meets the requirements of EN 1307

### Flotex sheet

	Total thickness	ISO 1765	4.3 mm
	Commercial heavy	EN 685	Class 33
	Roll width		2.00 m
	Roll length		30 m
	Total weight	ISO 8543	1.8 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
	Dimensional stability	ISO 2551	< 0.2%
	Abrasion resistance	EN 1963	< 35 g Pile loss
	Castor chair continuous use	EN 985	r = ≥ 2.4 Continuous use
	Light fastness	EN ISO 105 B-02	6
	Slip Resistance	DIN 51097 UK SGR pendulum	> 0.7 Dry and wet Dry - very low slip Wet - low slip
	Electrical resistance	ISO 10965	> 10 <sup>9</sup> Ω
	Acoustic	ISO 140-8 ISO 354	Impact sound ΔLw = 20 dB Sound absorption = 0.10
			<b>CE</b> EN14041
	Reaction to fire	EN 13501-1	B <sub>n</sub> -s <sub>1</sub>
	Slip resistance	EN 13893	DS: > 0.30
	Body Voltage	ISO 6356	< 2kV
	Thermal resistance	ISO 8302	0.0526 m <sup>2</sup> K/W



## Installation

For the best results, professional installation is recommended. Before installation, subfloors must be permanently dry, smooth, level, clean and of sound construction. Areas less than 20m<sup>2</sup> can be installed using plastized tape, for areas greater than 20m<sup>2</sup> adhesive must be used. Recommended adhesive: Forbo Eurosafe Special 540



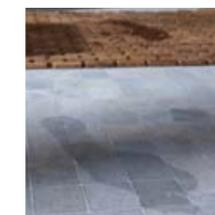
## Easy to clean

Flotex floorcoverings can easily be cleaned using a regular upright vacuum cleaner, while its superior stain resistance means it is suitable for any room in the house. Flotex is also 100% waterproof meaning everyday splashes and spills can easily be cleaned up using the scrape, scrub, rinse technique, leaving your Flotex looking like new.



## Durable and hygienic

With over 70 million nylon fibres per square metre, Flotex is built to withstand the demands of even the busiest households, while its integral antimicrobial treatment Sanitized offers constant protection against bacteria including MRSA and E. Coli and prevents mould and stale odours from forming. Flotex is also the only textile floorcovering to be approved by Allergy UK.



## Comfortable yet durable

Thanks to its unique construction, Flotex provides all the warmth and comfort associated with a carpet but remains as easy to clean and maintain as a resilient floor. Flotex is also slip resistant.

## Guaranteed

For your peace of mind all Flotex ranges are covered for residential use by a 20 year guarantee from the date of purchase. When fitted and maintained as per our instructions it gives you the reassurance that your Forbo Flotex flooring will look great for many years to come

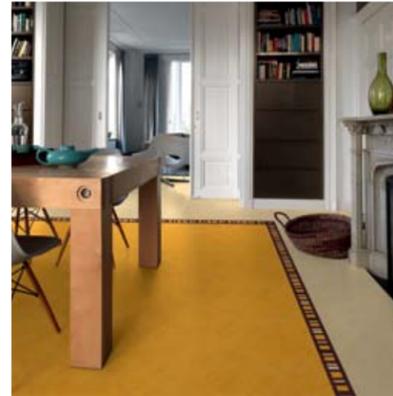


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# more **Forbo** flooring



## Marmoleum

Smooth, sleek and stylish, a Marmoleum floor combines high performance with practicality. Made predominantly from natural raw materials with beautiful colours that have been inspired by the richness of nature, Marmoleum can be combined with inspiring borders and feature panels, allowing endless creativity. The Marmoleum Click collection is also available for easy home installation.



## Cushioned vinyl

All of Forbo's cushioned vinyl products are designed to the highest standard in both functionality and design content. Both Novilon and Novilux will never let you down. The diversity in designs within the different ranges and products will make sure there is always a designer floor of your preference to choose.



## Quickfit

Forbo Quickfit is an instant, loose lay subfloor system with a self-adhering Forbo foam underlay, providing a quick and easy method of levelling your subfloor.



**Twenty Year Guarantee Registration Pack**

which includes our  
Handy Care Guide & Cleaning Kit

Complete the form on the reverse and we'll send you your pack in the next 14 days.

## Twenty Year Guarantee Registration Form

### Twenty Year Wear Domestic Guarantee

Flotex is guaranteed for twenty years from the date of purchase for use in the home\* provided it is fitted and maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. The Twenty Year Wear Guarantee means the backing will not become exposed during this period. In the unlikely event of the material proving defective, Forbo Flooring systems will either provide alternative floorcovering of comparable quality to cover the remaining period, or carry out the necessary repairs without charge. The guarantee does not cover contract use, fitting or labour costs, tears, cuts or damage due to improper use or cleaning. The guarantee only applies to the lifetime of the original purchaser as registered on the guarantee registration form. In the event of a claim, proof of purchase must be shown. This guarantee is in addition to and does not affect your statutory rights.

\* The home = private, domestic residence.

Please complete all sections clearly in block capitals.

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Other

Forename

Surname

Address

Postcode

Telephone (inc STD)

email

Age (please tick box)

20-29  30-39  40-49  50-65  65+

Date of purchase

Total price paid (to the nearest £)

Design purchased

Colour purchased

Quantity (sq m) purchased

In which room (s) in your home is Flotex being fitted?

Where did you hear about Flotex? (please tick box)

Instore  Advertisement

Exhibition  Recommendation

Repeat Purchase  Website

Other

Place of purchase

Address

Postcode

As soon as we've received and processed your form we'll send you your free Twenty Year Wear Guarantee Registration Pack. So that you can be notified of additional products and services that may interest you, your details may be passed on to other organisations.

If you do not wish to receive this information, please tick the box.